

GREAT WEEK AHEAD



Week 38

May 24, 2026

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Summer READING

DON'T FORGET TO DO YOUR SUMMER READING PROJECTS!

CLICK HERE FOR SUMMER READING LIST

MIDDLE SCHOOL



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



Dear St. Gregory Family,

As we approach the final days of this school year, I want to take a moment to celebrate the incredible growth and achievements of our students. What an amazing year it has been!

Congratulations to our 8th graders

The mass on Saturday was a beautiful celebration to honor our nine graduates. We are all so proud of them and that the world will be a better place because of them. Good luck and always remember, once a Charger, always a Charger.

Welcoming Our New Principal

I am thrilled to announce that **Christina Rather will join our St. Gregory family as our new principal in June**. Christina brings wonderful energy, vision, and dedication to Catholic education.

Summer Learning & Growth

As we head into summer break, I encourage you to help your child maintain the academic progress they've made this year. Here are some important reminders:

Summer Reading - Summer reading projects will be sent home soon - It is imperative that your child continues to read and grow academically - Encourage your child to read to you or silently each day, this is the single best way to prevent summer learning loss

Track Your Child's Progress - Look for an email from Mrs. Rosales with NWEA MAP Test data . This will show you exactly how well your child performed this year . It's a wonderful tool to celebrate their achievements!

Writing & Literacy - Encourage your child to write as much as possible over the summer. Keep a journal, write letters to family members, or create stories . Writing strengthens reading skills and keeps minds sharp

Screen Time Balance - I know children love watching TV and spending time on devices, and that's okay in moderation, but please build in dedicated time for reading and writing each day. Your intentional modeling of this balance will shape their habits

Spiritual Growth - Continue to take your child to Mass regularly and encourage your child to lead your family in prayer before meals . Ask them to pray before bed each night - **As parents, you are your child's first teacher.** When we model faith, service, and prayer, our children will follow.

A Special Community

As I transition back to my role with the Department of Catholic Schools, I want you to know that your children are in absolutely wonderful hands. The teachers and staff at St. Gregory the Great are caring, dedicated professionals who truly love what they do. This is a special place, and I am grateful to have been part of this community.

I will visit your children next year, and I look forward to seeing how they continue to grow and flourish.

Thank you for a remarkable year. God Bless your family this summer.

“For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.” — Jeremiah 29:11

With gratitude and blessings,

Todd Bloomer
Substitute Principal
St. Gregory the Great

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL JUNE 1 – 5, 2026

“Called to be Saints”



REGISTER NOW, \$15 PER CHILD
with Gloria Silva in church office 11:30am
to 6:00pm Monday–Thursday 210-342-3826
VBS starts at 8:00am in the church to 12:00pm



Plan Your Week- **WEEK A**

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	No School	Spurs Shirt or Spirit Shirt w/Uniform Bottoms or Regular Uniform	Regular Uniform	Mass Uniform	No School
Schedule		Regular	Regular	Mass	Hello Summer!
Mark your Calendar	No School	6-7th grade Finals Living Rosary led by StuCo 2:45 pm	6-7th grade Finals	Last Day of School! Early Dismissal No After School Care Kinder Graduation Class Parties	Teacher Work Day Report Cards sent electronically



FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL AUGUST 17TH

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!



TENNIS CAMP



**SESSION 1
JUNE 15-18**

8 AM TO 10 AM

**SESSION 2
JULY 6-9**

8 AM TO 10 AM

OPEN TO BOYS & GIRLS
GRADES 5TH-8TH

**WOODLAWN PARK
TENNIS COURTS**

1103 CINCINNATI AVE, SAN
ANTONIO, TX 78201

**COST: \$100 PER
SESSION**

MORE INFORMATION

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VOLLEYBALL CAMP

JUNE 15-18

12:00PM - 2:00PM

GRADES 1ST - 4TH

JULY 6-9

12:00PM - 2:00PM

GRADES 5TH - 8TH

COST : \$100.00



Contact: Aurelia Mermella 210-617-0918



🌟 EXPLORE. DISCOVER. LEARN. GROW! 🌟

Early Childhood Exploration and Discovery Camp

Give your child a summer full of **FUN** and **LEARNING!**

Our Early Childhood Exploration and Discovery Camp offers age-appropriate lessons designed to spark curiosity and joy. Throughout the summer, we'll explore exciting themes while building essential skills your child needs to thrive.

What We'll Focus On:

- 🧠 **Fine & Gross Motor Skills** — Creative activities and active play
- 📖 **Letters & Numbers** — Head start learning at your child's level
- 👥 **Social Skills** — Teamwork, friendship, and communication
- 🌈 **Themes & Interests** — Your child's curiosity guides our adventures!
- 📚 **Small Group Learning** — Instruction tailored to each child's needs

Who Should Attend:

Children ages 3+ entering PreK-3, Pre-K4, or Kindergarten

When:

- June 1–July 24
**(No camp July 2–3)*

Where:

Ms. Moreno's ECH Classroom, Room E-3

Time:

8:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Cost:

- \$225 per week OR \$50 per day
- One-time \$25 supplies fee (required at registration)



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PLAY F.A.S.T. BASKETBALL

YOUTH CAMPS

HOSTED BY BUBBA MEYER & STAFF
AT ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY

BOYS & GIRLS AGES 6-14

DATES:

JUNE 29TH-JULY 2ND
JULY 6TH-9TH
JULY 13TH-16TH
JULY 20TH-23RD
JULY 27TH-30TH



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SUMMER CAMPS

REGISTER TODAY



If you have any questions or need to make changes to your FACTS financial account, please feel free to contact Mrs. Hope Rodriguez.



What if I missed early verification for HFF?

You can still apply. Early verification ended January 31, but regular verification is now open.

Schools will continue walking with families through the process.

Apply today! [Facts.mgt.com/aid](https://facts.mgt.com/aid)



St. Gregory the Great 8th Grade Class

is hosting a Donation Drive
Fundraiser to raise money for
St. Gregory the Great Catholic School

Please support our donation drive fundraiser by
bringing gently used items to donate to our event on

Now- May 30th

In partnership with



All donated items can
be dropped off in
Room D4

Donated items will be given to Goodwill San Antonio in support of their mission of Helping to Change Lives Through the Power of Work.

Acceptable donations:

Clothing, shoes, accessories, books, knick knacks, CDs, DVDs, records, videos, household items, and electronics.

For a complete list of acceptable and unacceptable donations, or for more information about the Donation Drive fundraiser, please visit www.goodwillsa.org/partnersforgood