

Mission Statement Holy Rosary Catholic School is dedicated to forming students spiritually, academically and emotionally to live out the Great Commission.



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ARCADE NEWS

NEXT LEVEL NEWS: FROM MR. C

We have reached the halfway point of the first quarter. Today, you should be receiving progress reports for your students from teachers. Now is the time if you have not already done so to do a temperature check with your children on how their academic progress is going.

How are they doing in class? Do they have all assignments turned in? Do I have contact information for all the teachers should a question arise?

This leads us into next week's short week for Parent Teacher Conferences. During this time, teachers will discuss how your child is doing in daily classes, what the data collected from NWEA is showing us, offer words of encouragement as well as if there are concerns and discuss these in very open and respectful ways.

As our missions statement says, we form student not only spiritually, but academically and emotionally. Please be sure that you have signed up for conferences. Families who have not, the school will reach out to schedule a conference time.

Last reminder that Thursday is a half day with dismissal at 11:30 and no school on Friday!

Prayers and blessings.
Mr. Callahan admin@holyroscarycatholic.com

September 25, 2026

CALENDAR

Sept 28th	Picture Day (8:00 - 11:00)
Sept 30th - Oct 1st	Parent Teacher Conference
Oct 1st	Half Day No Angel's Den
Oct 2nd	No School
Oct 4th	Holy Rosary Family Mass @ 9:00 a.m.
Oct 7th	Count Day
Oct 9th	October Birthday Celebrations
Oct 9th	8th Grade Day @ Powers and Homecoming Parade

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● NWEA Testing Continues

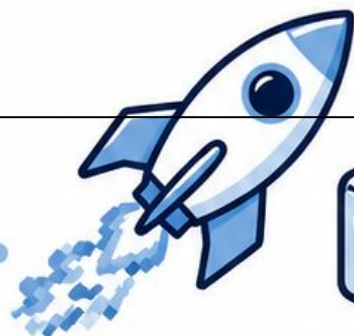
- The Diocese of Lansing Fall testing window will be opening September 15th and remain open until October 15th.
- Holy Rosary Testing Schedule is as follows
 - Friday, September 24th NWEA Science for students in grades 2-8
 - Tuesday, September 29th NWEA ELA for students in grades 2-8
- In an effort for students to give their absolute best effort during this baseline beginning of the year test window, please remember to have students
 - Get a good night's sleep the night before testing
 - Eat breakfast at home or school the day of
 - Arrive on time for school to prepare their hearts and minds for the daily activities
 - Reinforce that all students are asked to give their best efforts.

● Parent Teacher Conferences

- Conferences are September 30th and October 1st. Times for conferences are
 - September 30th - 4:00 to 7:15
 - October 1st - 12:30 to 3:00 and 4:00 to 7:15
 - **Please call Mrs. Kallas to sign up for a conference time. 810-736-4220**

● Tuition Reminders

- It is imperative that families remain in good financial standing with the school.
General Reminders:
 - Payments are due by the 1st of the month
 - All accounts must be current by the 15th of each month. If you are behind for August, please be sure that accounts are brought current by no later than September 15th.



CLASSROOM QUESTS

Mrs. O'Brien (Kindergarten/First)

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Religion-Jesus wants to be near us
Math-K-Chapter 1 Test/Begin Chapter 2
1st-Comparing, adding and subtracting
Reading-K-Recognize beginning sounds-C/1st grade-Review of beginning/ending sounds
Science-Johnny Appleseed's Birthday/STEM
Go Lions!

Mrs. Broderick (4-6 Lit/Writing, MS Science, 4/5 Theology)

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% Theology- Conscience

% Science- **Test Thursday October 1st**

4-6 Reading- Shiloh- right vs wrong. We started book clubs.

4-6 Writing- Personal narratives

4-6 Spelling- **Unit 2 Spelling test on Monday**

6-8 Science- Newton's 3rd Law of Motion

Ms. Monarez (2/3 Reading, Science, History, Theology, Writing)

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Language Arts: story retell from Phoebe and the Spelling Bee.

Religion: St Augustine's spiritual journey inspired by the unending prayers of his mother.

We've also been learning about Hagia Sophia of Istanbul, Turkey.

NWEA testing

Mrs. Karyakose (MS Math, 6/7 Theology, 2/3 Math)

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2nd Math Chapter 2 Addition/subtraction

3rd Math Chapter 2 Multiplication strategies

4th Math Chapter 2 Long addition / subtraction

5th Math Chapter 2 Numerical Expressions

6th Math Chapter 2 Fraction and Decimals

7th Math Chapter 2 Multiply/Divide rational numbers

Test maybe Friday

Algebra Chapter 2 Linear Inequalities

6/7 Religion started Unit 1 on Jesus Christ in Scripture

Mrs. Somerville (7/8 Lit/Writing, MS History, 8 Theology)

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8 Theology- Vocation of Love

7/8 Reading- Independent reading focusing on tone and mood.

7/8 Vocabulary- Week #4, **Test Sept. 29 on spelling or words and definitions.**

7/8 Writing- Drafting Narrative Poetry

6-8 History- How did European/Indigenous ideas about gov't influence English colonies?

4/5 History-Sumerian religion and ziggurats.



Faith Formation & Sacraments

- **Family Faith Formation:** There is still time to join us for the 2026–2027 year.
- **Mark you calendar for our first All School Mass on Oct. 4th @ 9am**
- **CGS Atrium: Week 3:** Our K–5 students re-visited the vestments worn by the priest and were presented the seasons of the liturgical calendar! Ask them to sing the color song! “Purple and Green, Red and White....”

- All our volunteers working on the Fall Raffle and Car Show. It takes many hands to do great work.
- Shout out to Mr. Jeff for the hard work in keeping our school neat and well maintained. Your hard work does not go unnoticed.
- Father Roy and Kim Murawski for organizing and training our new group of Altar Servers. The kids were excited for the opportunity to participate in the Mass in a new way.



Mr. Jeff Osantowski

Holy Rosary is blessed to have Mr. Jeff Osantowski as the head of buildings and grounds at our Parish/School. Mr. Jeff has been serving in this role for the past year and does marvelous work keeping the building in tip top shape.

When asked, Mr. Jeff shared that his favorite part of working at Holy Rosary is “Greeting students every morning as they come into school and seeing the smiles on their faces and the joy in their stories.”

