



## **Monday Morning Message Saint Mary Catholic School**

*"We Walk With Jesus"*

**Week of August 28th through September 1st**

It's September already!

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**Join us in praying for our new Bishop-elect, Bishop William A. Wack.**

**Welcome Bishop Wack!**

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**A HUGE thank you to our PTO for a wonderful Spaghetti Dinner! We loved seeing all our families and the new faces!**

**we**   
**VOLUNTEERS!**

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**Student Council Speeches will take place on Monday, August 28th at 8:05 AM in the PLC Cafe, followed by the Elections.**

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### **Rachel's Challenge Meeting**

The first Rachel's Challenge meeting will be Wednesday, August 30, at 7:15 AM, in the Library. Rachel's Challenge is our anti-bullying, positive environment club. Get involved!



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## **Middle School Book Club**

The first Book Club meeting will be Wednesday, August 30th at 11:30 AM in the Media Center.

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## **Middle School Sports**

Cross Country and Volleyball Practice has started!

Come out and cheer our Archangels at their Volleyball Match, this **Wednesday, 4:00 PM at Pryor Middle School!**



Both Cross Country and Volleyball Schedules are posted on the school website. The link below is to our Sports Page with the Athletic Forms (Middle School Athletics Packet, Athletics Travel Form, and Emergency Contact Form).

<http://www.saintmaryschool.net/athletics>

Paper work and fees should be turned in together. Contact Mrs. Abel, [serra.abel@saintmaryschool.net](mailto:serra.abel@saintmaryschool.net) with questions.



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## **School Liturgy**

**Thursday, August 31st**

Saint Mary School Mass will be on Thursday, at 8:15 AM in the church. All parents and friends are invited to join the school community in prayer for a successful school year. Students in grades **1st-8th** will attend.

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## **PTO MEETING**

Our first PTO meeting was very successful. Our next meeting will be Monday, September 11th, 8:15 AM in the Café. If you can't attend, please know there are many ways you can be part of our PTO. Check out our PTO page on the website and read the minutes from the meeting. We need our PTO!



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## IMMUNIZATIONS

To attend school in Florida, the state requires that students have on file a Florida school physical and a current immunization form 680. Please be sure your student's forms are current by the first day of school. 7th graders are required to have a current TDAP booster. Immunization form 680 must be updated to verify.

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### Information from the Office:

Lunch payments are not through Facts as we have a separate USDA Lunch Program. If you have a question on your lunch account, please contact Mrs. Thompson or Mrs. Seilhan in the Cafeteria. They will send home payment notices every two weeks.



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We do not have a cash till in the Office and cannot make change. Please pay any fees with check or exact amount cash, or we can put the change towards lunch, etc.

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We have already had a virus hit one of our classes. Please remember our policy: students should not return to school until 24 hours after they are fever-free. This is to help stop the spread of illnesses.



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**REMEMBER, IF THERE IS A CHANGE OF PLANS FOR HOW YOUR CHILD WILL GET HOME, PLEASE NOTIFY THE OFFICE BEFORE 2:15 PM.**

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**Carpool: And if you are checking your child out early from 2:45 PM on, please do not park in Middle School Carpool or you will be stuck until the end of Carpool as the Carpool lines**

take precedent for safety reasons. Please park in the Church Administration parking lot if you are not participating in one of our Carpool lines.

*Reminders for a safer and more efficient carpool:*

- 1. Please have your cell phone put away when picking your child up.*
- 2. Please encourage your child to load quickly so we can close your doors and then pull away from the carpool line to buckle seat belts or car seats.*
- 3. If we are retrieving your child from after care, please pull up far enough to keep from interfering with the regular flow of carpool.*

*Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!!*

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FLOCKNOTE

Sign-up for our Flocknote Texts! The sign-up is on our website.

<http://www.saintmaryschool.net/>

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**Looking Ahead:**

**Monday, September 4th, Labor Day Holiday**

**Tuesday, September 5th, First Student Council Meeting**

**Thursday, September 7th, NJHS Induction**

**Monday, September 11th, Monday Morning Meeting**

**Wednesday-Friday, September 20th – 22nd, School Play Try-outs**

**Friday, September 22nd, 8th Grade Boat Races**

Questions? Please contact the school at [office@saintmaryschool.net](mailto:office@saintmaryschool.net).