



Campus Connection

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This Coming Week

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MAPS testing continues until January 27 for grades 1, 2, 4, 6, and 8
January 26 - 5th grade Open House at St. Joseph Campus 6-8:00 p.m.
January 27 - SJC: Mass at 8:35, SMC: Mass at 8:40, SWC prayer service Friday 11:10 a.m.
January 28/29 - Catholic Schools Week Hospitality at all the Parish Masses, free entry to basketball games with a pass (see the Athletic section below for a link to the pass)
January 29 - Open House at St. William Campus 9:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
January 30 - All students start their day at St. Mary Campus, K5-8th go to CMH for Mass at 10:25 a.m., Open House at St. Mary Campus 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Kovaleski's "Key" Notes

Dear Parents:

As I addressed in my Keynotes last week, Catholic School's week begins this weekend. As we begin our annual celebration in just a few short days, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and for making Catholic education a priority in your child's life. All of us associated with Waukesha Catholic feel blessed to have the privilege to partner with you to instill faith and inspire your child's future.

Please note that registration for the 2017-18 school year begins today. Please make sure to refer to the information included in today's packet.

I hope to see many of you, over the course of the next week, as we celebrate all that is SPECIAL about Catholic education!

Blessings,
Lisa Kovaleski



January 2017

Dear Catholic School Parents,

Every year, thousands of schools across the country celebrate Catholic Schools Week. I can't help but think of the profound impact Catholic education has had on individuals, families and on our society at large. Through Catholic education, we have raised generations of well- educated and faithful Catholic leaders, who live the Gospel message at home, work, and in their own communities.

As parents, you have made the decision to send your child to a Catholic school. Your decision reflects a family commitment to a quality education that embraces the whole student – deepening faith, discipline, and moral growth, as well as superior academic achievement. In a Catholic school, Christ is the reason for the school and His presence guides instruction in all academic areas. I invite you to join the Catholic Schools Week celebration as we recognize the tradition of excellence in schools throughout the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.

Thank you for making Catholic education a priority in your child's life. Our Catholic schools are part of our future as a Church and as a nation. May God bless them and all the important work our teachers and staff do on behalf of the over 31,000 children in our Catholic schools in southeastern Wisconsin.

Have a blessed Catholic Schools week!

With assurance of prayers for you and your family, I am, Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Jerome E. ListECKi
Archbishop of Milwaukee

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Weekly News

Catholic Schools Week

Please consider volunteering your time to represent Waukesha Catholic at the kick-off for Catholic Schools Week after all Masses the weekend of January 28th & 29th. We are looking for as many as five volunteers for each Mass at each of the four parishes to help set up baked goods during Mass, serve the baked goods and then help with clean up following each Mass.

This is a service hour opportunity for all middle school students. Please note one parent must be present with the middle school student. Please review the attached Sign Up Genius: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e49aea82caafd0-catholic2>

If you have any questions, please contact Tina Szada at (262) 527-7091 or via email at tina@servpro9841.com. Thank you in advance!

Open House Events!

We are so excited about our Open house events coming up next week! We hope that you will join

us as we celebrate our school! We are proud of all the things that make Waukesha Catholic a special place. Please invite your friends, family and neighbors to both of our Open Houses. All are welcome!

St. William Campus, grades K3, K4, K5, 444 N. Moreland Blvd., Waukesha 53188

- Open House is on Sunday, January 29th from 9:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- Please come and take a tour of our delightful Kindergarten Campus, meet our faculty and staff, and learn about our outstanding Kindergarten programs.

St. Mary Campus, grades 1-5, 520 E. Newhall Ave., Waukesha 53186

- Please join us for our Open House at St. Mary Campus on Monday, January 30th from 6:30 p.m. -8:00 p.m. All visitors are invited to join us for a *Night at the Museum*.
- On this special night, we invite our guests to tour our classrooms and enjoy a one of a kind art exhibition. Art created by 1st through 5th grade student will be on display for all to enjoy. Bring some friends!

St. Joseph Campus, grades 6-8, 818 N. East Ave., Waukesha 53186, contact us to set up a personal tour.

If you have any questions or if you, family members, or friends would like a personal tour, please contact Admissions and Marketing Director, Meghan D. Gorzalski, at 262-896-2929 ext. 1326 or at mgorzalski@waukeshacatholic.org.

Refer-A-Family

If you refer a new family that enrolls in our school system and stays at least one year, the person who referred them will earn a \$250 tuition credit that can be applied to the following year tuition! Ask the family you are referring to put your name down as a referral family on the open house registration form.

