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## We're Setting the Table for Success.

Community starts around the table, so we're saving you a seat at ours. The Big Table Project is your opportunity to extend an invitation to someone eager to pull up a chair at the Regis table.

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**Together, we'll serve up new possibilities for Regis.**

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T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

Artist Jerzy Kenar was frightened by his childhood church's crucifix. When he created the crucifix for St. John Francis Regis Chapel, he eschewed the traditional thorns and wounds, favoring an unmarked Christ whose right arm lifts away, free from the cross.

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**JANUARY 1:** New Year's Day

**JANUARY 14:** Spring Classes Begin   **JANUARY 21:** Martin Luther King Jr. Day





## T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

The University intended to emulate Carroll Hall's neo-Gothic style – originated in 1700s England – on future campus buildings. Those grand plans, however, were dashed by the 1929 stock market crash and ensuing Great Depression.

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**FEBRUARY 14:** Valentine's Day   **FEBRUARY 18:** Presidents' Day



T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

Russian artist Alexander Tylevich's glittery, 35-foot Tree of Life statue represents the merging of science and faith. Symbols of scientific disciplines taught in the Pomponio science center adorn steel spirals that form a crown of thorns around a cross of Christ. The words of a Jesuit paleontologist are etched into its base.

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**MARCH 2-10:** Spring Break   **MARCH 17:** St. Patrick's Day  
**MARCH 28-31:** Regis Ramblers Performance





## T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

The Holy Spirit fountain outside the chapel combines flames and running water, recalling the “original fire” of the Easter Vigil in concert with the “initiating waters” of Baptism. Bathed in the fire of a Colorado sunset, the fountain draws us into the presence of God as Spirit. Every year the Easter Vigil liturgy at Regis begins at this beautiful work of art.

## A P R I L

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**APRIL 8–12:** Ranger Week **APRIL 13:** Ranger Day **APRIL 19:** Good Friday  
**APRIL 20:** Easter Egg Hunt **APRIL 21:** Easter

## T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

Campaniles originated in old Europe to radiate music across the countryside and call the faithful to prayer. The bell tower near St. John Francis Regis Chapel is designed to be visible from the highway to the north to invite passers-by as well as the campus community to worship.

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**MAY 4-5:** Spring Commencement   **MAY 6:** Summer Classes Begin  
**MAY 12:** Mother's Day   **MAY 27:** Memorial Day







T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

The “IHS” is a “Christogram” and the Latin contraction of Jesus. It was used in the early church and later adopted as the seal of the Jesuits in the 16th century.

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JUNE 16: Father's Day



T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

Etched in the red sandstone of Main Hall, the cornerstone letters AMDG — *Ad maiorem Dei gloriam* — is the Latin motto of the Jesuits, meaning “For the greater glory of God.”

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**JULY 4:** Independence Day   **JULY 19-21** Alumni Weekend

**JULY 31:** Feast Day of St. Ignatius of Loyola





T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

When the St. John Francis Regis Chapel was designed, students requested that it feel like a space in nature and reflect Colorado. The result is sweeping natural light from mountain-facing windows that illuminates different tones of angled wood and stone.

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**AUGUST 22-24:** New Student Orientation   **AUGUST 24-30:** Welcome Week  
**AUGUST 26:** Fall Classes Begin



T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

Beauty is where you find it. Something as seemingly mundane as stairs may turn out to be stunning given the right perspective. Architecturally beautiful staircases adorn the campus library, providing an enlightened and uplifting sculptural elegance.

# S E P T E M B E R

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SEPTEMBER 2: Labor Day





T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

Meticulous attention to detail makes the difference between ordinary and extraordinary. The pressed tin ceiling tiles on the renovated Main Hall second floor are replications of the originals.

## O C T O B E R

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**OCTOBER 14:** Indigenous Peoples Day **OCTOBER 14-15:** Fall Break

**OCTOBER 31:** Halloween/Trick-Or-Treat Street



T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

The original cupola atop Main Hall was removed in 1957 because its weight – 66,000 pounds – was starting to cave in the roof. When restored in 2006, a new cupola was built with lightweight materials. It also conceals a cell tower.

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**NOVEMBER 11:** Veterans Day   **NOVEMBER 28:** Thanksgiving





## T W E N T Y   N I N E T E E N

The devotion of the Sacred Heart, symbolized in the statue that originally graced the lawn in front of Main Hall, is one of the most well-known Roman Catholic devotions, taking Jesus Christ's physical heart as a representation of his divine love for humanity. Refurbished and with its patina restored, it now greets visitors to Carroll Hall.

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**DECEMBER 25:** Christmas Day **DECEMBER 23-31:** Winter Break