



ST. GREGORY THE GREAT
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

STREAM Science • Technology • Religion
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Great Week Ahead

Week of April 8th - April 12th

2018 - 2019 Spiritual Theme:

"The gifts we have we are given to share"

Student of the month for March

The following students were nominated as the Student Disciple of the Month by their teachers for the month of March by demonstrating the Catholic Social Teaching of Caring for God's Creation. God has entrusted us to be caretakers of the created world and to preserve it for those who will come after us. The goods of the earth are gifts from God, and they are intended by God for the benefit of everyone. Thank you for being GREAT caretakers and thank you for showing us how to be GREAT!

Teacher	March
S. Hutzler -PreK 3	Isaac Salazar
J. Vasquez -PreK 4	Lucia Ortiz
M. Dewey -PreK 4	Madison Sanchez
K. Herrera -K	Evan Hernandez
D. Rodriguez -K	Luna Vasquez
M. Millican -1st	Emily Canamar
E. Rivera -1st	Alison Morales
N. Russell-2nd	Michael Rodriguez
J. Mayhan -2nd	Emma Martinez
L. Rodriguez -3rd	Gabriel Contreras
T. Rodriguez-3rd	Aviana Arce-Martinez
D. Allen -4th	Audrie Lopez
V. Perez -4th	Lola Thurow
M. Zertuche -5th	Salvador Romero
J. Floyd -5th	Sebastian Medellin
M. Timmerman -6th	Kris Lujan
G. Garza-6th	Darren Mota
K. Barton -7th	Mary Pamplin
M. Martinez-7th	Maribel Stotler
S. Gimbel-8th	Paloma Lopez
M. Burch -8th	Kayleen Thurow

Mental Health Presentation

****This event is OPEN TO THE PUBLIC****

Please join us Wed. April 10th 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. for a presentation from Clarity - Child Guidance Center in the Parish Hall. A child's physical health is important, but the same should be said for a child's mental health. One in five children & adolescents struggle with mental, emotional, or behavioral challenges. Just as treatment for physical illness or injury is effective, so is treatment for children's mental illness. Learning what the warning signs are, knowing when & how to assess your child & understanding the different types of mental illness & treatment options is key. **We will be providing child care for the presentation. It will count as one family service hour.**

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Charger Spotlight



This week's spotlight shines on Evan P. in 6th grade. Evan was nominated for Student Spotlight by Mrs. Rodriguez in 3rd grade.

Every day Evan walks his brother to class, helping him with his backpack and reminding him to turn in items to his teacher. He is always kind and patient with his brother.

Thank you, Evan for showing us how to #beGREAT!



Join us April 8-12, 2019 for five fun-filled, themed days to celebrate of our youngest learners! The Week of the Young Child™ is an annual celebration hosted by NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children) to spotlight early learning, young children, their teachers, families, and communities.

Weekly Calendar

Date	
Sunday 04/07	<i>Happy Sunday!</i>
Monday 04/08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♥ Field Day T-shirt designs due to the Advancement Office ♥ Baseball/Softball StG vs. MSH 4:30 p.m. @ StG
Tuesday 04/09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♥ School Council meeting at 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 04/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♥ Liturgy @ 8:15am led by Mrs. Millican & Mrs. Rivera's 1st grade classes (Upper Unit bring in items for Food Drive - tuna, small tomato sauce, vermicelli) ♥ Mental Health Presentation at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Childcare will be provided for the presentation
Thursday 04/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♥ Box Tops Free Dress ♥ (Baseball Only) StG vs. St. Anthony 4:30 p.m. @ St. Anthony
Friday 04/12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♥ PURPLE UP DAY for Military Children!! ♥ Morning Taco Sale Charger Fund - \$1.50 ♥ Applications for the Fiesta de la Familia Cake Contest due ♥ Students may come in a purple or camo t-shirt and jeans in honor of Military kids ♥ Fiesta Pep Rally 2:30 p.m. in the gym
Saturday 04/13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♥ Mindstorm Robotics tournament at UTSA

Fiesta de la Familia Updates



ST. GREGORY THE GREAT
FIESTA DE LA FAMILIA
 OFFICIAL FIESTA EVENT

April 14, 2019
 11am-8pm

LIVE AND SILENT AUCTION • FAMILY FRIENDLY • FREE ADMISSION

There is still time to turn in your AUCTION ITEMS for the Fiesta de la Familia Festival.



Each homeroom classroom was assigned a booth to be in charge of during the festival. Please make sure to visit the Sign Up Genius to sign up to help in your child's homeroom booth.

Thank you for your support

<https://www.signupgenius.com/tabs/1357fd805a1ceecc71-fiesta>

REQUEST FOR DONATIONS

Pk3 - 1st grade:

1 cantaloupe & a quart of strawberries

1st grade - 8th grade :

(2) 8" potted plants

All classrooms are required to send in 3 home made cakes for sweet shop (3 cakes per class)

PALETA & FDD WILL BE AWARDED ON APRIL 18TH to all students who bring in requested donated items.

Bonus Incentive

**Next Ticket Turn in Day is:
 Wed, April 10th:**

For every 5 tickets turned in, your name will be put in a drawing for you and an StG friend to win a chance for a half day off campus at the movies with two administrators .

