

# ST. MARGARET MARY ELEMENTARY WEEKLY UPDATE

DATE February 8, 2017



St. Mary Catholic Schools  
Grades P3-5

St. Gabriel Elementary  
St. Margaret Mary Elementary  
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## IMPORTANT DATES

February ~ Belief

9<sup>th</sup> Conferences

10<sup>th</sup> No Liturgy

10<sup>th</sup> Deadline for tuition  
assistance applications

11<sup>th</sup> Wines Around the World

14<sup>th</sup> St. Valentine's Day

14<sup>th</sup> Snowshoeing field trip-5<sup>th</sup>  
grade

15<sup>th</sup> FACES Meeting

16<sup>th</sup> No school Staff  
Development

17<sup>th</sup> No School Winter Break

20<sup>th</sup> No School Winter Break



SMCS EMAIL NEWSLETTER



SMCS CALENDAR PAGE



Wines Around the World is this weekend! Mark your calendar for Saturday, February 11 at 6:00 p.m. Join us at North Shore Golf Club for the "All that Jazz"-themed evening that begins with a glass of champagne and provides many opportunities for unique and valuable live- and silent-auction items, as well as entertainment by the Mark TeTai Jazz Quartet.

Please click on the link for tickets and information.

<http://smcatholicchools.org/support-us/wines-around-the-world/>

The staff of SMM hope to see you there. We appreciate the support that this fundraiser gives to our school community.

### **New snap bid item!!!**

Did your child ever ask to invite his/her teacher over? Many times students want their teacher to visit them at home. If question has ever come up at your house, this is the item for you!

**Games Night with a Teacher-** There will be 11 snap bids for a teacher to join your family for a 1 ½ hour game night. Talk to your child tonight to see if this is something they would love. Featuring teachers from a variety of grade levels, guidance and library!

### **Pizza with a teacher**

Back by popular demand, with a slight twist! This year your child can choose a staff member to have Broken Tree pizza with.

**BOX TOP CONTEST** is underway!!!! Bring in those box tops between **FEBRUARY 6-15th!** Class with the most box tops wins their choice of an extra recess or a popcorn party! Thanks in advance for clipping box tops. Our school earned about \$600 from our last contest.



### **Souper Bowl of Caring**

Thank you to all of the families that donated food to St. Joseph's Food Pantry last week. We collected 1307 items for those in need. Congratulations to Mrs. Zelinski's 2<sup>nd</sup> grade! Winners of the SMM Souper Bowl Trophy

Be sure to check the picture collage at the end of the news update for pictures of the fun things going at SMM.



Our high school **math team** started the week with another win, this time in the small school division at Roncalli. We now have three high school **VEX teams** qualified for the upcoming state tournament, and eighth grader Mitchell Lukasik will represent us at the **state geography bee** after winning the SMCMS competition on Wednesday. In addition to these accomplishments, all of our students had fun with special plans for CSW.

Based on feedback from our short survey, we have concluded that in lieu of a formal presentation of the **State of Our Schools** this year, our team will be preparing a written summary of the highlights from the past year, as well as a glimpse into what we have planned for 2017. This information will be sent to all school families and faculty and staff, and will be made available on the SMCS website by the end of February.

### **St. Mary Winter Escape: Dueling Pianos!**

This fun event will take place this year at Pullman's in Appleton on Saturday, March 4, 2017! [Click here](#) to find out more and for a link to the page where you can sign on as a sponsor, purchase tickets or make arrangements to have someone in your party serenaded!

### **Scrip Schedule for Winter Break**

[Click here](#) to see the schedule for Scrip over the weeks (February 13-24).during which winter break (Feb 16-20) falls.

### **End of Application Period**

Friday, February 10 is the last day to apply for financial aid for the 2017-18 school year. [Download](#) and complete the application today!

**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 or webpages only:

Changes and additions to the [SMCS calendar](#) \* [Wines Around the World \(tickets, program\)](#) \* [Zephyr Spirit Wear \(soccer, track, non-specific\)](#) \* [Tuition assistance applications](#) (deadline this week) \* WPCP [online application](#) now open! \* [WPCP Info Session](#) \* [Fine Arts Fruit Sale](#) \* Facebook Highlights ([Jan 27-Feb 2](#)) \* Booster Club [help needed](#) (2/11-12) \* Arts Scholarships (K-12) \* On Track: [Retirement Assets](#) \* Enrichment Update \* [Road Construction Update](#) \* [Zephyrfest Key Club](#) \* [Road Construction Update](#) (revised 1/31/17) \* Parochial School Tax Deduction \* In the Community (Janssen Luncheon Speakers Series, ["The Mass: Becoming What We See"](#))



# FISH FRY for FAITH

*All proceeds will go to support St. Mary and St. John Parishes*

## Friday, March 17th

4:00 – 7:30 pm

| St. Mary's cafeteria

### DINNER MENU:

*Includes choice of Potato (French Fries, Baked, Potato Salad), Coleslaw, Rye Bread, Coffee, & Dessert*

