



JUBILEE 2025

PILGRIMS OF HOPE



Sacred Heart Spartans' Scoop

*Happy December, Families!*

The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. John 1:5

As we embark on this season of Advent, I want to share a podcast that I was invited to be on. Last year, Mrs. Perez & I had the opportunity to visit the Apple campus. From that networking event came an invitation for me to be on a podcast to discuss my role as our school leader.

I had the chance to listen to it last night and want to share it with you. I hope that you find time to listen to it and know that your family is part of such a great school community where legacies are built. It is never lost on me how blessed I am to be apart of this school and community.

You can listen [here](#).

Blessings for a joyous Advent season!



From the Office

Effective 12/1:  
We will no longer offer hot lunch. We are currently seeking another option and will update accordingly.

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Spanish Classroom  
Our Lady of Guadalupe

**Dearest Lady of Guadalupe, Fruitful Mother of holiness, Teach me your ways Of gentleness and strength. Hear my humble prayer Offered with heartfelt confidence To beg this favor (State your petition). Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory**



6th Grade Classroom  
St. John the Apostle

O God, who through the blessed Apostle John have unlocked for us the secrets of your Word, grant, we pray, that we may grasp with proper understanding what he has so marvelously brought to our ears. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and with the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

**Virtue of the Month:**  
Obedience: Assenting to rightful authority without hesitation or resistance.

Library Lion



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**Involved, Inquisitive Learners**



### Parent Association News

Don't miss out on the fun Fri, Dec 5th! It is our Annual Night Out with Santa.

Thank you to Christine Lara for coordinating our Charleston Wrap orders & our recent See's Candy Fundraiser!

Save the date! Fri, Feb 6th for our annual Bingo Night Fundraiser and Chicken dinner drive thru.

### Grown-up Corner

Families our continued success is in large part due to word of mouth. As we continue to share our mission in the community, I invite you to stop by the office window, scan the QR code and leave us a review.

### CYO Information from Mr. Lopez

Girls' Volleyball sign ups will be sent out this month! Keep an eye out for the form!

### From our Church & Diocese

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The schools in the Diocese of Stockton are blessed to have generous benefactors who understand the growing costs of educating a student and the impact these costs have on families. SEEDS – Growing Faith through Student Scholarships was founded with the sole purpose to help children from families of lower socio-economic backgrounds to have the opportunity of a Catholic education.

ELIGIBILITY: All families registered in one of our Catholic elementary schools are eligible to apply for a SEEDS Scholarship.

PROCESS: If a family is interested in applying for a scholarship, the application timeline is as follows.

- Applications are accepted from **December 1st through March 15th** for the following school year.
- There is a per family application fee, which is paid by the family.
- An application is considered complete and eligible for consideration when all the required documentation has been filed **and verified** by March 15th.
- **Please note it may take up to 14 days to verify information, so it is important to start well in advance of March 15th.**
- Applications which are incomplete on March 16th will not be eligible for a scholarship.

To apply for SEEDS, please click here. <https://online.factsmgmt.com/aid> If you currently have a FACTS account, please use your login information.



A gentle reminder that ALL absences must follow the protocol in the handbook:

Email your student's teacher(s) and **cc both Office Manager and Principal.**

If you would like to request make-up work, please include that in the email. Make-up work may only be requested after two days of absences.

Please state the reason for your student's absence (i.e., vacation, sick, etc.) Complete travel study form if needed.

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## SHCS Mission

Rooted in the Vincentian spirit, the Sacred Heart Catholic School community, partners with its families to provide strong academic, spiritual, and moral foundations. Nurtured in a safe and caring environment, all are called to be faithful stewards leading with a heart of service and charity.

## School Advisory Board (SAB)

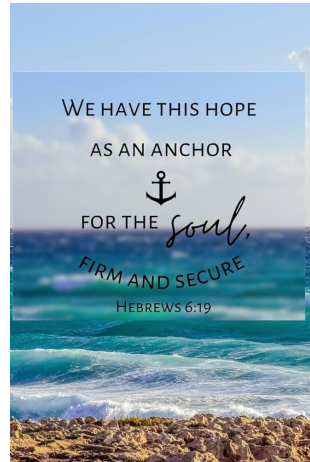
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It is our vision as Daughters of Charity Schools that our students become people of service who see the face of God in everyone, committed to living their Vincentian Catholic values.

