



# ST. MARY ELEMENTARY WEEKLY UPDATE

DATE October 12, 2016

## IMPORTANT DATES



SMCS EMAIL NEWSLETTER



SMCS CALENDAR PAGE

- Thur 10/13 First magazine sale turn in date
- Fri 10/14 8:10 Liturgy (1<sup>st</sup> gr)
- Sat 10/15 Family Feud at FAEC
- Sun 10/16 World Mission Sunday
- Tue 10/18 Open House  
Early registration begins
- Thur 10/20 Last magazine sale turn in date
- Fri 10/21 8:10 Liturgy (5<sup>th</sup> gr)  
End of magazine sale  
Brewfest
- Tue 10/25 SMCS On Track Presentation
- Thur 10/27 Halloween Party
- Fri 10/28 No school
- Mon 10/31 5<sup>th</sup> grade caving trip
- Tue 11/1 8:10 Liturgy (4<sup>th</sup> gr)  
All Saints Day
- Wed 11/2 All Souls Day
- Fri 11/4 No School  
End of quarter
- Sun 11/6 Daylight Savings Ends
- Tue 11/8 Election Day
- Wed 11/9 Pastries with Principals
- Fri 11/11 8:10 Liturgy (3<sup>rd</sup>)  
Jumbo Gumbo  
Veterans Day

### School Prayer Cards

We believe in the power of prayer! Because we know that prayer can impact lives and families, each week we choose different families to pray for. This week we are praying for the Deleeuw & Groom families.

### SMCS Links

Click on the newsletter link above to read the system news for details about the following, or click on the links for related attachments only:

[SMCS Fine Arts Family Feud](#) \* Amazon Smile \* St. Baldrick' thank you! \* [Brewfest!](#) \* [ON TRACK-- Saving for College](#) \* Family Survey \* Save the Date--Jumbo Gumbo \* Shadow Days Sign Up ([middle school](#) or [high school](#)) \* [Elementary School Information Events](#) \* [Middle School and High School Information Night](#) \* Shop with Scrip! \* [Eucharistic Adoration](#) \* In the Community (all new) [Youth Hockey](#), [YMCA Boys Basketball](#), [St. Mary/ St. John Craft Fair](#), Cor Jesu, Janssen Forum \* SMCS In the News ([SMCHS Blood Drive Award](#), [SMCHS Yearbook Award](#))

### Open House

Save The Date for St. Mary Elementary Scavenger Hunt and Open House! On Tuesday, October 18, our school will be hosting a community Open House and Scavenger Hunt from 5 pm until 7 pm! All are invited, so bring your friends, neighbors and family to participate in games throughout our building! Free Pizza Dinner and Inflatable Obstacle Course included! We need everyone's help to make this a success, so please consider helping out in some way. [Click here for the signup genius.](#)

### School Store

Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, marks the opening of our School Store! The fifth graders will have the school store open from 7:35-7:45 outside of the office. Currently, we plan to have the store open each Friday morning, but depending on merchandise and schedules, we will play it by ear. Most of the items sold cost less than \$1.00 or no more than \$2.00. Come visit us on Friday mornings to purchase fun pencils, erasers, pens, highlighters and more!

### Halloween Party

St. Mary Elementary Halloween Party will be held on October 27<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 PM until 7:30 PM. Kids are encouraged to wear their costumes to come and play games and enjoy Halloween snacks. The games will have small prizes and a chance to win a ticket for bigger prizes. We are asking parents to donate prizes. Those with last names starting with A-P: a bag of candy, and those with last names starting with Q-Z: a bag of small toys. Anyone that has new or gently used items (such as books or toys) that can be used for the prize table can donate them via the box in the office.

### Magazine / Cookie Dough Sale

Our annual POPs Magazine / Cookie sale is on its way. The first drop off is this Thursday, October 13. The magazine / cookie sale ends Thursday, October 20.

### Thank you

Thank you to all who made sure we had a delicious meal during conferences last night. It is a busy night for us and the dinner is very appreciated.

## **POPS Meeting Notes from October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016**

### ***Halloween Party (10/27 6p – 7:30p)***

- Plans are being made for the Halloween Party. A Sign-Up Genius will go out for the food and we will be asking for prize donations for the prize table. If you would like to help with decorations or games, please contact Lauren Moder.

### ***November & December Teacher Appreciation Treats***

- A small November treat is planned. And we will do Christmas Cookies as the December treat. A flyer will go home with dates in early December.

### ***Jumbo Gumbo***

- POPS has made a monetary donation to Jumbo Gumbo each year, and we will do the same again this year. A \$250 donation is planned.

### ***Next Meeting Date***

- Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup> @ 1:30p