

Proclamation

- Whereas,* National Catholic Schools Week is an annual national celebration of the important role that Catholic elementary, secondary schools and early childhood centers play in providing a comprehensive, values-based education for America's young people; and
- Whereas,* this year the theme of National Catholic Schools Week is "Faith. Excellence. Service."; and
- Whereas,* American Martyrs School has been part of Manhattan Beach, California since September 1947 and American Martyrs has helped to make our city a loving community; and
- Whereas,* American Martyrs School prepares its' students not only for academic excellence, but also has produced students with spiritual values that make them good citizens who contribute to their community and become leaders of the future; and
- Whereas,* we recognize the teachers and auxiliary personnel who have provided and continue to provide outstanding education that emphasizes the formation of moral values and a commitment to the community service to the future generation ion Catholic schools; and
- Whereas,* Manhattan Beach is honored to recognize and appreciate the incredible work in the education system provided by the Catholic Schools in our community and the vast work they have and will continue to do for the residents of Manhattan Beach.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that I, Amy Thomas Howorth, Mayor of the City of Manhattan Beach, California, on behalf of the City Council and the residents of Manhattan Beach, do hereby proclaim January 26 - February 1, 2025, as

National Catholic Schools Week

and urge all citizens to recognize and to respect Catholic Schools for their commitment and dedication with which American Martyrs School has served our community.

Dated this 21st day of January, 2025.

ATTEST:



City Clerk Liza Tamura



Mayor Amy Thomas Howorth

