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February Newsletter- Superintendent

Catholic Schools Week starts Sunday, January 29, with messages at each of the parishes about the Central Catholic School. The week will have a special theme for each day and will tie into the message of Catholic School's week. Monday will be a Day of Prayer for the faculty with an off campus retreat. Tuesday, January 31, is our Information Day Open House that runs from 8:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. for interested students and their parents. Guests will hear current students, faculty, administration and parents talk about the benefits of a Catholic education. They will also tour the building and have a chance to ask questions. Student guest will receive a Central Catholic t-shirt for attending and will have an ice cream treat before leaving. Please invite any interested neighbors, family or friends to attend this Open House Day. Any parents unable to attend during the day are invited to attend a session that evening, January 31, at 7:00 p.m. in the library/media center. Wednesday, February 1, will be an All School Mass celebrated by Bishop Dendinger. Mass will begin at 8:15 a.m. and guests are invited. A short reception will follow for all guests hosted by the Development Foundation. Thursday, February 2, will be Teacher Appreciation Day and will include a catered lunch and a small gift of appreciation for all faculty members. Friday, February 3, will be Student Appreciation Day with cookie treats for all students during their lunch break. Please help us celebrate Catholic Schools Week by inviting a family to find out the many benefits of a Central Catholic education.

I would also like to update all families about the great work of the Counselor's Advisory Group. This group was established last fall to help address the important issue of student bullying and how we as a Catholic school deal with this issue. The group includes four parents, a middle school teacher, school counselor, three students and administration representative. The group has meet on three different occasions and has identified national programs dealing with the issue of student bullying. A presentation was made to the School Board at the January board meeting concerning one program and the group was asked to look into more detail concerning this program and the cost of implementation. The Advisory Group has done some great work and we continue to look for the best program to work at Central Catholic School. We hope to have some consensus on a program by mid-February and look to adopt a program shortly thereafter. The issue of student bullying is a national issue which affects all students and we continue to ask for parental support when we address this with students and faculty. Please know that we need your help at home and want your help when it affects someone you know. Again many thanks to the parents, students and faculty who are working together on the bullying program.

Educationally yours,

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