Catholic Schools Week "Blessing" Drive

On the Monday of Catholic Schools Week (January 30), as a service project, our students will be putting together "Blessing Bags" for the Hope Center, Salvation Army and Capuchin Community Services. To fill these bags, we are collecting a variety of toiletry and personal use items. We are asking that each grade level bring in a different item to help fill our Blessing Bags:

- K3- lip balm
- K4- travel size Kleenex
- K5 - dental floss
- 1st Grade - travel size toothpaste
- 2nd Grade - toothbrush
- 3rd Grade - travel size body wash
- 4th Grade - travel size shampoo
- 5th Grade - travel size conditioner
- 6-1 - travel size hand lotion
- 6-2 - travel size package baby wipes
- 6-3 - travel size body lotion
- 7-1 - travel size hand sanitizer
- 7-2 - travel package Clorox wipes
- 8-1 - travel size deodorant
- 8-2 - disposable razors
- 8-3 - washcloths

Items will be collected from now until January 26th. Teachers and staff will donate money towards more of the listed items and/or boxes of gallon-size Ziploc baggies. In addition, as part of our effort to bring warmth to others, we are asking for donations of gently-used coats and new gloves/hats/socks. Please help us bless and bring warmth to our community!

An Important Note Regarding Monday, January 30th

On Monday, January 30th, the St. Joseph Campus and St. William Campus students will be spending the morning at St. Mary Campus to participate in a service project before the K5 through 8th grade students walk to Catholic Memorial High School for Mass. K3 and K4 students will return to St. William Campus after the service project.

Due to these plans, the St. Joseph Campus and St. William Campus students who ride the bus will be dropped off at St. Mary Campus in the morning. Students who are dropped-off using carline, will need to be dropped-off at St. Mary Campus.

[At this link we have provided a map](#) to illustrate the morning car-line process at St. Mary Campus. Those that utilize the St. Williams Campus Before and After Care Program will receive more information at a later date as to how transportation from St. William Campus to St. Mary Campus will occur.

Waukesha Catholic Book Fairs

The book fair is coming to both St. Mary and St. William Campuses! The fairs open Thursday, January 26th and will be open after all Masses at both parishes the weekend of January 28th and January 29th! Shopping either fair benefits ALL THREE campus libraries! Even if your child no longer attends class at one campus, you can volunteer at either campus! Volunteer opportunities working the fair are for adults only as the volunteers must handle money. To volunteer at St. Mary Campus, please see the sign up form enclosed in last week's packet. Below is the link to volunteer at St. William Campus. Thank you for supporting the Waukesha Catholic Libraries!
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0c4ba8a92aaa8-stwilliam1>

Read to Succeed

Reading logs for Read to Succeed are due on February 10, 2017. Students K5-6th grade can participate in this program to receive a free Six Flags Great America Ticket. Students must turn in a reading log to their teacher with 6 hours of recreational reading to qualify. If you have questions, please contact the Read to Succeed coordinator, Sheila Mroz, at smroz1973@gmail.com or 414-659-8651.

Scholarship Opportunity

The Seton Volleyball Tournament benefits The Waukesha County Catholic Elementary Schools Tuition Assistance Fund, which is used to make Catholic school education a real possibility for those students who may not otherwise be able to afford full tuition. All families whose children attend a Catholic school in Waukesha County are eligible to apply. A limited number of \$1,000 grants will be awarded. Your school does not have to be in the tournament to apply. [Go to this link for a copy of the application.](#) All applications must be received by February 1, 2017. Notifications will be made in March.

AUCTION



Step Into Willy Wonka's World...Dazzling Dining and Creative Cocktails Await!

Treat yourself to a spectacular night of fundraising fun on February 11th. You'll find marvelous surprises around every corner as you wine, dine, dance, socialize and bid on an outstanding selection of items during our silent and live auctions. Check out this year's exciting lineup of food and drink!

Before-Dinner Signature Drinks

- Fizzy Lifting Drink – a delightful concoction of gin, sweet champagne, lemon Juice and simple syrup
- Everlasting Gobstopper – a delicious blend of New Amsterdam Berry Vodka, Blue Curacao and cranberry juice
- Golden Ticket – a savory combo of whiskey and amaretto

DINNER MENU

Enjoy a fabulous three-course meal which includes your choice of one of four: beef, chicken, fish or vegetarian entrees and a glass of wine.

Salad Selection:

Mixed baby greens with candied walnuts, dried cranberries and feta cheese
Balsamic vinaigrette salad dressing, Ranch salad dressing, House baked rolls with butter

Filet Mignon Plated Entree

Center cut 6-oz. filet mignon, merlot demi glaze and herb butter
Fontina risotto and grilled asparagus

Halibut Plated Entree

Halibut with tart lime Beurre Blanc
angel hair pasta, lemon pepper drizzle, and grilled asparagus

Bruschetta Chicken Plated Dinner Entree

Bruschetta chicken with basil bruschetta mix
Angel hair pasta and grilled asparagus

Vegetable En Crouete Entree

Grilled vegetables, Bousin cheese wrapped in puff pastry and baked to golden brown in mushroom
Marsala sauce
Broiled herb tomato with fresh grilled asparagus

Dessert Selection:

Veruca caramel parfait, Red velvet cake, White chocolate mousse, Caramel with rainbow sprinkles

Stay overnight at the Marriott for a special low rate!

