



Irish Update

December 6, 2024

ST. MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL BREAKFAST WITH SANTA & THE ELF

Saturday, December 7th 9:00 - 11:00 AM
Pancakes and photos
Students \$7.00, Adults \$10.00, Family
breakfast \$30.00





COOKIE DECORATING KIT

\$20

One kit includes 1 dozen pre-baked sugar cookie cutouts, 3 colors of buttercream frosting, and 3 types of sprinkles.

A limited number of kits will be available to purchase at Breakfast with Santa on December 7th. If you would like to reserve your kit, please email Rebecca Soffian at rsoffian@gmail.com.

Student Council will be selling Christmas Smencils every morning until Christmas vacation!

Christmas Spirit
Days
December
18th - 20th



**Wednesday, December 18th- Ugly
Christmas sweater day (jeans allowed)**

**Thursday, December 19th- Pajama
Day!!!!**

**Pj's must be school appropriate and
tennis shoes need to be worn for
recess. Slippers can be worn during
the day.**

**Friday, December 20th- Christmas
Crazy Red & Green Day. (jeans
allowed)**



Merry Christmas!!!!

- School spelling bee is scheduled for Monday, December 16th at 9:15 AM in the new gym. This is for grades 4-8. Parents are invited to attend.

Home and School News

Thank You to everyone that purchased and volunteered for our poinsettia sale. We want to thank our chairperson Kaelly Erb for heading this up!

Santa shop will be Dec 17-19. Students have the opportunity to shop for their immediate family members where every item costs \$1. If we have enough inventory on the last day, we will open shopping up for non-household family/friends but please start with just your in-home members. Use the shopping list attached to today's Irish update or print the form on the last page of today's update to fill out and send back with your student to assist them in shopping. You can send their money in with their lists also (younger grades) Pre-made gift tags are VERY helpful for the younger kids. We also encourage families to send a large shopping tote/bag with their students to carry all of their gift's home.

We still have open shifts available in Track It Forward.

Our uniform closet is in need of pants hangers. If you have any that can be donated (with the clips) we would greatly appreciate it!

The lost and found area is in great need of organization. It is FULL of stuff. We are looking for a volunteer to sort through the items before the Christmas parties. PLEASE check Apple Square when you are in the school to claim your child's lost items before Christmas break.

Christmas Pajama Skating Party is Friday December 13 at the Marietta Roller Rink 5-7pm. Free admission and skate rental. Christmas pj's are optional but encouraged!!

Thank you to everyone that participated in the Five Below fundraiser. Sales with St. Mary's flyers were a little over \$600 which earned Home and School \$60! Every little bit helps us give back to the school and students so Thank You for supporting us!

We are adding to the Path of Faith - the brick patio in the grassy area between the paved parking lots at school. These personalized bricks make great gifts for Christmas, birthdays, graduations, etc. You and your loved ones can become a permanent part of St. Mary Catholic School legacy. Order forms are being sent home with all students this week. You may also simply visit the online ordering portal. Contact Bri Moore with any questions. 740-350-9660.

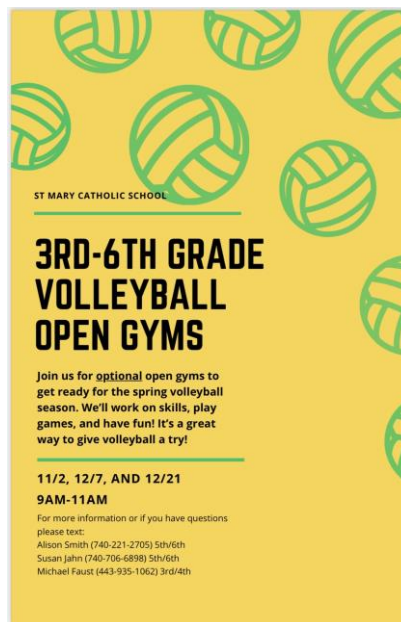
Ordering will remain open until May 1, 2025.

<https://www.thatsmybrick.com/stmarysschooloh>

We have a special announcement about an upcoming school play! Mrs. Kern & Mrs. Becker are beginning to think about ideas for a play

this spring. Students in grades 3-8 who may be interested in learning more about the play & opportunities to be a part of the cast or crew, please sign a sign-up sheet that will be in the office. More details & announcements will be shared after the holidays.

The open gym scheduled for this Saturday is canceled.



The Irish Booster organization is doing an online team spirit blanket sale!

Click the link to see the blankets and obtain the order form! *IRISH SPIRIT*

 [Team throws fundraiser.docx](#)



Learn 🍀 Serve 🍀 Lead 🍀 Succeed

Comfort Keepers Senior Food Drive
8th grade service project
December 2nd-13th
Winning class earns a pizza party



- ✓ Dry Beans
- ✓ Canned fruit
- ✓ Canned soup
- ✓ Canned tuna
- ✓ Canned chicken
- ✓ Canned vegetables
- ✓ Creamy peanut butter
- ✓ Cereal
- ✓ Unsweetened juices
- ✓ Shelf-stable milk



Santa Shop at St. Mary School

Dec. 17, 18, & 19, 2024

If your child wishes to shop at school, please send this list with cash or check made out to St. Mary Home & School on or before these shopping dates. We should have an assortment of gifts for men, women, siblings, and pets. We are still taking donations of giftable items as well as wrapping supplies (preferably gift bags/tags/tissue paper- gently used is fine!)

Thank you for supporting Home & School!

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7. _____
8. _____



*****There will be no after care on Friday, December 20th*****



Parents Night Out

Do you need a night to yourself?

Want to go out to dinner, finish your shopping or just sit in the quiet? Well no problem! Drop the kids off to Miss Kim and her Merry Helpers!! We will take good care of them! We are going to show Christmas movies, make a Christmas craft, have hot cocoa and of course there will be SNACKS!!

Date: | SATURDAY DEC. 14TH

Time: 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Location: ST. MARY | Little Gym

Cost: \$ | \$30⁰⁰ one \$50⁰⁰ Two

Ages: Children Pre-School and up!!



RSVP to Miss Kim at 740-434-3212



Today St. Nicholas visited our students!