**Fried Perch, Baked Haddock or Fried Haddock ~ \$12.00**

**Make any meal a Double Order ~ \$18.00**

**Senior Citizen Portion ~ \$ 8.00**

### CHILDREN'S MENU:

*Includes French Fries & Dessert*

**Perch ~ \$ 6.00**

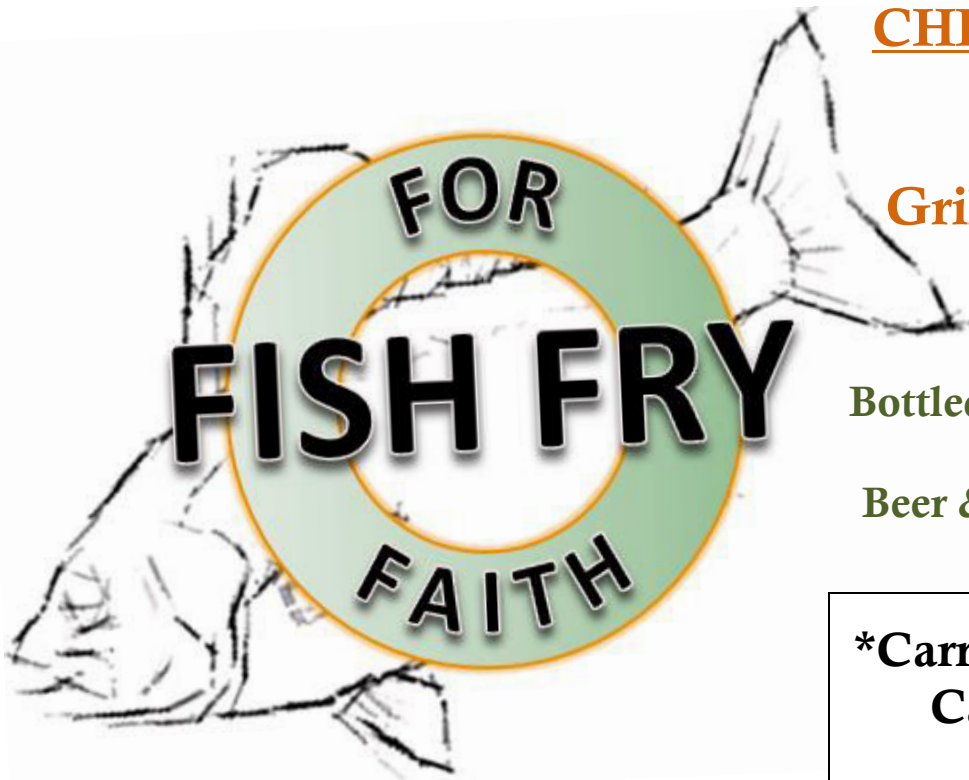
**Grilled Cheese ~ \$ 4.00**

### BEVERAGES:

**Bottled Water & Soda ~ \$ 1.00**

**Milk & Juice ~ \$ 0.50**

**Beer & Wine Coolers ~ \$ 2.00**



**\*Carry-out 4:00 – 7:00 pm**

**Call: 920-725-7714**

*\*please add .50 per meal*

***Sponsored by C.I.A.*** *If you are interested in joining, ask us about C.I.A. at the fish fry!*

# ON TRACK!



## SMCS FREE EDUCATIONAL SERIES

The ON TRACK series of evening seminars is hosted at the Jane Bergstrom Fine Arts Education Center at St. Mary Catholic High School during the school year and is offered in partnership with community resources and field experts. All workshops in the series give participants practical insight and tools to help them live a more secure, healthy and happy life.

### SESSION 2

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2017: INCOME SAVVY TURNING YOUR ASSETS INTO RETIREMENT INCOME

### WHAT:

You've worked hard to build up your retirement assets. And now, with retirement in sight, it's time to shift the focus from saving for retirement to generating income. This presentation is designed to help you make informed decisions about your retirement income and help create a personalized income strategy that's right for you.

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

Future retirees or retired people who want to maximize their retirement income

### PRESENTED BY:

**Scott VanDeHey, Registered Representative, VanDeHey, VanDeHey and Associates, CRD #:1868621**

Securities and investment advice offered through: Capital Financial Services, Inc.,

Broker Dealer Investment Advisor Member FINRA and SIPC 501 Nathan Lane, #4, Elkhorn, WI 53121 262-723-3331

**Don Welch, Divisional Vice President, AIG**

**Clifton Kreuzscher, Attorney**

### TIME:

All sessions begin at 6:30 p.m.

### COST:

Compliments of St. Mary Catholic Schools (at-will donations accepted)

### WHERE:

The Miron Forensic Theater

Jane Bergstrom Fine Arts Education Center

1050 Zephyr Drive, Neenah, WI



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### April 11, 2017: 21st-Century Parenting – Keeping Your Child Safe

Presenter: Village of Fox Crossing Community Liaison Officer Jason Weber

Learn tips about monitoring your child's social media presence, new drug trends in our community, and ways to keep your child safe during these challenging times.

To attend any of these seminars, interested participants should email Michelle Dejno at [mdejno@smcatholicschools.org](mailto:mdejno@smcatholicschools.org) to reserve a spot. Walk-ins welcome.