

**The Weekly Newsletter of Mr. Courchane, SJE**  
**September 8, 2023**  
**"Remember that Jesus is the Bread of Life." John 6:35**

Dear Parents and Students:

We have our first five day next week. Hopefully the students are ready.

We have been easing into the school year in science. Next week we will do a little more review then it is onto the excitement of physical science. This subject involves quite a bit of math and can be challenging. However, the students will be up to the challenge if they take good notes, do the classwork, and ask questions as needed. Which is pretty good advice for every class.

On Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup> grade will have their candlemass, where they acknowledge their role as models for the rest of the student body.

Please keep asking your student to see his or her Friday folder and honor card at least once a week. You can ask me questions on the Friday folder slip, via email at [mcourchane@sje.school](mailto:mcourchane@sje.school), or in person, of course.

**Important August / September Dates**

**September 8 - Out of Uniform, Fun-Run Tailgate Party**

**September 12 - Summer Birthdays Out of Uniform**

**September 13 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Candlemass.**

**September 19 - September Birthdays Out of Uniform**

**September 25 - Picture Retake Day**

**September 26 - St. Matthias Parish School high school information night from 6:30 -7:30 PM for students in grades 6-8**

Sincerely,

***Mr. Courchane***

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Homeroom

Middle School Science and Religion

*"The wide world is all about you: you can fence yourselves in, but you cannot forever fence it out."*

*J. R. R. Tolkien*