

St. Thomas School

School Board Minutes

December 3, 2025

6:00pm – St. Thomas Library

- I. Opening Prayer- Mrs. Bierman
- II. Call to Order
 - a. Board Members present: Nikki Bierman, Marissa Bower, Jeffrey Finley, Jordan Roberts, Sharon Schackmann, Leah Weber. Board Members absent: Leah Bolander, Karli Burley, Matt Creadore.
- III. Recognition of Visitors
 - a. No visitors present.
- IV. Additions to the Agenda
 - a. Kindergarten Teacher Opening
- V. Approval of November minutes
 - a. Approved by Nikki Bierman, seconded by Marissa Bower.
- VI. Old Business
 - a. Wreath Fundraiser
 - a. This is a Booster Club Fundraiser. The total cost made is not yet known, but it looks like about the same amount as last year were sold this year.
- VII. New Business
 - a. Christmas Concert
 - a. The Christmas Concert will be December 10th at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center.
 - b. Basketball/Volleyball Update
 - a. Volleyball has had their parent meeting and will start on Monday the 8th.
 - b. Basketball is going well. The team and coach were recently complimented by referees for their good sportsmanship.
 - c. If Jess Swick misses any games due to the birth of her baby, other parents will temporarily take her place.
 - c. Holiday Schedule
 - a. There will be dress up days the last week of school. Monday: PJs, Tuesday: Christmas Shirt or Ugly Sweater, Wednesday: Christmas Hat/Headband, Thursday: Flannel Shirts, Friday: Christmas Socks
 - d. ACRE Testing

- a. This will be done in the Spring for 5th and 8th grades.
- e. Catholic Schools Week
 - a. CSW takes place at the end of January/beginning of February. Mass this year will take place on a Thursday at St. Anthony due to the Bishop's schedule.
- f. Kindergarten Teacher Opening
 - a. The school is still accepting applications until December 10th.
- VIII. Father Tomy's Report
 - a. Father reports he enjoys celebrating mass on Wednesdays and Fridays with the kids.
- IX. Finance Report
 - a. The school is seeking bids for the demolition of the Pizza Man building.
- X. Positive Points
 - a. Overall the students have been staying healthy.
 - b. Mrs. Bierman will be featured in the upcoming issue of Catholic Times!
- XI. Closing Prayer- Father Tomy

Respectfully submitted by Sharon Schackmann, School Board Secretary