

# Principal Newsletter

## for February

Dear St. Mary's School Families,

As we move through February, we enter a meaningful season in our Church year. Lent begins this month, inviting us to slow down, reflect, and grow closer to God through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. During this time, our students will participate in age-appropriate activities and prayer opportunities that help them understand the importance of repentance, service, and love for others.

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent and reminds us that we are called to turn our hearts back to God. We look forward to gathering as a school community in prayer as we begin this sacred season together.

### Important February Dates

- **Friday, February 13 – Noon Dismissal**
- **Monday, February 16 – No School**
- **Tuesday, February 17 – No Mass; Prayer Service will be held**
- **Wednesday, February 18 – Ash Wednesday**
- **Friday, February 20 – Stations of the Cross at the Church**

Please mark your calendars and watch for additional details as these dates approach. Thank you for your continued support of our school and for partnering with us in the faith formation and education of your children. February is a beautiful time to reflect, renew, and prepare our hearts for Easter.

Blessings,

**Lori Wissel Principal**

