

# HOME OF THE CRUSADERS



Saint John of the Cross  
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## Catholic Schools "Light the Way"

End of the school year

Unity

*I dreamed I stood in a studio  
And watched two sculptors there,  
The clay they used was a young child's mind  
And they fashioned it with care.*

*One was a teacher:  
the tools she used were books and music and art;  
One was a parent  
With a guiding hand and gentle loving heart.*

*And when at last their work was done,  
They were proud of what they had wrought.  
For the things they had worked into the child  
Could never be sold or bought!*

*And each agreed she would have failed  
if she had worked alone.  
For behind the parent stood the school,  
and behind the teacher stood the home!*

By Cleo V. Swarat

What makes a Dad? God took the strength of a mountain, the majesty of a tree, a quiet sea, wisdom of the ages ... The faith of a mustard seed, the depth of a family need ... Then God combined these qualities and He knew His masterpiece was complete! God made one for each one of us !!!  
HAPPY FATHER'S MONTH TO ALL DADS ... on earth and in heaven ... the ones that are close and far!

## This Week's Sports

Crusaders Soccer Team CHAMPIONS at the SAINTS SOCCER TOURNAMENT. GO CRUSADERS!


**POWDER PUFF** 7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup> Grade game / Thursday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at 2 PM

**Pep Rally** Thursday, June 12 at 8 AM

**Chess Tournament Champions:**  
Francisco Palacio & Jose Luis Garcia



## UPCOMING EVENTS

 Middle School Academic Awards - Thursday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at Noon in the church

 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL 2007-2008 - Friday, June 13 NOON DISMISSAL / NO AFTER SCHOOL EXTENDED DAY CARE

## This Week's Highlights

### Friday

June 6 – 9 AM Mass/ 8<sup>th</sup> gr. Graduation 3 PM Church

### Sunday

June 8 – Jr. Choir – 10:00 A.M.

### Wednesday

June 11 – Preschool Program at 6 PM – Hall

### Thursday

June 12 – Kindergarten Diplomas at 10 AM-Church. Refreshments at Church Hall following ceremony.

### Friday

June 13 – 9 AM Mass / Principals' Awards & Student Council Installation Ceremony – 12 noon dismissal

2008-2009

**FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL AUGUST 25<sup>TH</sup> 8am sharp!**  
(Formal Uniform-noon dismissal)

### *News from our Graduates at Mater Dei High School*

*NHS Stole* - Brianna Baca

*Academic Honors:* English & Computer Graphics: Cody Brown; First Honors: Ramon Ros, Jr. Academic Excellence: Ariel Cabrera; Diego Galan; Korina Garcia; Theooore Matula. Bishop Chavez Award: Marimar Gomez ASB Award: Brianna Baca; Marisol Ros Ambassador for Christ Corps: Riana Baca and Marisol Ros. Algebra I & Science: Korina Garcia; History & S. Science: Marisol Ros; Christian Call: Brianna Baca John Paul II Award: Marisol Ros

## Finances:

In order for students to receive their yearbooks & report cards, all financial obligations must be cleared. This includes the 'chocolate sale', lost or damage books, service hours not fulfilled, etc.