For just \$89, you can make the evening last by spending it at the Marriott. Once the auction wraps up, head back to your own private guest room to indulge in luxurious amenities and spacious accommodations. Sink into a luscious pillow-top mattress, triple sheeting and plush pillows for a restful night. Reserve your room by February 6th to take advantage of this great group rate. Don't delay! Turn in your golden ticket today! Your RSVP to this Willy Wonka-inspired gala is kindly requested by Monday, January 30th.

You Could Win a Year's Worth of Free Tuition!

For just \$25 per ticket, you can be a part of the auction's cash/tuition raffle. The winner will receive free tuition for one student during the 2017-2018 school year – a value of \$3,696! Or if you prefer, choose the \$2,000 cash prize. You don't have to be present to win! Tickets are going fast, so order yours today by filling out and sending in the Raffle Order Form. Increase your odds of winning by taking advantage of our 3 for \$60 ticket special.

Request for Gift Card Donations

We're seeking gift cards for our Auction Gift Card Pull. A special highlight of the auction, guests are always eager to "win" gift cards for restaurants, stores, movie theaters, gas and more. You can buy gift cards through Scrip to earn tuition credit and help out your school at the same time. If you're able to contribute, please send gift cards (or cash to purchase gift cards) to school with your child in an envelope marked "Auction" at your soonest convenience. Thank you in advance for your wonderful generosity and support of Waukesha Catholic!

Thank You Crossmark Graphics!

Weren't the auction invitations great? A big thank you goes out to Crossmark Graphics for donating the time and materials to produce this year's fun invitations!

STUDENT/FAMILY "SHOUT OUTS"

THANK YOU!

Thank you for your support of the 2017 Frosty Stomp! The dance was a huge success and the kids had a great time. The committee would like to thank all the families who generously donated food and drinks for the children to consume during the dance, as well as to those that helped set up, run concessions, sell glow sticks, work the admission table, and final clean-up, as well as these people: Nick Bailey, Bridget Panlener, Jennifer Dorff, Catie Joecken, Kris Bartels, Kris Havlik, Christine Kulinski, Andrea, William & Emily Gehrke, A.J. Goedheer, Renee & Arwen Traeger, and Jennifer Roubik. It was all very much appreciated. These events are not possible without you!

Athletics

You are invited to attend a basketball game at no charge on Saturday, January 28th. [Go to this link for the free pass!](#)

Parish & Community

St. Joseph Parish

- St. Joseph Parish is holding their 7th Annual Dinner Auction on March 18th. [See this flyer for details.](#)

CMH Musical "Hello! My Baby" - [see the flyer at this link](#)

Come out to see this amazing show! Catholic Memorial High School is only the 3rd school in the state to be performing this newly released show! *HELLO! MY BABY* reboots the hits of Irving Berlin, the Gershwins, Gilbert & Sullivan and more, weaving their beloved songs into a hilarious fresh, new musical. Showing the first three weekends of February, show times: February 3, 4, 10, 11, 16, 17 & 18 at 7 p.m., February 5, 12, & 19 at 2 p.m.

Buy your Tickets online at www.catholicmemorial.net, or at the Catholic Memorial High School Spirit Shop 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Mon-Fri. (Tickets are also available at the door while supplies last.) Catholic Memorial High School is located at 601 E. College Ave., Waukesha, WI 53186.

Marquette University H. S.

[MARQUETTE University High School wrestling & football information may be found at this link.](#)

**St. Joseph Campus
January 25, 2017**

Included in This Packet

Conference Confirmations
SJ February Calendar *2 sided*
Ski Club Confirmations for 1/27/2017 trip
Retreat Permission Slip *Grade 7 Only*
Registration forms for 2017-18
Tuition Assistance flyer
Catholic Schools Week flyer

Pea Pod Lunch Reminder

Our 7 & 8th grade retreats are planned for **Friday, February 10th**. If you have ordered a Pea Pod lunch for your student that day there is still time to request a credit. No credit will be given if no request is made! **This can only be done if it's at least 14 days in advance.**



Log in to your 4 Peas account, click on the "Order" tab and then Click on the calendar day and the meal you wish to cancel. An orange button will pop up to cancel and get the credit. Boom--the credit is immediately applied to your account.

