

GREAT WEEK AHEAD



Week 21

January 18, 2026

Building Community Through Service & BBQ

Get ready, Chargers! 🌞 Thank you for the incredible support of our BBQ Plate Sale—the competition is officially heating up! We hope to see our school families at the Catholic Schools Week Mass on Sunday, January 25 at 10:00 AM, followed by the BBQ plate sale in the Parish Hall immediately after Mass.

Students are encouraged (but not required) to wear their school uniforms to Mass and show their Charger pride!

★ THE BBQ BATTLE IS ON! ★

Classes can sell BBQ tickets after all Masses this weekend, and we still have volunteer spots to fill. Be sure to check out the sign-up link on the following page. Volunteers may sell their own tickets and request additional tickets as needed—so don't hold back!

🏆 BIG PRIZE ALERT: The class that sells the MOST BBQ plates wins a FREE FIELD TRIP (no cost to parents!).

👀 Kinder is currently in the lead... but will they hold the crown, or will another class rise up and take the title? Sell hard, cheer loud, and let's see who brings home the win! 🌞



Reminder:

Catholic Life Raffle Tickets are due January 23rd. Parents have the opportunity to sell tickets after masses next weekend. See the sign up below.

BBQ Tickets due by Wednesday January 21st. Students who sell all 5 BBQ Plate tickets by Monday, January 20th will earn a FDD pass. Students will earn additional FDD passes for every 5 tickets sold!



Preorder by Tuesday!



“I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you completely with joy and peace because you trust in him.” Romans 15:13



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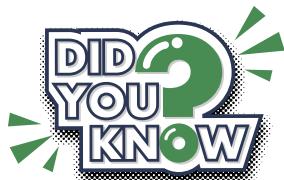


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Plan Your Week

In order to help plan your child's week, we have included our uniform schedule for the week.

Day of the Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dress Code	MLK Day	Regular Uniform	Regular Uniform	Regular Uniform	Mass Uniform
Schedule	No School	Regular	Regular	Regular	Mass
Mark your Calendar	No School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NJHS Snack Sale 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2nd Quarter Awards Assembly at 8:15 am in the Parish Hall BBQ Ticket money due NJHS Snack Sale 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100 Days of School- Students can dress as a 100 year old/ 100 day shirt w/jeans 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mass led by 1st Grade at 8:15am 1st Grade Retreat Catholic Life Tickets Due



Did you know our Event calendar is posted on our website for the entire year? Plan ahead and visit our website homepage for a list of events for the entire school year!

2nd Quarter Award Ceremony

Join us Wednesday, January 21st at 8:15 am to celebrate our students 2nd Quarter achievements.



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DON'T FORGET!

**'26-'27 RE-ENROLLMENT
IMPORTANT REMINDER**

**YOUR FACTS ACCOUNT WILL BE CHARGED \$83.33
ON JAN 31ST FOR RE-ENROLLMENT.**

*Charge is per student and non-refundable

2nd auto draft on Feb. 27th

3rd auto draft on March 31st



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Crave-It Lunch Pre-Order

Register for a Crave It Lunch Account. Crave-it is our school lunch caterer.

Academic Calendar

Our School Calendar is posted for the entire year on our school website and is updated regularly.

FACTS Demographic Updates

Need to make a change to your FACTS pick up list, address or phone number change? Click the icon and our school office will make the changes for you.

St. Gregory Catholic Church



Father Richard warmly invites your family to celebrate Sunday Mass with us! Join us Saturdays at 5:30 pm or Sundays at 8:00 am, 10:00 am, or 12:00 pm (Spanish). We'd love to see you there as we come together in faith and community!



WE'RE
LOOKING FOR
TALENT

STG RISING STARS TALENT SHOW

JAN 30TH @ 9:15AM | Musicians, singers, dancers, actors, comedians, magicians, etc.

SHARE YOUR AWESOME TALENTS! IT'S YOUR TIME TO SHINE!

AUDITIONS

Tuesday, Jan 20th @ 3:30 pm
in the Advancement Office

[Click here to sign up](#)

All students must submit a registration form
prior to auditions.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Looking to complete your family service hours? We have volunteer opportunities waiting for you! Click the links below to sign up and get involved.

- [Sell Tickets after Mass](#)
- [CSW BBQ Volunteers Needed](#)
- [CSW Duty-Free Teacher Lunch Volunteer](#)
- [Spirit Lunch Runner](#)
- [Kona Ice Day Volunteer](#)
- [Monthly Community Mass Sign Up](#)

Donations are needed for our Catholic Schools Week BBQ Kickoff. Please click the link below to view the list of needed items. Thank you for your continued support!

[DONATE](#)



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let's all get fired up

IT'S BBQ TIME!

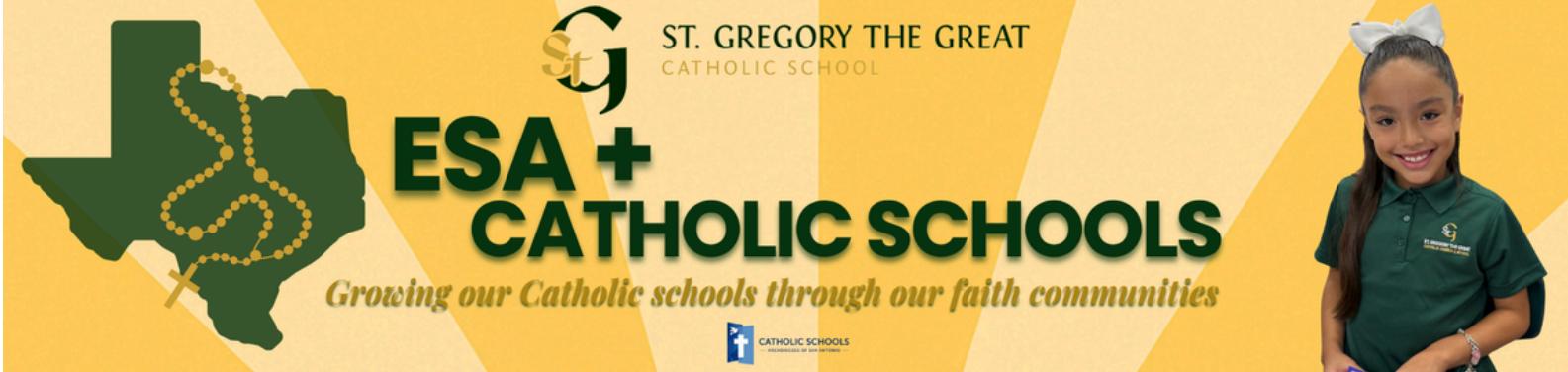
Annual BBQ Plate Sale
Sunday, January 25, 2026
11:00 am - 1:00 p.m.

Help us kick off Catholic Schools Week and support St. Gregory the Great Catholic School!

\$12
Includes
Chicken, Sausage,
Rice and Beans

TICKETS ON SALE NOW
SEE ANY STG STUDENT OR STOP BY
THE FRONT OFFICE.
210-342-0281

709 Beryl Drive San Antonio, TX 78213



**Save the Date:
February 4, 2026 Applications Open**

**TEFA (Education Savings Account) Application Workshop
February 5, 2026 at 5pm in the Parish Hall**

Learn more: archsa.org/catholic-schools/esa

2026/2027 Grant & Aid Application

The FACTS Grant & Aid application opens December 1, 2025, for the 2026/2027 school year. Hope for the Future and St. Gregory utilize this application for awarding financial assistance to families. We encourage all families to apply; there is a \$45.00 application fee. The Grant & Aid application will open December 1, 2025, and will close on June 30, 2026. We will provide additional information as it becomes available.

Hope for the Future Tuition Assistance Program

The Hope for the Future (HFF) Tuition Assistance Program is designed for families and students currently enrolled or applying for the next school year in any Catholic school, grades K-12, in the Archdiocese of San Antonio. A family must apply each year through the FACTS Grant and Aid Application to qualify for financial assistance. Each year, awards are offered to Kinder-12th grade students based on available funding. These awards are given to offset current tuition costs for families. Awards are determined based on a number of factors including, but not limited to, family income, expenses, and family size. All students attending Kinder-12th grade in a Catholic school within the Archdiocese of San Antonio are eligible to apply.

**Know a Family looking for a School?
Invite them to tour our school!**



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PRAYER SERVICE

We invite all community leaders, Police, Fire, and First Responders, Military to a prayer service in our church for a special blessing.

[RSVP HERE](#)

Wednesday, January 28th
2:45 p.m.