Holistic  
Integrated  
Creative  
Flexible  
Excellent  
Person Oriented  
Collaborative  
Focused

**Sacred Heart  
Catholic School**

## WE ARE

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## Resources

Westside Food Pantry 40 South 5th Street Patterson, California CA Support for Working Families

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# Wish Lists

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**LUCAS**  
& FRIENDS



# LEARN BY DOING & SERVING

DECEMBER 10

IN SERVING PERSONS WHO ARE POOR, WE SERVE  
JESUS CHRIST.  
-ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Spartans serve.





# DISTRIBUTION

AFTER ALL MASSES  
DECEMBER 23

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-ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



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**THIS MONTH'S LEARN BY DOING AND SERVING WILL BENEFIT THE YOUTH OF OUR COMMUNITY. OUR GOAL IS TO PREPARE 300 WINTER ESSENTIAL BAGS IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS MINISTRY. AS VINCENTIANS, WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE THE MARGINALIZED. PLEASE HELP US MEET THIS GOAL.**

**K-2 SIGN UP TO DONATE WINTER ESSENTIALS [HERE](#).  
3-5 SIGN UP TO DONATE WINTER ESSENTIALS [HERE](#).  
6-8 SIGN UP TO DONATE WINTER ESSENTIALS [HERE](#).  
ALL SIGN UP TO DONATE WINTER ESSENTIALS [HERE](#).**

### **SPARTANS SERVE.**

**K-2: NOTE IN THE POCKET & BAG DECORATIONS.  
FAITH CONNECTION: LOVE ONE ANOTHER AS I HAVE LOVED YOU. -JOHN 13:34**

**3-5: COUNT & SORT WARM CLOTHING.  
FAITH CONNECTION: WHATEVER YOU DID FOR ONE OF THE LEAST OF THESE BROTHERS AND SISTERS OF MINE, YOU DID FOR ME. - MATTHEW 25:40**

**6-8: PACK WINTER ESSENTIALS  
FAITH CONNECTION: LET US NOT LOVE WITH WORDS OR SPEECH BUT WITH ACTIONS & IN TRUTH. - 1 JOHN 3:18**

**K-2 Sign up to donate winter essentials [here](#).**

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A night sky filled with stars, featuring a prominent bright yellow star with a four-pointed starburst effect. Below the star is a layer of white clouds. The foreground shows the dark silhouettes of trees against the dark blue night sky.

*Sacred Heart Catholic School's* **Annual Christmas Program**

Thursday, December 18, 2025 LOPES Building

*Doors open at 5 PM*

*Program begins at 6 PM*





# OPEN TO THE PUBLIC



Sunday, January 25, 2026

## *Open House*

**11 AM Mass in Lopes.** OUR SCHOOL WILL BE HOSTING SUNDAY MASS TO KICK OFF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK!

**12 PM Fellowship.** Join us after Mass, outside Lopes for fellowship!

**12:30-1:30 PM Classroom Visits.** **HEAD TO THE CLASSROOMS AND ENJOY ALL OF THE EFFORT OUR SPARTANS HAVE PUT INTO THIS SCHOOL YEAR!**

Seeds sown in good soil grow; Grow with us.

Sacred Heart Catholic School

505 M Street





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¡Feliz diciembre, familias!

La luz brilla en la oscuridad, y la oscuridad no la ha vencido. Juan 1:5

Al comenzar este tiempo de Adviento, quiero compartir un podcast en el que me invitaron a participar. El año pasado, la Sra. Pérez y yo tuvimos la oportunidad de visitar el campus de Apple. De ese evento de networking surgió una invitación para participar en un podcast y hablar sobre mi papel como líder de nuestra escuela.

Anoche tuve la oportunidad de escucharlo y quiero compartirlo con ustedes. Espero que encuentren tiempo para escucharlo y sepan que su familia forma parte de una comunidad escolar tan maravillosa en la que se construyen legados. Nunca olvido lo afortunado que soy por formar parte de esta escuela y esta comunidad.

Pueden escucharlo [aquí](#).

¡Bendiciones para una feliz temporada de Adviento!



From the Office

A partir 12/1:

Dejaremos de ofrecer almuerzos calientes.

Actualmente estamos buscando otra opción y les informaremos al respecto.



Spanish Classroom  
Our Lady of Guadalupe



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St. John the Apostle

Queridísima Señora de Guadalupe, Madre fecunda de santidad, Enséñame tus caminos De mansedumbre y fortaleza. Escucha mi humilde plegaria Ofrecida con sentida confianza Para implorar este favor (Expresa tu petición). Padre Nuestro, Ave María, Gloria

Oh Dios, que por medio del bienaventurado apóstol Juan nos has desvelado los secretos de tu Palabra, concédenos, te rogamos, que podamos captar con la debida comprensión lo que él tan maravillosamente ha hecho llegar a nuestros oídos. Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo, que vive y reina contigo y con el Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos.