Save the Date

On Wednesday, February 8th, plan to have lunch with your student! It's a fun lunch day; **student pizza lunches were ordered in August**. Parents are asked to bring their own lunch and enjoy your students company! We are asking parents to eat at the following times:

**A-L 11:30AM-12:10PM and
M-Z 12:10PM 12:50PM.**

Service Opportunity for Seventh and Eighth Grade Students

We are looking for seventh and eighth grade students who would be willing to provide childcare during our 5th Grade Open House and Chili Dinner tomorrow, Thursday, January 26, from approximately 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Campus. This is a great opportunity for students looking for service hours. If your child(ren) are interested, please contact Mrs. Dunk at ddunk@waukeshacatholic.org or 262-896-2930.

8th Grade Students

Waukesha Area Youth Summer Mission 2017-Fremont, Nebraska

Limited space remains for the 2017 Waukesha Area Youth Summer Mission trip which will take place June 25-30 in Fremont, Nebraska. This trip is a chance for teens throughout Waukesha to serve people in need while building strong relationships with friends and youth leaders. Any students currently in 8th grade and older are eligible to attend. Registration information and forms are available at www.catholic4waukesha.org, under the Citywide Info tab. For more information, contact Erin Erickson at 262-547-2763 ext. 211 or eerickson@swwauk.org.

St. Mary Campus

January 25, 2017

Tour Guides Wanted for Open House Events!

We are looking for parents who can help at both of our Open House events. St. William Campus Open House will be on Sunday, January 29th from 9:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m. St. Mary Campus Open House will be on Monday, January 30th from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. We are looking for tour guides for both of these events. If you have children at either of these campuses and love Waukesha Catholic, we will give you talking points. We need help giving tours to prospective parents and making them feel welcome while visiting Waukesha Catholic. Please contact Admissions and Marketing Director, Meghan Gorzalski, at 262-896-2929 x 1326 or at mgorzalski@waukeshacatholic.org. Thank you for your consideration!

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BOOK FAIRS

Book Fair News

St. Mary's Book Fair starts this Thursday. Your child will visit the fair during the day on Thursday or Friday with his or her class. You are invited to come and see what the excitement is all about during any of the open times, especially after Masses on the weekend and the Open House on Monday night, January 30th. Your child may come home with a personal wish list of books they would like to buy. This is only a list made by your child as a guide; you are not required to buy these books. When you visit the fair, look for the Teacher's Classroom Wish List display to see how you can help build your child's classroom library. Also, again this year, you may participate in the All for Books program before and during the fair. This program from Scholastic puts one book for each dollar contributed into the hands of a child who does not have access to books. The profits from the book fairs provide the budgets for our school libraries at the three campuses.

Hot Lunch

We need you! Once again, we are asking for help with hot lunch. If you have some time to spare please consider helping out. Please use the link below to sign up:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0e4da4ae28aa8-hotlunch1>



Looking Ahead

Thursday, Jan. 26 th :	5 th grade open house at St. Joe's, 6:00-8:00pm Book Fair begins today (in the Community Room)
Friday, Jan. 27 th :	MAPS testing ends School liturgy, 8:40am, 1-2
Saturday/Sunday, Jan. 28 th & 29 th :	Catholic schools week Hospitality Weekend after Masses
Monday, Jan. 30 th :	All school Mass at CMH 10:25am Open House at SMC, 6:30-8:00pm
Tuesday, Jan. 31 st :	Book Fair ends today

Included in Today's Packet

Registration information for the 2017-2018 school year
February calendar
Tuition Assistance flyer
Catholic Schools Week flyer

Waukesha Catholic – St. William Campus January 25, 2017

MONDAY: Catholic Schools Week – ** please note the start time of 8:20 **(start drop off is 8:10)

On **Monday, January 30th**, the St. Joseph Campus and St. William Campus students will be spending the morning at the St. Mary Campus participating in activities to celebrate Catholic Schools Week.

- St. William Campus students who ride the bus will be dropped off at the St. Mary Campus in the morning.
- Students transported by car will need to be dropped-off at St. Mary Campus. **Please drop off at 8:20 a.m.**
- Students attending the Before Care program at St. William will be transported by bus at **8:00 a.m.** to St. Mary Campus.

St. William students in K5 will be attending Mass at Catholic Memorial at 10:25, and bused back to St. William at the conclusion of Mass. St. William students in K3 & K4 will be bused to their campus following the activities at St. Mary Campus.

All St. William Campus students will be dismissed from the St. William Campus.
Please contact your child's teacher, or the school office with questions.

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Looking Ahead

January 29th – Open House 9:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

January 30th – Catholic Schools Week activities at SM campus (parents drop off students at St. Mary's)

Included In This Packet

February Calendar

2017-2018 Registration Form

Conference Confirmation Slips

Waukesha Public Library Brochure

Tuition Assistance flyer

Catholic Schools Week flyer