



HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC ACADEMY

Calendar for 2017-2018

(Events and dates are subject to change with the Principal's approval)

AUGUST

- 1 Tue Office Hours 8am-4pm 972-255-0205
- 6 Sun Back to School Swim Party
Aquatic Center 3701 Conflans Rd. 10am-2pm
- 7-11 F-M Faculty In-Service
- 13 Sun Open House after 10:00 Mass for all Parents and students
- 14 Mon First Day of School - Early Dismissal at 12:00 noon.
- 16 Wed Parent Meeting for grades PK-K at 6:30pm in Parish Hall
- 17 Thu Parent Meeting for grades 1 & 2 at 6:30pm in Parish Hall
- 18 Fri Parent Meeting for grade 3 at 6:30pm in Parish Hall
- 22 Tue Parent Meeting for grades 4 & 5 at 6:30pm in Parish Hall
- 23 Wed Parent Meeting for grades 6-8 at 6:30pm in Parish Hall
- 31 Thu PTO Pot Luck at 6:30pm in Parish Hall

SEPTEMBER

Virtue of the Month is Empathy, Consideration for others

- 1 Fri Volleyball Tournament at Holy Trinity
5:50 Varsity, 6:40 5/6th grade
- 2 Sat Volleyball Tournament TBA
- 4 Mon NO SCHOOL - All school holiday - Labor Day
- 6 Wed SAC mtg 6:00
- 6 Wed Band Parent Meeting 6:30
- 7 Thu Confessions for grades 3-5
- 7 Thu Fall Festival meeting 7:00

8 Fri National Wildlife Federation Presentation 9:30-11:00

8 Fri Celebrate the Virgin Mary's Birthday

9 Sat Volleyball:
5-6 grades play at the Highlands
against St.Mary-Carmel at 1:00pm
7-8 grades play at Holy Trinity
against Bishop Dunne at 3:00pm and Highlands at 4:00pm

10 Sun **All School Mass** at 10:00
Breakfast Food Sale after 8:00 and 10:00 masses

11 Mon Start of Virtues Program

12 Tue 8th Grade Field Trip to Bishop Dunne

14 Thu Confessions for grades 6 - 8

14 Thu PTO Parents Meeting at 6:30pm in Parish Hall

16 Sat HFN Ministry Fair

16 Sat Volleyball:
5-6 grades play at St. Cecilia
against St.Joseph at 11:00am and St. Cecilia at 12:00pm
7-8 grades play at Holy Family
against St. Cecilia at 9:00am and St.Mary-Carmel at 12:00pm

17 Sun HFN Ministry Fair

18 M-F Vision and Hearing Testing all week long

20 Wed Progress Reports go home

21 Thu 8th Grade visit to Jesuit and Ursuline

23 Sat Volleyball:
5-6 grades play at St. Elizabeth
against Mt. St. Michael at 11:00am and St. Elizabeth at 12:00pm
7-8 grades play at St. Monica (large gym)
against Holy Trinity at 1:00pm

25 M-F Vision and Hearing Testing all week long

29 Fri Early Dismissal at 12:00 noon,
Lunch will be served,
After Care Available

29 Fri Bingo in the Parish Hall:
Early Bird session is from 6:00 to 7:00.
Regular session starts after 7:00

30 Sat Volleyball:
5-6 grades play at Good Shepherd
against Christ the King at 2:00pm and Good Shepherd at 3:00pm
7-8 grades play at Holy Trinity
against OLPH at 11:00am and St.Bernard at 12:00pm

30 Sat **Parish Festival**
 30 Sat **Car Show 10:00-3:00**
 30 Sat **Youth Festival at 6:30 p.m.**

OCTOBER

Virtue of the Month is Conscientiousness, Doing your best

1 Sun **Parish Festival**

2 Mon NO SCHOOL

4 Wed Windy City Players performance

6 Fri Living Rosary at 9:00

7 Sat Volleyball:
 5-6 grades play at St. Rita
 against St.Patrick at 7:00pm and St. Rita-White at 8:00 pm
 7-8 grades play at Holy Trinity
 against Immaculate Conception at 2:00pm

9-13 M-F ITBS Standardized Testing

12 Thu PTO Meeting

14 Sat Volleyball:
 5-6 grades play at Prince of Peace
 against Holy Trinity at 1:00pm and
 Prince of Peace-Silver at 2:00pm
 7-8 grades play at Holy Family
 against St.Philip-St.Augustine at 9:00am and
 Santa Clara at 12:00pm

15 Sun All School Mass / Food Sale

18 Wed **8th Grade Field Trip to The Pines Camp**

19 Thu **8th Grade Field Trip to The Pines Camp**

19 Thu End of First Quarter

20 Fri **8th Grade Field Trip to The Pines Camp**

20 Fri NO SCHOOL - University of Dallas Ministry Conference

21 Sat Volleyball:
 5-6 grades play at Holy Family
 against St.Monica-White at 9:00am and St. Mark at 12:00pm
 7-8 grades play at Holy Trinity
 against St. Monica at 11:00am and St.Mary-Sherman at 12:00pm

