

**The Weekly Newsletter of Mr. Courchane, SJE**  
**January 26, 2024**  
**"Remember that Jesus is the Bread of Life." John 6:35**

Dear Parents:

Next week the 8<sup>th</sup> graders will celebrate their last Catholic Schools Week here at St. John the Evangelist. I hope they take full advantage of the fun activities and the non-uniform days. These are things of which memories are made: movies the gym, buddy activities, losing to the teachers in volleyball. 😊

On Thursday we performed service at Feeding America. We packed up over 3,300 pounds of food, enough for over 2,800 meals! The 8<sup>th</sup> graders worked hard and each one earned 2.5 hours of service time, once they hand their slips in. I went over the service requirement at conferences, and I hope some students start making progress on their requirement.



**Important January Dates**

**January 27 – Open House, mass, and spaghetti dinner.**

**Monday, January 29, Comfy, Cozy non-uniform day.**

**Tuesday, January 30, Role Reversal Day**

**Thursday, February 1, School Spirit or Blue Day.**

**Friday, February 2, No School**

Sincerely,

***Mr. Courchane***

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Homeroom  
Middle School Science and Religion

***The St. John Way: Service, Compassion, Respect, Responsibility, Perseverance***