

Welcome to the 2018-2019 school year!

We ask the Lord’s blessing on everyone as we begin a new year at Howells Community Catholic School, working together to guide all students to develop spiritually, academically, and socially in a faith-filled community. We are looking forward to a great year!

Thank you to everyone who visited our school during the Open House on August 12. If you were unable to visit then, we invite you to give us a call; we’d be happy to show you around.

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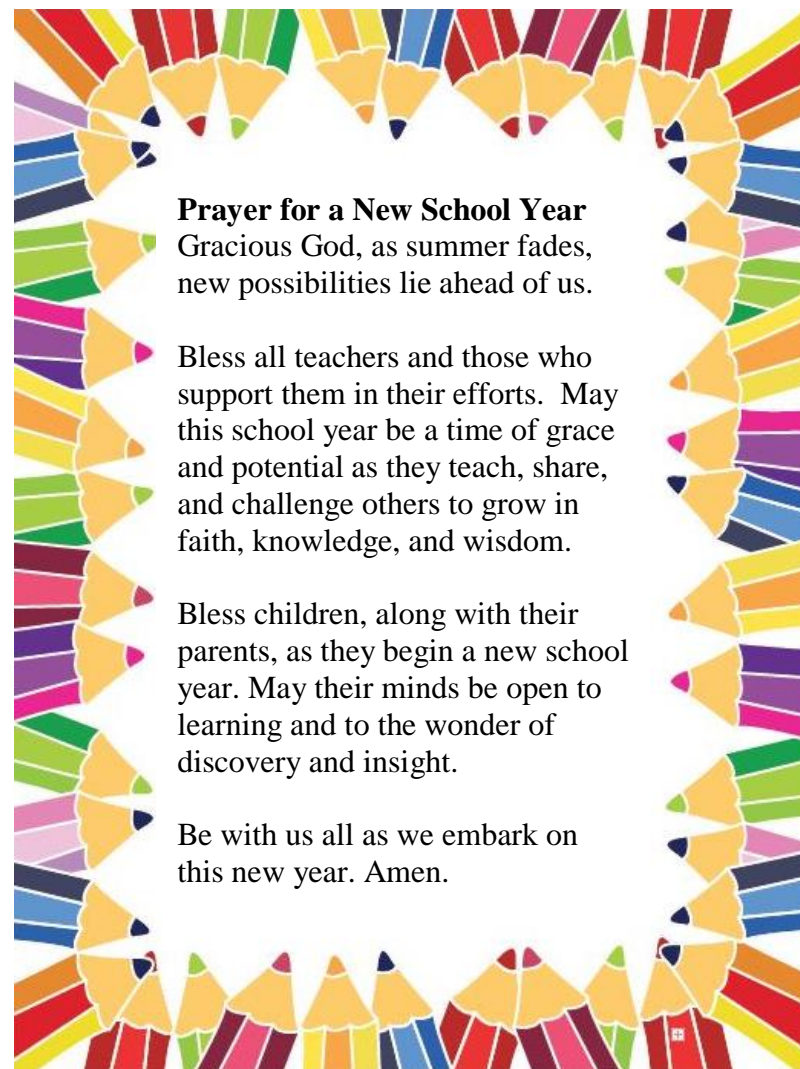
Changes at HCCS include the following:

- ❖ New staff member:
 - Miss Nicole Ohnsat, 6th grade teacher and 5th grade reading
- ❖ Also please note that school doors open at 7:55 am and the bus picks up students at 3:35 pm.
- ❖ Please visit the website for more news and pictures. (see below)

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Reminders

- ❖ Look on school website for newsletters, office news, and calendars. Paper copies of calendar and office news will also be sent home. <http://www.howellscommunitycatholic.org/>
- ❖ **Partners in Faith** newsletter is on our school website. No paper copies will be sent home.
- ❖ **Love and Logic** newsletter is also on our school website. No paper copies will be sent home.
- ❖ **Magazine and Gift Sales** are online. Please check the website for instructions if you are renewing your subscriptions.
- ❖ If you will be unable to access the newsletters electronically, please let the office know at 402-986-1689 or email to cvogel@hccs.esu7.org.



Prayer for a New School Year

Gracious God, as summer fades, new possibilities lie ahead of us.

Bless all teachers and those who support them in their efforts. May this school year be a time of grace and potential as they teach, share, and challenge others to grow in faith, knowledge, and wisdom.

Bless children, along with their parents, as they begin a new school year. May their minds be open to learning and to the wonder of discovery and insight.

Be with us all as we embark on this new year. Amen.

Upcoming Events:

September 12 - Health Checks

September 21 – No school all day for HCCS; Teacher training on SMARTboards and School of Faith

September 25 – Picture Retake Day

School days are here again! And the 6th grade looks really excited to be studying from all their books! Or not!



Choices at recess include kickball, basketball, volleyball and more!

The 6th grade also learned flag folding and etiquette. The flag pole has a new rope and hooks this year.



Grades 1, 2, and 3 practice their engineering skills during STEM activities!

