



Happy Birthday Mary

ST. MARY SCHOOL FAMILY NOTES September 2, 2025

Grade Book to check your child's progress, get teacher emails etc
www.digitalacademy.com

School website address
www.st-maryschool.com

Children's Mass on Thurs., Sept 4, 2025
4th grade will lead
Family members and parishioners may attend. It's been our custom for family members to have a quick visit with their students after Mass, this is once again permitted.



Band is on Tuesday & Thursday. Students need to get into the habit of bringing their band instruments back on those days.

Students dropped off before 8:05 must go to BeforeCare. Remember that you can use both alleys to drop off in the morning. Kids need to be ready to get out! Let's keep those lines moving!
Dismissal: *Remind anyone picking up for you not to get in line more than 15 minutes before dismissal.* For safety all drivers picking up students must go through the car line.

Mega Moolah Fundraiser Packets will be sent home Tues. Sept 16. Please return tickets, money and tracking sheet. 1st drawing is Friday Oct 3rd. Families earn \$ for \$ toward

Reminder that part of the parent contract is to work a shift at Fiesta, donate a basket, or donate \$50.00.
We really need the help to make this a success!

A Friendly reminder: When picking up students and waiting to get in the alley, Please do not block the driveways of the neighbors. Please be respectful of the neighbors

Please label all money that you send in. We're collecting for Festival Raffle and Meat Raffle, Before and After Care, lunch tickets etc. Help us keep it all straight!



Picture Day! Interstate Studio will be here on Wednesday, October 15 to take individual pictures of our students, preschool thru Gr. 6. This is be a non-uniform day.. Athletic shoes are still required even though it is a non uniform day.



Mark your calendars— All School Sings are Back!! Our 1st All School Sing is Sept 14th at 11:00 a.m. Mass. Be in the Choir loft by 10:50
I hope everyone can join us! The Parishoner LOVE to hear the kids sing!
Bake Sale will be after Mass

SCHOOL FORMS

Make sure you turn in all of the required forms from the packet handed out on Day 1. The handbook is on the website under Principal's Page.

Remember:

- **Kindergarteners need eye, dental & physical exams on file at school**
- **2nd graders need dental exams on file at school.**
- **6th graders need a physical and dental exam on file.**
- **Make sure you sign the physical form.**



Before/After Care

Fill out Before &/or After Care registration forms if your child will attend either program even if they will only attend occasionally. The forms give supervisors information needed in emergencies. Supervisors do not have access to the files in the school office, so the contact numbers and medical information you supply them are a necessity. You may pay for these programs daily or monthly.

Mrs. Chance handles billing. Please send payments to the school office.



Medications at School

St. Mary School personnel will keep and/or dispense any type of medication to children ONLY when the appropriate form, signed by a doctor, is on file in our office. Parents, or a person designated by a parent, may come to the school to give medication to a child as needed.

Lunch Schedule



4, 5 & 6	11:00 to 11:45
Pre K & K	11:30 to 12:15
1,2,3	12:00 to 12:45

Cost is \$3.50, \$0.40 reduced Extra milk is \$.35

*Your child may bring a lunch from home, but restaurant food is not allowed in accordance with our lunch program agreements.

*Please do not combine lunch money with any other payments as it must go to a separate account.

* Family Members may eat lunch with students, Please call th office by 9:00 am for lunch count . The cost \$4.00 for adults

Coming Events...

- * Hickory Estates Mass Gr. 6 9:30 am Sept 2
- * Singing Saints practice Tues. Sept, 2
- *2:20 Dismissal—Wed., Sept. 43W/bus service
- *Children's Mass—Thurs. Sept. 4, 9:00—Gr. 4
- * First Friday Adoration — 8:00– 200 p.m.
- * **Sunday Sept 7– Singing Saints 11:00 Mass**
- *Blessed Virgin Mary's Birthday Monday, ,
- Sept 8 Birthday Bag items collected all week**
- *Sept 9 Taylorville Estates Mass Gr 5 9:30 am
- * Singing Saints practice Sept 9
- *2:20 Dismissal—Wed., Sept. 10, bus service
- *Children's Mass—Thurs., Sept. 11—Gr. 3
- Midterm grades posted for Gr. 3-6, Sept. 12
- *Board of Education Meeting Thursday, Sept 11 6:00 in Library
- * **Friday, Sept 12 11:30 Dismissal Pre-K gr. 6**
- NO Aftercare NO BUS Service**
- ***Fall Festiveal Fri Sept 12= Sun Sept 14**
- * **Sunday, Sept 14 All School Sing 11:00**
- Mass Bake Sale Following Mass**
- * **Children Sing under the tent 12:45 pm**
- ***MONDAY SEPT 15– NO SCHOOL— tear down Festival tents**
- * **MEGA MOOLAH TICKET SALES BEGIN Tues Sept 16**
- * Singing Saints choir practice Sept 16
- *Wed. Sept 17 2:20 Dismissal w/ Bus service
- * **THURS Sept 18 NO MASS TODAY**
- * Friday, Sept 19 Children's Mass 9:00 Gr 2

The Catholic Church celebrates the birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary each year on September 8. Since we are a "Mary" school, we honor the Blessed Mother on her birthday. This year we will be making birthday bags to donate to the Local Food Pantry. You may start bringing items to school week of Sept 2nd Pre- K : Birthday Bags



- K: Cake Mix (1)
- 1st: Can of Icing (1)
- 2nd: Package of candles (1)
- 3rd: (2) packs of small colored napkins
- 4th: (2) packs of colored forks
- 5th: (2) packs of small colored plates
- 6th: (1) Birthday Banner & (1) pack of birthday hats

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Our Father

Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen