



Campus Connection

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Mission Statement

Waukesha Catholic instills faith and inspires futures by nurturing each child's gifts with an education rooted in the Gospel values and a culture of community, compassion, and love.

This Coming Week

[View the monthly calendar](#)

May 1 - Register for busing for the 2019-20 school year

May 3 - Mass at SJC at 8:35, Mass at SMC at 9:00, K3/K4 field trip, 8th grade retreat

May 6 - Teacher Appreciation Week! MAP testing begins, Athletic Board meeting at 6:30 p.m. SJC

Link to: [Website](#) [Handbook](#) [Athletic Page](#) [Order SCRIP](#)

Kovaleski's "Key" Notes

Safe Environment Week April 29th -May 5th

The Archdiocese of Milwaukee recognizes April 29th –May 5th as Safe Environment Awareness Week. Each year in the month of April, which is recognized around the country as child abuse prevention month, we dedicate a week to elevating the general awareness of the Church's efforts to keep our children safe. We want people to know that we are committed to maintaining safe environments in our parishes and schools through adult child abuse prevention training, criminal background checks for all clergy, volunteers working with minors, and employees, safety training for children in each grade level, and mandatory reporting requirements.



Archdiocese of Milwaukee
Safeguarding All of God's Family
Safe Environment Week - Proclamation

WHEREAS, Safe Environment Week is for every parish and school, as well as the entire faith community to focus, at the same time, on the importance of keeping our children and youth safe;

WHEREAS, child abuse and neglect are societal problems whose prevention depend on involvement among people throughout the faith community;

WHEREAS, our children are our most valuable resources and will shape the future of not only the Archdiocese of Milwaukee but also the entire Church;

WHEREAS, the theme for this years' Safe Environment Week will be "On this path we are not alone";

WHEREAS, acknowledging that as a Church we have much work to do to rebuild the trust that has been broken;

WHEREAS, we acknowledge that as bishops, clergy and church leaders we must work together as a community to increase awareness about child abuse and neglect and work to promote the social and emotional well-being of children, youth and families in a safe, healthy and nurturing environment;

THEREFORE, I, Archbishop Jerome E. Listecki proclaim the week of April 29th – May 5th, 2019 as Safe Environment Week in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. I ask that all participate and acknowledge each other with the love and mercy of God the Father.

Most Reverend Jerome E. Listecki
Archbishop of Milwaukee

Weekly News

Donations to Healing Hearts of Waukesha.

Thank you for your generous donations to the penny drive during Lent. The three campus locations donated a total of \$1,082 to Healing Hearts of Waukesha.

Scrip

Culver's Night is coming on May 14th! Order your Culver's gift card to use at the Culver's Night and support the school in two ways with just one purchase. Gift cards are available in \$5 or \$25 amounts with a 10% rebate!

Mother's Day is just around the corner! There's still time to order a gift card. Bonus rebates at Bath & Body Works, 1-800 Flowers, and many more!

Order by 9:00 a.m. Monday, May 6th for delivery on Thursday, May 9th.

If you are new to the Scrip program you will need to create an account at www.shopwithscrip.com and use our Waukesha

Catholic #8AL3CL461142 to register. Do you have questions about the Scrip program? Contact Charlotte, our Scrip Coordinator, at scrip@waukeshacatholic.org or 262-896-2929 ext. 1331 for more information.

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Calendar Dates for 2019-20 School Year

The final calendar will be ready at a later date, but [at this link](#) are some key dates we wanted to make sure you have in advance.

Requests for Placement

Last week's Campus Connection contained information pertaining to teacher requests for the 2019-20 school year. Should you want to make a request, please carefully review that information before completing/submitting your request form. [Teacher Request Information Link](#)

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

May 6th- 10th

Waukesha Catholic will be celebrating our teachers, teaching assistants, and resource specialists next week. Please take a moment to thank them for all they do!

	MUFFIN MONDAY: A warm cup of coffee and muffins in the teacher's lounge.
	TIME OUT TUESDAY: Cousins Subs provided for lunch.
	"WHAT WE NEED" WEDNESDAY: The students are encouraged to bring in an item off the attached list. Lunch provided by Familias Hispanas .
	THANK YOU THURSDAY: Thank you notes created by students. Special treats provided by Home and School.
	FUN FRIDAY: A surprise gift as a small token of our appreciation.

Home & School

Teachers' Week

Home & School is sponsoring teachers' week and is in need of helpers on Monday, May 8th and Tuesday, May 9th. Please go to this link to sign up: <http://bit.ly/HSTA2019>.

If you would like to make a donation to "What We Need Wednesday", [go to this link to see the list of items on the teacher's wish list](#).

Marker Recycling Program

In celebration of Earth Day last week (April 22nd), Home and School would like to do our part to help the environment and has partnered up with Crayola ColorCycle, a green initiative by Crayola, to reduce plastic marker waste in our landfills.

Instead of tossing your old, dried out markers into the garbage, leave them in the ColorCycle bins located in your school's office. Home and School will periodically send the markers to Crayola to be recycled! Markers can be any brand – they even recycle dry erase markers, highlighters and Sharpies! Don't forget to bring your old markers from home, too!

Save The Date!

Parents! In almost ONE MONTH we're partnering with the experts at @Boosterthon to power our Fun Run program, making our fundraising easier, more profitable, and more fun! Check out this video for a brief overview of #Boosterthon. <https://vimeo.com/254873625>

If you are interested in volunteering on the day of the event, May 31, please email us at homeandschool@waukeshacatholic.org.

H&S Parent's Night

Parent's Night will be held on May 21st from 5:45 - 6:45 p.m. in the Community Room at St. Mary Campus. The topic is **Internet Safety**. Child care will be provided, as well as light snacks and refreshments.

Home and School is looking for five students still needing volunteer hours, to provide babysitting for the parents of younger children attending the Parent's Night - Internet Safety at St. Mary's. The event will be held on May 21st. The meeting will begin at 5:45 p.m. and will be about an hour. We are asking for the students that are volunteering to arrive at 5:30 p.m. **Please email** Jacquelynn Metoff **by May 14th at** jimetoff8@gmail.com if your student is interested in this volunteer opportunity, or if you have questions! Encourage your student to ask their friends to join them in this fun volunteer opportunity!

Catholic Community of Waukesha

Join St. Mary Parish for Demystifying Foster Care

Listen to speakers on May 8th at 6:30 in St. Mary's Community Room. [Go to this link for more information](#).

Archdiocese of Milwaukee 175 years

175 years is a lot to celebrate, and we have a lot to offer in the celebration! A full day of free activities await you and your family on Saturday, May 4th from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. We hope to see you there!

Why May 4th? May 4, 2019 commemorates 175 years to the approximate day the first Bishop of Milwaukee, Bishop John Martin Henni, arrived in Milwaukee in 1844.

What is all happening on May 4? The celebration will start in Pere Marquette Park, then process to the Cathedral for an 11:00 a.m. Mass. The celebration will continue in Cathedral Square, as we join together in a fun-filled family day of music, food, games and a youth 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament. Learn more at <https://www.archmil.org/175th-Anniversary/Events/175-Alive.htm>. 175.archmil.org

Community

Healing Hearts - Celebration of Hope

The Healing Hearts of Waukesha will hold their annual fundraiser on Saturday, April 13 at Marriott West. [Go to this link](#) for the details.

Summer Camp Opportunity

Carroll University's Prairie Springs Environmental Education Center will be offering their second year of nature-based summer camps this upcoming July 2019. We've included some new additions. We also are starting a new, free drop-in program – Wednesdays of Wonder – that will take place in both spring and summer 2019. Go to this link to see the [Summer Camp Schedule](#), as well as the [Wednesdays of Wonder](#) Flyer.

Catholic Memorial High School Opportunities

- 2019 Summer Camps are available for students entering grades 1-12. Summer camps are a great way for kids to get active, build their skill sets and meet new friends! There are opportunities for every interest from athletics, drama, arts, science and much more!
- Register Today at www.catholicmemorial.net and click on Summer Camps!

Waukesha Public School - Summer School

The 2019 Summer School registration is now open. Please refer to the Summer School website ([2019 Summer School Website](#)) for a list of classes. To register for a class please call Sara at 262-970-1002 or email her at summerschool@waukesha.k12.wi.us.

Young Adults ages 13-16 – Caddie & Leadership Academy

[Go to this link for information.](#)

**St. Joseph Campus
May 1, 2019**

Included in This Week's Campus

SJ May Calendar *2 sided*
MAP Testing Info *youngest*
Camp Minikani Letter –*Gr. 6 Only*

Child Care Needed

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Vocation Day Camp Information

For middle school boys who are entering the 2019-2020 school year in the fall. Use this link below for more information.

<https://www.thinkpriest.org/Middle-School-Vocation-Camps.htm>

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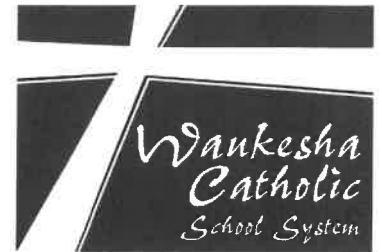


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Box Top News

Our Easter box Tops contest has ended. The 7th graders had the most eggs in their basket - with 5 eggs! They will be receiving a special treat for their Egg-cellent effort.

