



# The Great Week Ahead

Week of Feb. 19 - Feb. 23, 2018

Reenrollment for the 2018 - 2019 School Year is now open. Log onto your ParentWeb to take advantage of the Early Bird Registration Fee!

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### Attendance Report

Feb. 12th - Feb.16th

Attendance Rate: 95.6%

Tardies: 161

2017 - 2018 Attendance Goal: 100%

**Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow!**

## Student Spotlight



This week's spotlight shines on Javier G. in 3rd grade. In Mass, Javier is attentive and caring with his prayer partner from Mrs. Millican's class. Being a prayer partner to a small child can be a challenge at times. He is attentive and kind in his redirection with his prayer partner, and is Christ-like in all he does. It is hard to believe that Javier is only in 3rd grade! Javier is an example that we can all follow at StG. Thank you for showing us how to #beGREAT!



## From the Enrollment Office

Registration for the 2018 - 2019 school year opened Feb. 1st! **You may take advantage of our early bird discounted registration rate now through March 31st for \$250.** For any questions or clarifications on reenrollment, please contact Ms. Rosalinda Ortiz at [rosalinda.ortiz@stgregorys.net](mailto:rosalinda.ortiz@stgregorys.net). As always, we thank you for your continued support!

## Field Day - Volunteer Opportunities

PTC is looking for volunteers for our annual Field Day event. This year Field Day will be on Friday, Feb. 9th. Below is a list of volunteer opportunities:

1. Preparing food & set up of assembly line (we will be serving individual cheese pizzas, a cookie & bottled water)
2. Cooking pizzas
3. Wrapping and/or packaging up the orders at the end of the assembly line
4. Preparing individual classroom orders for delivery
5. Delivering lunches & bottled water to classrooms via wagon or cart
6. Clean up

If you are able to volunteer, please contact our PTC - [ptc@stgregorys.net](mailto:ptc@stgregorys.net).

## Fiesta de la Familia Information

Raffle tickets for our annual Fiesta de la Familia Festival will be sent home Monday, Feb. 19th. Each child will receive 60 tickets. Please check your child's backpack for a white envelope with raffle tickets. Contact the Advancement Office if your child did not receive their tickets. There are plenty of incentives for students who sell their first 60 and more! The cost for each ticket is \$1.00. Our Annual Fiesta de la Familia is being held Sunday, April 22nd at StG.

Save the date for this Official Fiesta event! Visit the Advancement Office to purchase your 2018 Fiesta de la Familia medal.



# Weekly Calendar

Date	Description of Event
<b>Sunday</b> 02/18	
<b>Monday</b> 02/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <b>REGULAR SCHOOL DAY Weather Make-up Day</b></li> <li>◆ Celebrate the Rodeo with a \$2.00 Free Dress</li> <li>◆ Baseball &amp; Softball Tryouts from 3:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.</li> <li>◆ Track &amp; Field Tryouts/Practice begins from 3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday</b> 02/20	
<b>Wednesday</b> 02/21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Liturgy at 8:15 a.m. led by Ms. Floyd's 5th grade class</li> <li>◆ Faculty/Staff Group Picture at 7:30 a.m.</li> <li>◆ Class Pictures - Turn in order forms to homeroom teacher in the morning</li> </ul>
<b>Thursday</b> 02/22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Box Tops Free Dress Day</li> <li>◆ Reconciliation Services 4th - 8:30 a.m. &amp; 7th - 8th - 1:15 p.m.</li> <li>◆ Fiesta de la Familia Ticket Turn in day</li> <li>◆ StG Baseball &amp; Softball Tournament at StG</li> </ul>
<b>Friday</b> 02/23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ PTC Prayer Service 7:30 a.m. - Intention for 7th grade students and teachers</li> <li>◆ Deadline for Field Day t-shirt orders</li> <li>◆ Parish Stations of the Cross led by StG at 7:00 p.m. in the church</li> <li>◆ StG Baseball &amp; Softball Tournament at StG</li> </ul>
<b>Saturday</b> 02/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Campus Beautification - Parent &amp; Student Service Hours Opportunity</li> <li>◆ StG Baseball &amp; Softball Tournament at StG</li> </ul>



Come by the Office of Advancement & Enrollment to purchase your Fiesta de la Familia medal. Don't forget to sell your raffle tickets to receive all the fun incentives!



