



ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

135+ Years of Tradition

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Upcoming Events

Sept. 12: CC at MGS at 4:15

Sept. 13: *Midterms for grades 3-8*

Sept 14: CC at Maxwell Park at 9:30

Sept. 17: *Curriculum Night 6-7pm*

BB regionals start

Sept. 17: CC at 9:30 at Germantown Hills

Sept. 19: *School Picture Day*

Sept: 21: *SB sectionals start*

Sept. 23: *PTO Meeting at 7pm*

Sept. 25: CC Tazwood Conference at 4

Sept. 27: *School Picture Retake*

11:30 Dismissal

Sept. 27: SB State

Sept. 28: BB Sectionals CC at 4:00 – Detweiller Park

Oct. 4 : BB State

Oct. 5: CC at Delevan at 9:00

Oct. 7: CC at Tremont at 4:15

Oct. 11: *End of First Quarter*

Oct. 12: CC Sectional

Oct. 14: *No School – Columbus Day*

Oct. 19: CC State

September 12, 2019

The E-Falcon Newsletter

Volunteers needed

There are still a lot of slots to fill to take orders after the Masses Sept 14, 15, 21, and 22. Please sign up at:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080d4fa9ab2aa1fd0-saint>

or call Teresa Koch at 383-2167. This can be a very successful fundraiser but only with your help. Please see the attached flyer for more information on this great fund raiser

SCRIP

The first scrip order will be submitted Monday, 9/16 and delivery will be on Thursday, 9/19. Don't know what scrip is? Watch the video on the school website or contact Deanna Casey at 231-9656. Also, there is a special "Thankscriping Day" on Thursday, 9/12. Lots of extra rebates available that day!!

Book Bags Blessing

St. Mary's School is sponsoring a blessings of the book bags for all students from all schools on Sun. Sept. 22 at the 9:30 mass at St. Mary's and 10:30 at Lourdes. All students should bring their bookbags to Mass to receive a special blessing.

Curriculum Night – Tuesday, Sept. 17

Here is the schedule for curriculum night:

6:00PM.....Pre-K, K, 1/2,3/4

6:35PMGrades 5-6-7-8

Child care will be available.

Lunch Menu

(Subject to change)

All lunches include milk (Sept. 16-20)

- ❖ Mon., Sept. 16 – Hot dog on bun, Fritos, corm, mixed berries
- ❖ Tues., Sept. 17 – Chili cheese fries, broccoli, applesauce
- ❖ Wed., Sept. 18 – Chicken strips, mashed potatoes w/gravy, carrots, peaches
- ❖ Thurs., Sept. 19 – French toast sticks, sausage links, hash browns, strawberries
- ❖ Fri., Sept. 20 – Nachos & cheese, peas, mandarin oranges

Picture Day

St. Mary's school picture day will be Thursday, Sept. 19. Students will be allowed to dress in non-uniform clothing. Please wear some nice casual clothing. No sayings on the shirts and no flip flops... must be school appropriate. If you have a question, please don't hesitate to call the school office.

PTO Meeting

The next PTO meeting will be on Sept. 23 at 7:00pm in the 8th grade room. Childcare will be provided as well. Don't miss this opportunity to come find out what the PTO does for the school and voice your opinion.

Who's Got Spirit? We Do!!!!!!

Interested in wearing StM pride? Please see the attached link to view our current online store. <https://stm-fall-19.itemorder.com/sale>

New After Care Aide

St. Mary's School would like to welcome a new member to our team serving the parents and children of the Metamora community. **Shania Vasquez**, started on Monday, September 9th, as an aide assisting Sue Hayes in our aftercare program. Shania will be subbing for Mary Ellen Strauch who is recovering from a medical condition. Shania is daughter of Kim Vasquez, who has been employed in our school kitchen for the last two years. Shania is currently enrolled in ICC and plans on going on to a four year university next fall to study psychology. Sue Hayes will be introducing Shania to all the aftercare parents as they pick up their children in the next few days.

\$\$ St. Mary's School Athletic Booster Raffle \$\$

It's Not Too Late!

First Drawing September 27!

Don't miss your chance to win **CASH** every month and help support St. Mary's School Athletics and Extracurricular Activities at the same time! Every month, September 2019 thru August 2020, **4 names** are drawn. **CASH prizes of \$100, \$50, and two \$25 prizes are awarded to the winners!** Please place the lower portion and payment in an envelope labeled "STM Athletic Booster Raffle" and return it to the school office, church office, or place it in the church collection basket. Or mail form and payment to:

St. Mary's Athletic Boosters

c/o Amy Eckstein

400 W. Chatham St.

Metamora, IL 61548

Please make checks payable to "**St. Mary's**" and note "**Athletic Booster**" in the memo line.

2018-2019 Yearbooks Have Arrived

Last chance before they go away.If you didn't order a 2018 - 2019 yearbook last spring and are interested in purchasing one, there are still a few copies available. Please send your checks for \$25 made out to St. Mary's to the school office and specify "yearbook" on the envelope. But hurry! Once they're gone....they're gone!

Craft Fair Canceled

Unfortunately, due to not enough crafters/vendors being available for the craft fair this year, we are postponing it until the spring. Stayed tuned for new date and information!

Lunch Cards

Please send the correct amount of money for your student's milk or lunch cards. Lunch cards are \$15 and milk cards are \$1.50 for 5 punches. Lunch/milk cards do not expire so they can be used from week to week. You can buy as many cards at a time as you would like to buy.



YOU ARE INVITED

**BACK TO SCHOOL
PTO MEETING
SEPTEMBER 23rd at 7PM**
Mrs. Eckstein's classroom

-childcare provided-

All parents and teachers are highly encouraged to attend!

IT'S A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO

Meet other parents

Hear about important news and upcoming events

Learn what PTO helps support and the benefits it provides

Hear about Opportunities to volunteer your time including
multiple ways and levels of involvement that all

MAKE AN IMPACT

