

St. Mary's School Newsletter

September 18, 2026



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Upcoming Events

September 23

Cross Country at Tazwood
Conference Meet at 4:00

September 25 - -NO SCHOOL

-MTHS Homecoming
Parade at 2:00

- Cross Country at
Detweiller Invite at 4:00

September 26

Cross Country at Olympia
Jr High Invite at 9:00

September 29

Cross Country at Central
Junior High, Fondulac
Park at 4:15

September 30

-PTO Meeting at 6:30
-PND Information Night
from 6:30-8:00 pm

October 5 (changed from
September 28)

St. Mary's Choir Practice
(3rd-8th) 3:00-3:50

October 6

Monical's Pizza Night
(see attached)

LUNCH MENU

September 21

Hot Dog, Baked Beans,
Chips, Fruit

September 22

Pulled Pork Sandwich,
Fries, Peas, Fruit

September 23

Pizza Boat, Corn, Fruit

September 24

Chicken Nuggets,
Mashed Potatoes &
Gravy, Green Beans,
Fruit

A GIANT THANK YOU to Reclaimed Resale for their \$12,000 donation to St. Mary's School. You are a truly generous organization, and we are so blessed to have you in our community!

Our first St. Mary's Athletic Boosters Restaurant Night is Tuesday, October 6 at Monical's Pizza!

Show or mention the fundraiser flyer when ordering and 20% of your bill will be donated back to our Athletic Boosters!

Important: The fundraiser is only valid at the Morton and Washington Monical's locations. Come enjoy a night off from cooking and support our St. Mary's athletes at the same time!

St. Mary's School Choir



Mrs. Strauss, our music teacher, is starting a school choir. Here are the details:

Open to: Grades 3-8

Starting: Monday, October 5

Time: Mondays after school until 3:50

Where: Art Room

Activities: Sing at school Masses and concerts

We sing many different types of music!

If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Wendy

Strauss at straussw@stmfalcons.com

Note: If you join the choir, we expect you to stay for the school year.

More information will be given at the first rehearsal.

Softball and baseball players please turn uniforms into the school office.

Boys Basketball

Any 5th-8th Graders interested in trying out for the boys basketball team, a mandatory parent meeting and first practice/tryouts will be October 19 at 5:00 at Riverview Grade School. If you plan to participate, you must have a current physical on file in the St. Mary's School office.

Trash Bag Fundraiser is coming soon! Sales will be October 1-October 15. Forms will be sent home with each student as soon as they arrive.

PTO
The next PTO meeting will be held at 6 p.m. in the school cafeteria on Wednesday, September 30. All parents are invited.

Homecoming Parade September 25!

Saint Mary's Student Council would like to invite all Saint Mary's students 8 years old and older to walk in the Metamora Homecoming Parade. Children under 8 must be in a wagon or stroller and accompanied by their parents. Wear Saint Mary's spirit wear or Saint Mary's School colors. Meet at the high school Baseball/Softball parking lot at 1:30 pm on September 25.

American Heritage Girls

What a wonderful start to our year! We were thrilled to welcome both new and returning faces at our first meeting. The girls kicked off the year getting creative with hands-on crafts, making origami flowers and homemade sugar scrubs. Next month, we are excited to dive deeper into our Catholic faith as we begin working on our first Catholic Faith badge! Join us after mass on October 3rd and 4th for our very first troop fundraiser! Stop by and choose from a variety of cookies, muffins, brownies and more, for just \$2 each! All proceeds support our troop's badge work, community service projects, and gear for future outdoor adventures. Thank you for your support!

Homecoming Parade Candy!

Student Council is asking for candy donations for the Homecoming Parade on September 25! Candy can be left in the school office.

A Huge Thank You for Your Generosity!

We want to send a heartfelt thank you to all our students, families, and staff who participated in our Jean Day today, September 18! Thanks to your amazing support and kindness, we raised **\$228** for the Open Arms Food Pantry right here in Metamora. Your contributions directly help nourish families in our local community. Jesus calls us to "feed the hungry", and we answered His call! We are so proud of our school's giving spirit—thank you for making a difference!