# Cafeteria Menu



	<i>Monday</i> 02/19	<i>Tuesday</i> 02/20	<i>Wednesday</i> 02/21	<i>Thursday</i> 02/22	<i>Friday</i> 02/23
Breakfast	French Toast or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk	Plain or Chocolate Chip Pancakes or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk	Oatmeal with Toast or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk	Kolache or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk	Biscuit with Jelly or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk
Lunch	Beef Tamales Rice Homemade Beans Chocolate or White Milk	Plain or Cheese Hamburger Lettuce & Tomato French Fries Apple Chocolate or White Milk	Beef Lasagna Bread Stick Side salad w/Ranch Fruit Chocolate or White Milk	Fideo Loco Beans Lettuce & Tomato Fruit Chocolate or White Milk	Fish Nuggets Mashed Potatoes Mixed Veggies Fruit Chocolate or White Milk

***Student Lunch accounts must have a positive balance.***  
*Student will receive a peanut butter & jelly sandwich, fruit and milk until student lunch accounts are in the positive. Thank you for your cooperation.*



**STREAM** Science, Technology, Religion  
Engineering, Art, Mathematics

Last week, the 3rd grade students finished their construction of bridges, tested them and evaluated their designs. It was a learning experience in team cooperativeness, imagination, creativity, and evaluation.

This week, upper unit students in math classes have been building suspension bridges, and drawbridges. The suspension bridges have to be able to hold 50 lbs. of weight and be at least 12 inches long. The drawbridges have to be able to have pulley system as well as a pivot point to lift the bridge up and down. The 6th grade math classes are building NASA stomp rockets and measuring height reached by the rocket using a tracker system.

Upper Unit Social Studies classes are working on their Aztec and Mayan face masks for their STREAM project. They studied the Aztec and Mayan cultures. The students were given the option of creating death masks, celebration masks, or battle masks. They had to research, design, and build their face masks from cardboard as well as paint and decorate them. They also had to study the different designs on the different types of masks.

The Upper Unit Spanish Classes are finishing their STREAM projects of Trajes Tradicionales de los Estados de Mexico, 7th graders are continuing work on the Spanish Food Truck project which has the students researching traditional foods from Latin American countries such as Uruguay. The students have to design their food truck with a menu and prices, it has to have a company logo and the food must be specific for that country. 8th graders are journeying through Latin American countries researching historical and religious landmarks. They are tourists on a journey through Central and South American Countries. They are responsible for creating an itinerary of the journey and the distance traveled from one landmark to another.

Next week, second graders will be coming to the STREAM lab to work on their bug bots and 3rd grade Spanish classes will be building their Casa de Tres Ceditos. They will be building a Three Little Pigs House that can withstand the huffing and puffing of the wolf. ***It's a busy time in the STREAM lab.***

## *Welcome to the Counselor's Corner!*

**Guidance Theme of the Week: Mindfulness!** Our Guidance lessons will focus on strategies to relieve stress and how mindfulness can help us feel better!

**Parent Tips! - When you show them, you teach them!**

Your actions show your children how to handle their feelings and behaviors. When you're feeling angry or frustrated, modeling respectful and patient behavior shows your children the best way to handle tough feelings or situations. Bonus: It helps you feel better to! Helpful Resource: [www.mindful.org](http://www.mindful.org)



# February/March Events

\*Times & dates subject to change

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25	26	27 Reconciliation Services 5th - 6th 1:15pm	28 Liturgy @ 8:15am	<b>Mar 1</b> Fiesta de la Familia Ticket Turn in day  2nd Grade Retreat for Reconciliation  2nd Grade Reconciliation at 7pm  Softball/Baseball @St. Matthew 4:30pm	2 Early Release  Day of Coding at StG	3 Food Truck & STREAM Showcase  Track Meet @ Antonian HS
4	5 Baseball Home Game vs. St. Marys (Fredericksburg) 4:30pm/6:15pm	6 Box Top Turn in Day  Charger Fund Taco Sale	7 Liturgy @ 8:15am NJHS Food Drive  Softball Away Game at Mission Concepcion vs. Providence 4:30pm	8 Fiesta de la Familia Ticket Turn in Day  Track Meet @ San Antonio Christian School	9 3rd Quarter Ends Field Day	10
11 Daylight Savings Time	12	13	14	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day
<b>SPRING BREAK: MARCH 12TH - 16TH</b>						
18	19 St. Patrick's Day \$2 Free Dress (Charger Fund)	20 Baseball/Soft ball Home Game vs. Holy Spirit 4:30pm  School Council Mtg. 6:00pm	21 Liturgy @ 8:15am	22 <b>**BIG GIVE SA**</b>  Box Top Free Dress  Fiesta de la Familia Ticket Turn in Day  Baseball /Softball Away Game vs. St. Pius X 4:30pm	23 PTC Prayer Service for 8th grade 7:30am  Reconciliation for 3rd grade 2:00-3:00pm  Parish Stations of the Cross led by StG Students 7:00pm  AIAL Track District Meet @ Antonian HS	24 PSIA District Competition @ Cross Lutheran School  AIAL Track District Meet @ Antonian HS