Our last contest for the year will have the theme "Hard Work Pays Off". Each grade will have a piggy bank. For every sheet turned in, your grade will receive a Box Top Buck in your bank. The grade who turns in the most bucks per student will win a non-uniform day. The contest will end on May 31st.



May 1, 2019

Dear Parents of 1st – 8th grade students:

During the weeks of May 6 - 24, your child will take tests called Measures of Academic Progress™ (MAP). We give our students MAP tests two to three times each school year to determine a child's instructional level, to assist teachers in differentiating instruction, and to measure academic growth throughout the school year, and from year to year in the areas of Reading, Language Arts and Math. Your child will take the tests on a computer.

MAP tests are unique in that they adapt to be appropriate for your child's level of learning. As a result, each student has the same opportunity to succeed and maintain a positive attitude toward testing. And with MAP tests, we can administer shorter tests and use less class time while still receiving detailed, accurate information about your child's growth. During the next testing period, your child will spend a total of about 2-2.5 hours completing these tests.

We are truly excited to continue this era that focuses on every child's individual growth and achievement. **Partnering to help all children learn**, parents and teachers can have a profound positive effect on the lives of our children.

For more information on resources for parents, please visit www.nwea.org/parent-toolkit.

Sincerely,

Lisa Kovaleski
Principal

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Dear Parents and 6th Graders,

We're leaving for YMCA Camp Minkani Thursday, May 16th at 8:45 a.m. As you prepare for camp, remember to pack for the weather. We will be outside all day both days, even if it's raining! Check the reminder list (students received another copy today) for items you will want to pack. We will be returning Friday, May 17th around 2:15 p.m. Students should plan on taking their normal mode of transportation home at 3:25 (car or bus) unless a note has been given to the school office stating otherwise. Students may **not** ride home from camp with chaperones that are not their parents.

The address for camp is 875 Amy Belle Road, Hubertus, WI, and the phone number is (262) 251-9080. If you have an emergency and need to reach us, I will carry a cell phone at all times. That number is (414) 651-3949.

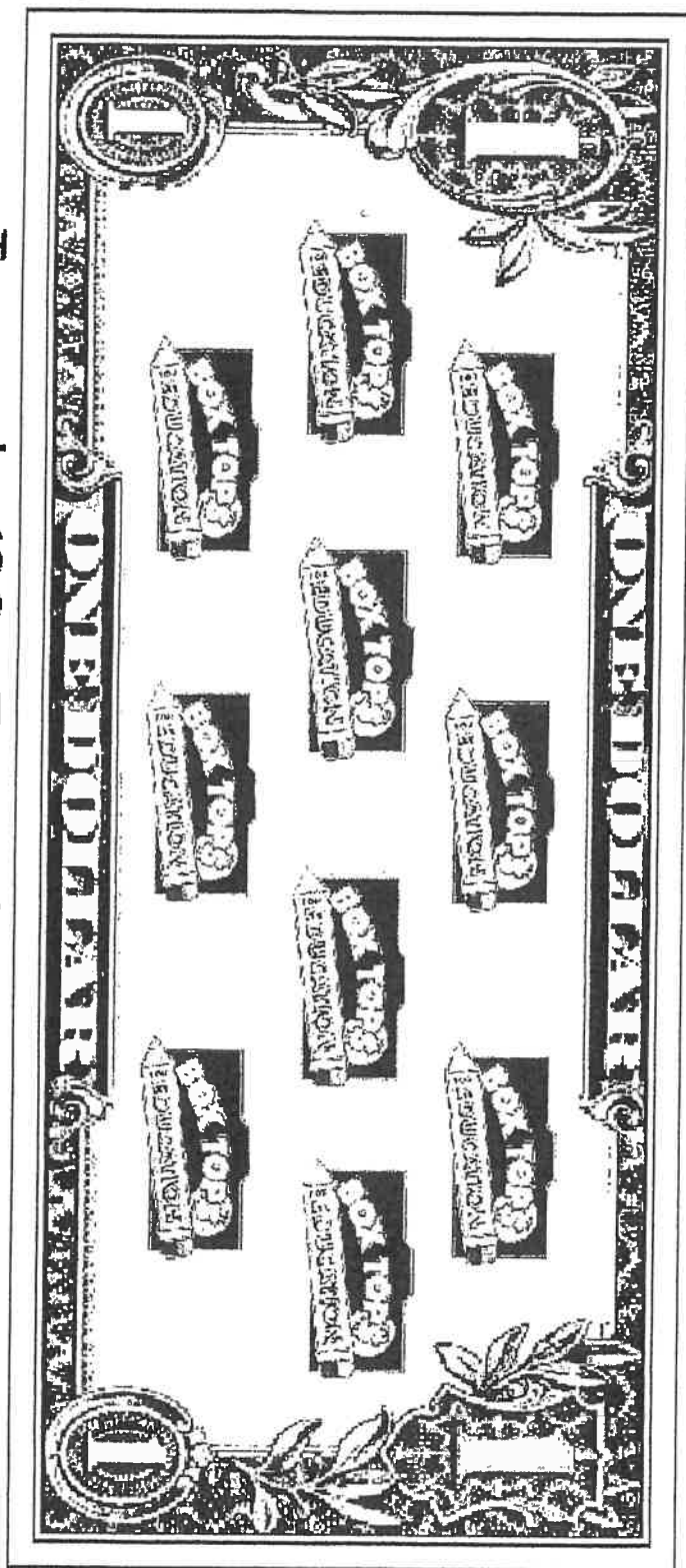
One last reminder: If your child will be taking medication while at camp, you should have/will need to document that on the medical release form that was included in the camp permission slip packet (let me know if you need another copy). Include information regarding amount and frequency of the dosage as well as the time of day it should be given. Please note:

