

SAINT MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL MESSAGE



Welcome to the 2018-2019 School Year!

The first day of school was a wonderful day! It was so great to see all the smiling faces of our students and families. At Saint Mary Catholic School we work diligently to assure all students meet their academic potential, but Catholic schools do more: we also teach the values of hope, love and community. Welcome to the SMCS Educational Community!

Some Reminders:

- 4TH TO 8TH MUST WEAR PE UNIFORMS ON DAYS THEY HAVE PE.
- FINANCE QUESTIONS? CONTACT MRS. DEMKOWICZ OR MRS. WHITE.
- ATHLETIC SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOES MUST BE SOLID WHITE OR SOLID BLACK. WHITE SOLES ARE ACCEPTED.
- PLEASE TURN IN HANDBOOK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM.
- *FIRST TWO WEEKS OF SCHOOL WILL BE INDOOR DISMISSAL, EXCEPT FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL*

**8TH GRADE MOVIE NIGHT,
FRIDAY 5:30PM**

**EXTENDED CARE 'BEYOND
THE BELL' STARTS MONDAY
AUGUST 13TH**

**FIRST SCHOOL LITURGY IS
THIS WEDNESDAY AUGUST
15TH, 8:15AM, PARENTS
INVITED TO ATTEND**

**VOLLEYBALL AND CROSS
COUNTRY PRACTICE BEGINS
THIS WEEK**

**AUGUST 23RD, 5:00PM,
OPEN HOUSE/SPAGHETTI
DINNER**

WEEK OF AUGUST 12, 2018

Parents' Corner

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.

FLOCKNOTE

Are you receiving our text messages? We highly recommended signing up for our Flocknote for important information.

Go to our website and look for the Flocknote Signup on the front page, just fill in your information and you're finished!

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

PTO CORNER

Thank you to Mrs. Kirk for our PTO Reception! It was fabulous to see everyone, both returning and new families. Our first PTO Meeting will be **August 20th, 6:30 PM** in the PLC Cafe. Hope to see you there!



ARCHANGELS ATHLETICS

Our first sports of the year are Cross Country for 5th grade to 8th grade boys and girls, and Volleyball for 5th - 8th girls. Both start practice this week.

Contact Mrs. Serra Abel, our Athletic Director, with questions. Athletic Forms (Middle School Athletics Packet, Athletics Travel Form, and Emergency Contact Form) to participate are available through the link below. Only students with completed paperwork will be able to practice.

http://www.saintmaryschool.net/athletics_serra.abel@saintmaryschool.net with questions.

Faculty News

We are thrilled to announce the addition of two new members to our faculty!

Mrs Brandy Rice is our K3 Teacher, and Mrs. Madeline Williams is one of our 3rd Grade Teachers. Marissa Davis will be the 4th Grade Paraprofessional. Welcome to the SMCS Family!

We also have some exciting faculty changes. Mrs Serra Abel is serving as our Assistant Principal. Mrs. Abel is a SMCS alumni, and is working on her Master's degree in Education Leadership.

Mrs. Beth Parker is our Catholic Immersion Director, and Middle School Religion Teacher.