23 Mon Start of Second Quarter

25 Wed PreK and Kindergarten field trip to Green Meadows Farm

27 Fri NO SCHOOL - Parent Teacher Conferences
28 Sat Book Fair Starts
28 Sat Halloween Party in the Gymnasium 4:00--9:00
29 Sun Book Fair Begins
31 Tue Halloween Parties at 2:30

NOVEMBER

Virtue of the Month is Honesty

1 Wed All Saints Day
1 Wed Book Fair Continues
2 Thu All Souls Day
2 Thu Book Fair Continues
3 Fri Last Day of the Book Fair
12 Sun All School Mass/Food Sale
15 Wed Thanksgiving Luncheon 11:00--1:00
16 Thu Open House 9:00-2:00
21 Tue Canned Food Drive
21 Tue Early Dismissal at 12 noon - NO AFTER CARE
22-24 Wed-Fri Thanksgiving Holiday

DECEMBER

Virtue of the Month is Charity

3 Sun Parish Breakfast with Santa
7 Thu HFCA- Spelling Bee
8 Fri Feast of the Immaculate Conception
9 Sat Santa Paws Run and Dog Costume Competition
10 Sun All School Mass 10:00
12 Tue Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe
15 Fri Christmas Program 6:30 in the Parish Hall
19 Tue Early Dismissal
NO AFTER CARE
12:00 noon Teacher planning & in-service

Christmas Parties at 11:00
Last Day of Second Quarter

Dec. 20 - Jan 4 Wed-Wed Christmas Vacation

JANUARY

Virtue of the Month is Wisdom

The Holy Father's Intentions for January

Evangelization:

Religious Minorities in Asia

That Christians, and other religious minorities in Asian countries, may be able to practice their faith in full freedom.

3 Wed Teacher In-service Day
4 Thu School Resumes for Students
15 Mon Martin Luther King Holiday - NO SCHOOL
First Day of Third Quarter
Jan. 28 - Feb2 Sun-Fri Catholic Schools Week
28 Sun Open House 11am - 2pm

FEBRUARY

Virtue of the Month is Loyalty

The Holy Father's Intentions for February

Universal:

Say "No" to Corruption

That those who have material, political, or spiritual power may resist any lure of corruption.

2 Fri Early Dismissal at 12 noon
After care provided
13 Tue Valentines Parties at 2:30
14 Wed Ash Wednesday
19 Mon President's Day - NO SCHOOL - In-service Day
23 Fri Early Dismissal at 12 noon
After care provided
24 Sat **HFCA Gala and Auction at Hilton DFW Lakes**

MARCH

Virtue of the Month is Altruism, Selflessness

The Holy Father's Intentions for March

Evangelization:

Formation in Spiritual Discernment

That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment, both on the personal and communitarian levels.

- 1 Thu Open House 9am - 2pm

- 9 Fri Early Dismissal at 12:00 noon
Teacher In-service,
After care provided

- 12-16 Mon-Fri Spring Break

- 23 Fri Living Stations of the Cross at 2:30 and 7:00
- 23 Fri Last Day of Third Quarter

- 25 Sun Palm Sunday

- 26 Mon First Day of Fourth Quarter

- 29 Thu NO SCHOOL - Holy Thursday

- 30 Fri NO SCHOOL - Good Friday

APRIL

Virtue of the Month is Worship, Respect

The Holy Father's Intentions for April

Universal:

For Those Who Have Responsibility in Economic Matters

That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

- 1 Sun **Easter Sunday** - Day of Our Lord's Resurrection

- 2 Mon NO SCHOOL, if we do not have a bad Weather Day

- 7 Fri First Communion at the 5:30 pm Mass

- 28 Sat Confirmation at the 5:30 pm Mass

- 30 Mon NO SCHOOL - Faculty In-service

MAY

Virtue of the Month is Love of Mary

The Holy Father's Intentions for May

Evangelization:

The Mission of the Laity

That the lay faithful may fulfill their specific mission, by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today.

- 4 Fri May Crowning at 9:00 am
- 11 Fri Sports Banquet at 6:30 pm (includes a Pot Luck Dinner)
- 18 Fri Last Day for After Care
- 24 Thu Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten Field Day
- 25 Fri Kindergarten Graduation 10:00 in the Parish Hall
- 25 Fri Last day of school for Pre-Kindergarten students
- 25 Fri 8th grade graduation in church at 5:30 pm
- 28 Mon NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day
- 30 Wed Field Day Dismissal at 1:00,
NO AFTER CARE
- 31 Thu Last Day of School, Dismissal at 10:00,
NO AFTER CARE