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REGISTER NOW



GARDEN CLUB



**Next Class
Jan 21st**

Club Sponsor: Ms. Samantha Tavitas

Cost: \$35 a month

Grades: 1st- 8th grade

Club begins: Wednesday, November 12th

Meet once a month from 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Lessons:

- 1. Introduction/ what are different gardening tools? Different shovels/ rakes/ dirt or soil for plants. (Nov. 12)**
- 2. Different plants, flowers, veggies, herbs. All plants are important. (Dec. 10)**
- 3. Bugs?!? But they help! Ladybugs, butterflies or caterpillars. All have a place where they belong in the garden! Don't kill feed them. They will feed us. (Jan. 15)**
- 4. There's no such thing as weeds, all plants are beautiful. People are allowed to have their own opinions. Intro to wildflowers. (Feb. 11)**
- 5. Native wildflower, native plants. What native means to plants. (Mar. 11)**

Hello Parents,

My name is Tia Sam. I've been a part of the wonderful StG family for a little over 11 years, supporting behind the scenes. I have a nephew that is an alumnus and a nephew currently attending, so this community is very special to me.

I am excited to welcome students from all grade levels to join the Garden Club. Whether they are ready to start right away or prefer to join later in the year, the garden is always open and waiting for them.

There will be a small monthly fee of \$35 to help cover supplies for all students. This allows each child to plant, learn, and leave something lasting on campus for the future. At the end of the year, each child will also take home their own garden shovel as a keepsake.

As the seasons change, our meeting schedule will adjust. We may begin meeting once a month and increase to twice a month when the weather allows. All members of the Garden Club will be gathering in the courtyard immediately following dismissal, club will end by 4:45 pm the latest.

If your child is interested, please encourage them to join. Planting even the smallest seed can grow into something truly beautiful.

Thank you,
Tia Sam

Kids After School Art Classes at St. Gregory

Kids will meet once a week after school for 8 weeks of creative fun!!!

TUITION: \$150.00

INCLUDES ALL SUPPLIES!

MONTLY PAYMENT OPTION AVAILABLE.

CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT
210-445-7558 FOR DETAILS

REGISTRATION

- ONLINE AT
WWW.MYARTSTARZ.COM
- BY PHONE AT 210-445-7558

This fine arts course offers students the chance to develop new skills and explore their creativity through guided lessons. Students will work with a variety of art materials, including watercolors, acrylics, chalk pastels, colored pencils, clay, collages, and more. Along the way, they'll build confidence, make creative choices, share ideas, and most importantly—have fun! It's the perfect place for artists to begin and grow on their creative journey.

TUESDAYS
Feb. 3 - March 31
(no class 3/10)

3:45 - 4:45

Ages 6 & up

For additional information or
questions, please visit
www.myartstarz.com or call
210 -445-7558



ST. GREGORY THE GREAT CATHOLIC SCHOOL

January 25- 30th

SUNDAY

Celebrate our Parish

- School & Parish Community Mass @ 10 am Students are encouraged to wear their school uniform to mass.
- BBQ Kick Off to CSW in the Parish Hall from 11am - 1 pm

MONDAY

Celebrate our Community

- Family Picnic 11:30 - 12:30 pm (all grade levels)
- Parents/families are invited to join students for lunch. Outside food is allowed. Gym, cafeteria, and outside space open for families.
- School Preview Day for Prospective Families.

TUESDAY

Celebrate our Students

- Our Teachers have a full day of activities planned for the students.
- Prayer Partner Activity.
- High School Readiness Assembly @ 2:30 pm (6th-8th grade)
- Student Free Dress Day

WEDNESDAY

Celebrate our Nation

- Prayer Service @ 2:45 pm in the Church, honoring Community Leaders, 1st Responders, doctors, & nurses.

THURSDAY

Celebrate Vocations

- A.M. Vocation Presentation- Middle School
- Career Day- Parents are invited into your child's classroom to share your Career with students. Homeroom Teachers will share a sign up sheet for each homeroom.

FRIDAY

Celebrate our Faculty & Staff

- Mass at 8:15 am
- Talent Show 9:15 am
- Faculty and Staff lunch provided by PTC
- Parents volunteers for classroom coverage 12:00 - 1:00 pm.
- 8th Grade vs. Faculty & Staff Volleyball Game 2:00 pm
- Spirit Dress Day (Jeans are okay)

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