



Our Lady of Hope Catholic Academy

DECEMBER 2021

Upcoming Events

January 1st
New Year's Day

January 3rd
Classes Resume

January 11th
Abbreviated Schedule

January 17th
Martin Luther King, Jr ~
School Closed

January 21st
Professional Day ~ No
School

January 28th
Half -Day ~ 12:30 p.m.
Dismissal

January 30th
Catholic Schools Week
Begins

Dear Families,
As we approach Christmas to celebrate Christ's birth we also celebrate Jesus coming into our lives through grace and the Sacrament of Holy Communion; and to His Second Coming at the end of time.

Our hallways are adorned with beautiful Christmas displays such as the Advent wreath, Jesse Tree, Nativity scene, and the Christmas tree.

As we close out 2021 together, I want to say thank you for your cooperation and patience during this unprecedented times to develop



and maintain a strong Home-Academy partnership! We work very hard as an Academy to

teach children to respect one another by having them learn about how we are both the same and different and that our unique strength is to be found in our wonderful diversity.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Giuseppe Campailla
Principal

Parish News

Christmas ~ Mass Times:

December 24th Vigil 4:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.;

December 25th: Midnight Mass; 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God ~ Mass Times

December 31st : Vigil 5:00 p.m.

January 1st : 8:30 a.m. & 11: 00 a.m.

Mission Statement



Our mission is to provide a Catholic education that fosters the spiritual and academic development of each child by instilling a morally centered foundation. The responsibility for academic and spiritual growth is a shared endeavor among students, parents, faculty and administration. Our model is Jesus Christ who taught with compassion, respect and a loving heart. Therefore, our common goal is “to teach as Jesus did.”

Academic News

In the month of December Grade 4 was learning about conductors and insulators. The students had to determine if the object is a conductor or an insulator by building a simple circuit using a battery, a light bulb and three pieces of wires.

Home Academy Association



The OLHCA Home Academy Association would like to thank the families that participated in the 12 Days of Christmas Raffle and the Toy Raffle fundraising events.

The Home Academy Association would like to wish all the families of Our Lady of Hope a Joyous and Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Student Life

The NJHS students participated in the annual laying of wreaths on the tombs of veterans at Mt. Olivet Cemetery on December 4th.

Guidance Counselor's Corner



Respect is...

- Treating someone how you and they want to be treated
- Caring about the thoughts, feelings, beliefs, and rights of someone else



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Our Lady of Hope Catholic Academy is a Roman Catholic Academy - serving students from Nursery (age 3) to Grade 8. The student population represents the diversity of the area and reflects a wide variety of linguistic, cultural, racial, ethnic groups.