

# St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School



**May 11, 2026**

## **THE NOTE!**

What a beautiful day! I talked to the kids this morning about Father Tomy's homily and the paraclete. We are all going to try to be a paraclete for someone else this week, listen to the Holy Spirit more than our internal talk and honor those we love with words, not just gifts.

Thanks to all who helped St. Thomas host the track Sectional on Saturday. It was a great success thanks to all those who pitched in and to our amazing coaches and athletes. It was a proud day! Congratulations to our state qualifiers:

Lindsey Spiker: Hurdles and High Jump

Levi Gier: High Jump and Shot Put

Jack Weber: Shot Put

Kinsley Kerner: Pole Vault

Audrey Earnest: Shot Put and Discus

7<sup>th</sup> Grade 4x100: Jack Weber, Drayden Ochs, Brady Francis, Hank Weber (alternate: Jase Cochran)

7<sup>th</sup> grade 4x200: Daniel Uebinger, Logan Vogt, Kelby Iffert, Jace Bergbower (alternate: Jase Cochran)



The teachers, staff and I would like to thank all who helped make last week great! We are blessed to have such amazing families to work with each day. We all felt truly appreciated!



## **SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK:**

Monday: Track practice for state qualifiers

Tuesday: Meyer Twins Art 'til 5:00

Wednesday: **All-School Graduation Mass** (6<sup>th</sup> in charge), Graduation practice will follow, Spring Concert 6:00

Thursday: 8<sup>th</sup> grade trip – leaving from St. Thomas at 7:00 (students arrive by 6:45), Kindergarten walking field trip with lunch provided

Friday: **3-4 Class Mass** (4<sup>th</sup> in charge), State Track Meet

Saturday: Yearbook 9-11 a.m., Happy Birthday, Father Paul, State Track Meet, Mass @ St. Thomas 4:30, NCHS Graduation 7:00

Sunday: Masses at St. Thomas 7:00/10:00, Mass @ St. Mary's 8:30, Graduation following 10:00 Mass (11:00ish)

Monday: Sports Awards (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders) 6:00

**ATTACHED/IN PACKET:** School Board minutes, Free Summer Lunch flyer, Soccer sign-up, Summer Library Program info., End of year statements (don't include tuition and only if you owe school fees)

\*Please make plans to **pick up your trashbag orders**. Anytime from 7:15 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. or something we arrange otherwise. Thanks for selling/buying!

\*The **Spring Concert** is this Wednesday for all students K-8. Please have your kids here by 5:45 p.m. Concert begins at 6:00 p.m.

\*Just a reminder that our **8<sup>th</sup> graders** last school day will be Friday, with graduation following the 10:00 mass on Sunday. We would like all 8<sup>th</sup> graders to attend mass at 10:00, and then they will put on their caps and gowns to begin their graduation ceremony.

\*Our 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be wearing their **caps and gowns on Wednesday** for their last All-School Mass. The kids and all in attendance will have the opportunity to congratulate them following mass if they wish in a receiving line. We will have graduation practice and some pictures after that.

\*We will be looking for someone to fill Jeffrey Finley's seat on our **school board**. Let me know if you are interested. Thanks to Jeffrey for the past 3 years!!

\*We are still working on finishing up a lot of things. Please encourage your kids to **keep working hard**. We have some who are giving up as the weather warms up and baseball/softball begins. We need to finish what we've started!

## Upcoming dates:

Wednesday, May 13 – Spring Concert 6:00

Friday/Saturday, May 15/16 – State Track

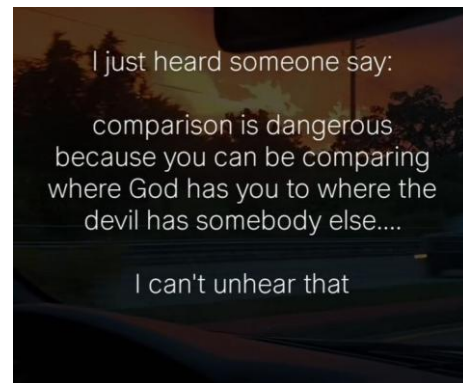
Sunday, May 17 – Graduation 11:00

Monday, May 18 – Sports Awards for (5-8) 6:00

Wednesday, May 20 – Final Mass of the year, AR Pizza Party for those who got points ALL year long, Kindergarten graduation 2:15

Thursday, May 21 – Survivor Day/Kindergarten's Last Day (Bring lunch)

Friday, May 22 – Last Day – Park/Play Day (Bring lunch)



Working on these myself!!