

St. Theresa Catholic School

SPRING BREAK 2025 NEWSLETTER

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2025-26 School Year Prep

Our teachers and staff are getting ready for the upcoming school year!

- ❖ *Mrs. Wendy Souza is on-board and excited to serve as principal for the 2025-26 school year.*
- ❖ *Next year's calendar and Parent Handbook are posted to SchoolSpeak under "2025-26 Program Information."*
- ❖ *Registration is open on SchoolSpeak and on our website.*
- ❖ *Teacher contracts are in process. Class layouts are in progress. Confirming all returning learners will greatly help in planning.*
- ❖ *There are open teaching positions, as we are splitting classes. Please see the Diocese of Honolulu website/careers to apply or call our office for information.*

Meet your 2025-26 School Principal

Aloha all! I am Wendy Souza (*formerly Castillo*) and I will serve as your school principal for the 25-26 school year. St. Theresa School has been a major part of my life for 22 years. I believe in the unlimited potential of our school and all who work and learn here. It has been LOVELY to get back into the classroom and teach this year! After 8 years as principal, it was enriching and informative to go back to teaching. Keeping our learners first in all decision making is crucial- and I really appreciate having this year to get back in touch with life as a teacher. I believe that taking a year in teaching will make me a better leader for our school in the coming year. I'm in! We are planning enrichment, field trips, ability grouped academics, and an overall uplifting of school unity and connection. Let's do this! I am incredibly grateful for our school leadership team: Father Edwin, Camille Hesapene, and Cassie Miyashiro. They are all in the office each day- here for you and your learners. Please don't ever hesitate to ask any question, offer any suggestion, or jump in and volunteer!

I will keep you updated with plans for the upcoming year.... but for now, let's take a deep breath and enter a busy 4th quarter with a smile! We are going to have a fabulous carnival, a beautiful May Day, and a successful academic 4th quarter.

Blessings on your Spring Break!!

A quick carnival update...

Country Store REALLY loves sweet bread. It is a hugely popular item and takes a lot of hands to prepare. Aunties and Uncles, friends and family can volunteer to spend the day on April 25 helping make the bread at Holy Cross Church. Sign up on SchoolSpeak!

Donation letters have gone out to businesses, and we have lots of great items for Silent Auction. If you know of a business or potential donor we missed, please let us know!

Congrats to Laurelle Riola~ Great job shopping for Spinning Wheel prizes!

Need more carnival tickets? We've got them! Call or email to have more sent home with your learners.

Thank you to all of you for selling ~ You are doing an amazing job!



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