- The medication must be in the original packaging and placed in a baggie labeled with your child's name. Be sure to provide enough dosage for the duration of the trip.
- Prescription medication **MUST** have your medical provider's signature on the form in order for us to administer the medication at camp.
- Turn the medication into me before departure Thursday morning. Just as in school, students may not be in possession of their own medication, whether prescription or over-the-counter.
- Epi pens and inhalers are authorized for self-carry and should be carried at all times by the student.

We're looking forward to a great camp experience!

Sincerely,
Kelly Rheume

BOX TOPS COLLECTION SHEET



Tape or glue 10 Box Tops to this and it magically becomes a Box Tops Buck for our school!

Name: _____ Teacher: _____

St. Mary Campus

May 1, 2019

Fun Day Information

Included in today's packet is the lunch order form for Fun Day, which is scheduled for Tuesday, June 11th. The food option is a sub sandwich from Pick N' Save. If you choose not to order from Pick N' Save you will be responsible for sending a lunch with your child on Fun Day. All forms and money are due by Wednesday, May 15th. **Please note that there is one form per student. The form must be returned even if your child is not ordering from Pick N' Save.** If you have any questions, please call the school office.



Also...Help Needed!

We will need someone to coordinate pick up and distribution of the subs on Fun Day, as well as volunteers to help serve lunch on that day. If you are available to help with this, please complete the enclosed form and return it to the office as well.



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Looking Ahead

Friday, May 3rd: School liturgy, 1-2, Pupp
Monday, May 6th: Scrip orders due
MAP testing begins
Athletic Board meeting at 6:30pm, SJC

Included in Today's Packet

May calendar
MAPS letter
Sub day order form and volunteer flyer
Box Tops sheet
Library flyer

St. William Campus

May 1, 2019

K3 & K4B PARENTS – PLEASE REMEMBER THAT FRIDAY DISMISSAL IS 12:45 P.M. DUE TO THE ZOO FIELD TRIP



St. William Campus Preview Day

On Friday, May 10th St. William Campus will host a Preview Day for classes of the 2019/2020 school year. The orientation includes our current K3 & K4 students that will attend school at St. William Campus in the fall, and all new students registered for the fall. Preview begins at 9:30 a.m. and ends at 11 a.m.

All students will be dismissed at 11:00 unless child care has been arranged.

Please contact Mrs. Steinbrecher if you have child care needs: care@waukeshacatholic.org.

Current K5 students and those students not returning to Waukesha Catholic will not attend the Preview on this day. If daycare is needed, please let school know so we can arrange for staffing.

Vision Screening Volunteers Needed

The St. William Campus will be having a volunteer agency come in on May 20th & May 21st to screen all students' eyesight. The children need to be brought back and forth from their classroom to the testing area – groups of three or four at a time. I am looking for some parent volunteers to assist with this task. If you are safeguarded and can volunteer, please use the sign up genius link to sign up at

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0849aaaa2ca1f49-vision3> or email me at

alottes@waukeshacatholic.org. Student siblings may accompany you. Thank you! Ann Lottes

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Looking Ahead

May 3rd – K3 / K4 Field Trip to Milwaukee Zoo

May 6th – May 10th – Teacher Appreciation Week

May 10th – **No School for K5 students today** (please refer to Preview Day above) - 2019/2020 class orientation

Included In This Packet

Safeguarding DVD Permission Slip