



## Reregistration Forms for 2017-2018

Reregistration forms were sent home in last week's take-home folders. The deadline for returning the forms and deposit (\$100 per family, not per student) is Friday, January 27. If you are unable to remit the deposit by the deadline, please feel free to contact me via email at [cbeza@sacredheartschoolweymouth.org](mailto:cbeza@sacredheartschoolweymouth.org). Please note that the Finance Committee of the School Advisory Board will be meeting in the coming weeks to set the tuition for next year. You can expect the finalized tuition schedule with tuition and payment options to be sent home in the take-home folders in February. Please understand that after Friday, January 27 seats will be opened to new students on a first-come, first-served basis. Please also note that a financial aid information sheet was also included in last week's take-home folders. The deadline for applying for financial aid for the 2017-2018 school year is Friday, March 31. Thank you.



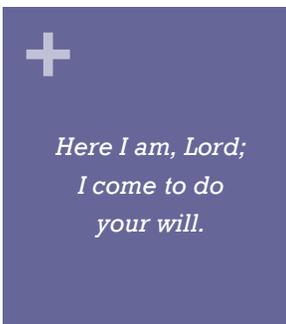
## Save the Date!

Rock On for Education will be held at the Boston Marriott Quincy on Saturday, May 13, 2017 from 6:30 pm – 12:30 am. True to this year's theme, Boston's favorite cover band, **Hot Mess**, will be performing favorite hits from the '80s all night long! Bid on fabulous silent auction items as well as the prized class gifts crafted by SHS students. This event is not to be missed! Tickets on sale soon!!

## Important Dates

- Mon, Jan 16** - NO SCHOOL – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- Tue, Jan 17** - Student Council meeting, 2:15 pm in library
- Sun, Jan 22** - Prospective Family Open House, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
- Mon, Jan 23** - Report cards sent home this week
- Sun, Jan 29** - Catholic Schools Week liturgy, 9:00 am in Upper Church  
- Catholic Schools Week reception, 10:00 am in Lower Church Hall
- Mon, Jan 30** - Historical Biography: Laura Ingalls Wilder, 1:30 pm in cafeteria
- Tue, Jan 31** - Parent Appreciation Day
- Wed, Feb 1** - Teacher Appreciation Day
- Thu, Feb 2** - Student Appreciation Day  
- Students may come to school out of uniform  
- Free pizza lunch provided for all students
- Fri, Feb 3** - First Friday liturgy, 10:45 am  
- Students dismissed at noon  
- Faculty meeting, 12:30 pm

## This Week We Celebrate the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. He is the one of whom I said, 'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me because he existed before me.' I did not know him, but the reason why I came baptizing with water was that he might be made known to Israel." John testified further, saying, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him. I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me, 'On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.' Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God." *John 1:29-34*

## Catholic Schools Week



This year's Catholic Schools Week theme is *Catholic Schools: Communities of Faith, Knowledge and Service*. All families are invited to attend the 9:00 am liturgy on Sunday, January 31 to kick off our Catholic Schools Week celebration. A reception will follow in the Lower Church Hall. Please note that since we conducted three Open House events this winter, there is no Open House during Catholic Schools Week and the reception in the Lower Church Hall is the only post-liturgy event. We hope to see you there!

### Important "No School" Information

Generally we follow Weymouth Public Schools regarding school cancellations and delayed school openings. Radio and TV stations will carry the Weymouth announcement and we will also use the ConnectEd automated phone system to notify every Sacred Heart School family of a "no school" announcement or message about a delayed opening. In the event of an early dismissal, the exact time of arrival home for bus riders will be difficult to determine. If possible, private pick up is recommended when this type of special circumstance occurs. In the event there is a two-hour delay on a half day of school, Sacred Heart will not be in session.

#### Extended Day Program

When school is canceled, there will be no morning or afternoon Extended Day Program. If a one-hour delay is announced, the before school program will begin at 8:00 am. If a two-hour delay is announced, it will open at 9:00 am. If a two-hour delay is announced on a half day of school, then both programs will be canceled (school will also be canceled in this case).

## Braintree/Weymouth Food Pantries

The fifth grade class is conducting a school-wide food drive to benefit local food pantries. The goal of this food drive is to continue the spirit of giving beyond the Christmas season and to aid those in our community that are most in need. This service project has been a resounding success the past several years because of the generosity of our families. Let's try to make this the best year yet! The drive will continue throughout the month of January ending on Friday, February 3. The fifth grade class extends their thanks in advance for your generosity and support of this worthy cause.

PreK/K1	canned corn
K1	canned green beans
K2	canned peas
1	canned fruits
2	canned baked beans
3	canned tuna or chicken
4	rice or pasta
5	peanut butter
6	canned soups or stews
7	canned tomatoes or tomato sauce (no glass jars, please)
8	hamburger helper or mac & cheese

## Prospective Family Open House

Do you have a friend or relative who might be interested in enrolling their child at Sacred Heart School for the 2017-2018 school year? If so, please invite them to attend our Open House on Sunday, January 22 from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm. A fully enrolled school allows us to keep tuition costs down and ensure the future viability of our school. Once again, our wonderful middle school students will be available to provide tours for our guests.