5 tickets = 1 chance, 10 tickets = 2 chances, 20 tickets = 3 chances, 100 tickets = 20 chances, etc.

The movies will be during the week of April 15th.

Highest Ticket Sellers

*As of Wednesday, April 3rd turn in day.

Top 3 Selling Classes

1. 3rd grade - Ms. T. Rodriguez
2. 4th grade - Mrs. Russell
3. PK4 - Mrs. Vasquez

Top 3 Selling Students

Addison Shafer	\$967
JJ Montanio	\$631
Marco Brill	\$555

Every week the top three sellers will receive \$5 Fiesta Bucks to use at the Fiesta de la Familia Festival.

We're Searching for Volunteers



Breakfast & Lunch Menu



	Monday 04/08	Tuesday 04/09	Wednesday 04/10	Thursday 04/11	Friday 04/12
Breakfast	Biscuit Sausage w/ Jelly or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk	Plain or Chocolate Chip Pancakes or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk	Toaster Strudel or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk	Oatmeal w/Toast or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk	French Toast or Cold Cereal Orange or Apple Juice Milk
Lunch	Chile con Carne Corn Bread Green Beans Fruit Milk	Plain or Cheese Hamburger Seasoned Fries Lettuce/Pickles Milk	Hot Dogs w/Chile Mac & Cheese Fruit Milk	Fideo Loco Homemade Beans Fruit Milk	Cheese Pizza Corn Fruit Milk



Field Day T-shirt Design Contest

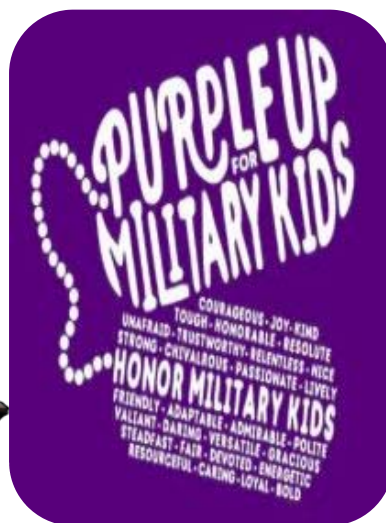
On Field Day, students will work and play with their multi-grade level team wearing the same color team t-shirt. Every year, students are asked to submit a design for this shirt that will be worn by our entire school community on Field Day. Students will vote for the winning design during lunch on April 9th.

Below are the guidelines for your submission:

- ♥ Entry must be on white construction paper (9" X 12") in black marker or black pen.
- ♥ Must include the following text: St. Gregory the Great, Field Day, and May 3, 2019.
- ♥ All entries must be original artwork with no graffiti-type lettering, licensed characters or public figures.
- ♥ Put your name and homeroom on the back.
- ♥ Submit all entries to the Development Office by Monday, April 8, 2019.

THE PASSION OF CHRIST
SPONSORED BY THE
ACTS COMMUNITY OF
ST. GREGORY'S WILL BE
FRIDAY, APRIL 19th.

The live Stations of the Cross will begin immediately after the Last 7 Words Service. Please gather outside the church and we will proceed to the baseball field for the service. Please join us.



Did you know that April is the Month of the Military Child?

April 12th is Purple Up Day!
Students may come in a purple shirt with jeans.

April 12th has been officially declared Purple Up for Military Kids Day for the State of Texas!
Let's turn Catholic schools PURPLE to celebrate our youngest heroes!
#milkids #PurpleUpTexas



April & May Events

**Dates/Times subject to change*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
14 Fiesta de la Familia Festival 11am - 8pm 	15 No School - Festival Clean Up Day	16 Softball Only StG vs. Providence 4:30pm @ Mission Sports Complex	17 Liturgy @ 8:15am	18 Noon Dismissal Holy Thursday Living Stations of the Cross presented by 8th grade 9am & 11am No After school Care	19 No School Good Friday	20
21 Easter Sunday 	22 No School - Easter Monday Earth Day	23 \$2 Fiesta Free Dress Day Fiesta Pictures for \$5.00 Baseball/Softball StG vs. Holy Cross at StG	24 Liturgy at 8:15 a.m. Heritage Day Luncheon	25 Geek Bus Visit 8am-12pm Early Childhood Fiesta Parade 2:15pm	26 No School Battle of Flowers	27 S.A. Family Association Easter egg hunt 10am - 12pm
28	29	30 Opera Presentation at 8:30am	1 Liturgy at 8:14 a.m.	2	3 Field Day	4 Casino Night 7 - 11 
5	6	7 National Teacher Appreciation Day NJHS Induction Ceremony	8 Liturgy @ 8:15am 8th Grade Retreat PTC Meeting/Literacy Night 6:30 p.m.	9 Box Tops Free Dress Day	10 Muffins with Mom at 7:30 am Annual Golf Tournament	11
12 Charger Bake Sale	13 Library Spring Book Fair 5th grade Fish Camp	14 Library Spring Book Fair School Council Mtg 6pm	15 Library Spring Book Fair Liturgy at 8:15am	16 Library Spring Book Fair	17 Library Spring Book Fair Donuts for Dad at 7:30am All Library Books due	18