



Saint of the Week: **St. Catherine of Siena**

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Patron Saint of the Week: St. Catherine of Siena, Class 7B

St. Catherine of Siena (1347 - 1380) was an Italian mystic, or a person who experienced God supernaturally. When she was six, she saw guardian angels! She became a Dominican Tertiary, meaning she was not a nun but still a Dominican. At that time, the Pope had moved to France because of troubles in Rome. St. Catherine successfully persuaded him to return to Rome and helped restore order there. Later she received the Stigmata (the Wounds of Christ). She is the patron saint of Italy. Her feast day is on 29 April.



Dear Lord Jesus, it is wonderful to receive visions of You, Mother Mary and the Saints as St. Catherine did. Whether I receive them or not, let me be thankful for everything You have done for me. Amen.

(Closing Prayer will be on intercom at 6:10 & 7:55)

Next week's Saint: St. Francis of Rome, Class 5B

HAPPY EASTER !!!!!

April 24 - Regular Class and Confirmation Interviews

April 27 - Confirmation, Cathedral Basilica 1:30 pm

April 28 - Confirmation Celebration Dinner with Youth Group, Social Hall 6-8pm

May 1 - Regular Class and First Communion practice

May 3 - Edge

May 4 - First Communion 1PM

May 5 - First Communion -Spanish Mass, 2PM

May 8 - Closing Mass 6:30 pm

Report Cards are ready! This is the link to a Google docs spreadsheet to fill out for the PSR report cards : https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1lxnGnR50pwtDbPr--UD5skm4_M4YvUPIBhSoyag66D8/edit?usp=sharing

You will simply scroll down to find your class and then you can enter the information in each box. When you are finished you just have to close the page and it will be saved. Margo and I will enter the absences and tardies. You will need to mark for Understanding of Material, Participation, Assignments, and Conduct using the grades of **VG= Very Good, S = Satisfactory, NI = Needs Improving, and U = Unsatisfactory.**

You are encouraged to make comments, and I will make sure it all fits, even if we go to back of page. I need these completed by May 6. At the very latest! Thanks!

Registration Forms for 2019-2020 will be available on the Parish website Soon!!!





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Next week is our final "regular" class. Please be sure to send everything (bibles, books, projects, etc) home with students that night. All Teacher handbooks, binder, folders, etc must also be turned in and/or signed for. Please take anything out of your cabinet that belongs to you, since we will be in church the following week. Remind students to keep their back-pack bags for next year...6th & 7th will need to bring bibles back next year..

The final PSR class will be Mass celebrating the end of the school year on Wednesday, May 8, 2019 at 6:30 PM in Church for Both Session "A" and Session "B".

All students are asked to attend this final session Mass along with their families. Students will be seated with their families for Mass. The St. Patrick Award will be presented at the end of Mass.

All First Communion and Confirmation students will be honored and can wear their special clothes. All students should be dressed for church!

Report cards, First Communion Certificates and Attendance Awards will be available at the **Ice Cream Social** in the Social hall after Mass. Each grade will go to special grade-level table to pick up report cards and awards. **Please remind your students now of the time and date ! I will need servers, readers and gift bearers from 6, 7 or 8 grades!**

During this Octave of Easter, we celebrate the glory of the Resurrection with special intensity and Sunday we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday.