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OBEDIENCIA: Asentir a la autoridad legítima sin vacilación ni resistencia

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Respetuoso, cariñoso y amable



## Noticias de la Asociación de Padres

¡No te pierdas la diversión el viernes 5 de diciembre! Es nuestra Noche Anual con Papá Noel.

¡Gracias a Christine Lara por coordinar nuestros pedidos de Charleston Wrap y nuestra reciente recaudación de fondos de See's Candy!

¡Reserva la fecha! El viernes 6 de febrero es nuestra Noche Anual de Bingo para recaudar fondos y la cena de pollo para llevar.

## El rincón de los mayores

Familias, nuestro éxito continuo se debe en gran parte al boca a boca. Mientras seguimos compartiendo nuestra misión en la comunidad, les invito a que se acerquen a la ventana de la oficina, escaneen el código QR y nos dejen una reseña.

## CYO Información del Sr. Lopez

¡Las inscripciones para el equipo femenino de voleibol se enviarán este mes! ¡Estén atentos al formulario!

De nuestra Iglesia y Diócesis

Estimados padres/tutores:

Las escuelas de la Diócesis de Stockton tienen la suerte de contar con generosos benefactores que comprenden los crecientes costos que supone la educación de un estudiante y el impacto que estos costos tienen en las familias. SEEDS (Cultivando la fe a través de becas para estudiantes) se fundó con el único propósito de ayudar a los niños de familias con bajos recursos socioeconómicos a tener la oportunidad de recibir una educación católica.

REQUISITOS: Todas las familias inscritas en una de nuestras escuelas primarias católicas pueden solicitar una beca SEEDS.

PROCESO: Si una familia está interesada en solicitar una beca, el plazo de solicitud es el siguiente.

Las solicitudes se aceptan desde el 1 de diciembre hasta el 15 de marzo para el siguiente año escolar.

Hay una tasa de solicitud por familia, que debe pagar la familia.

Una solicitud se considera completa y elegible para su consideración cuando toda la documentación requerida ha sido presentada y verificada antes del 15 de marzo.

Tenga en cuenta que la verificación de la información puede tardar hasta 14 días, por lo que es importante comenzar con suficiente antelación al 15 de marzo.

Las solicitudes que estén incompletas el 16 de marzo no serán elegibles para una beca.

Para solicitar SEEDS, haga clic aquí. <https://online.factsmgt.com/aid> Si actualmente tiene una cuenta FACTS, utilice su información de inicio de sesión.





Le recordamos que TODAS las ausencias deben seguir el protocolo establecido en el manual:

Envíe un correo electrónico al profesor o profesores de su hijo y ponga en copia al director y al administrador de la oficina.

Si desea solicitar trabajo de recuperación, inclúyalo en el correo electrónico. El trabajo de recuperación solo se puede solicitar después de dos días de ausencia.

Indique el motivo de la ausencia de su hijo (por ejemplo, vacaciones, enfermedad, etc.). Rellene el formulario de viaje de estudios si es necesario.

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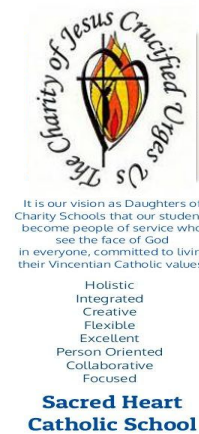
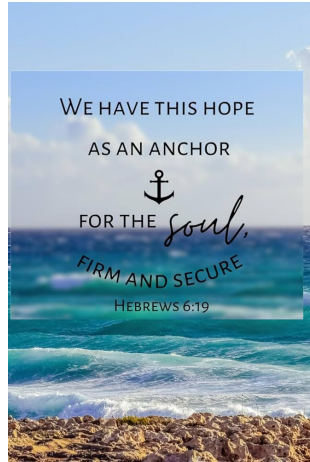
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## Misión de SHCS

Arraigada en el espíritu vicentino, la comunidad de la Escuela Católica del Sagrado Corazón, se asocia con sus familias para proporcionar fuertes bases académicas, espirituales y morales. Alimentado en un ambiente seguro y cuidadoso, todos están llamados a ser fieles administradores liderando con un corazón de servicio y caridad.

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