



Irish Update

May 16, 2025

Home and School News

**Thank you to everyone that purchased from
Jersey Mikes!!**

**We are still selling bricks for the Path of Faith
in our school parking lot. See the flyer to order
a great graduation gift, fun family item or even
a brick in memory or honor of someone!**

Field Day!!!

**Monday May 19 will be our Field Day at St.
Mary Catholic School. This will be such a fun
day for the students and staff. Please consider
volunteering to help us! You can sign up in
Track It Forward. Thank you to everyone who
quickly signed up to bring in donations for the**

day. We are so lucky to have such a great group of parents that help us in so many ways!



The poster features a light blue background with a yellow sun in the top left corner. A green shamrock with a yellow banner reading "St. Mary CATHOLIC" is positioned to the left of the word "Field" in a large, green, cursive font. The word "DAY" is in a bold, yellow, blocky font. Below this, "MONDAY, 5/19" is written in a green, blocky font. A large, yellow, cloud-like shape contains the event details in black text. At the bottom, an illustration shows four diverse children (two boys and two girls) pulling on a rope with a red triangle in the center, set against a background of green grass.

Field DAY
MONDAY, 5/19

Get ready for a day full of fun, friends, & sunshine!

School Schedule:

- Regular drop-off & pick-up @ school
- Preschoolers will join the fun in the morning only!

Dress for Fun (but follow the Dress Code):

- Spirit wear encouraged!
- Athletic wear allowed
- Leave the skirts & sandals at home

Lunch Plans

- Hot lunch will still be available as usual.

Snacks & Cool Treats:

- We've got you covered with morning snacks.
- Plus, popsicles in the afternoon!

What to Pack:

- A small cinch sack with sunscreen & a water bottle.
- Grades K-8: Pack a change of clothes (we're having water games!) & a white t-shirt to tie-dye!

Last Day of School Pool Party
Home and School will be sponsoring a pool party at the Marietta Aquatic Center on the last day of school. We are so excited to have a different venue this year and we are praying for good weather!

A flyer for a pool party. The background is light blue with water splashes. In the top left is a yellow sun. In the top right is a green shamrock with a banner that says 'St. Mary CATHOLIC'. The title 'POOL PARTY' is in large, green, bubbly letters. Below the title is the date 'FRIDAY, 5/23'. The text 'SPLASH INTO SUMMER!' is in bold black. Below it is a list of participants: Grades K-7, Preschoolers, and 8th Graders, each with a sub-bullet about coming to school or joining with a grown-up. Then 'POOL PARTY TIME!' is in bold black, followed by instructions to start in classrooms and walk to the Marietta Aquatic Center. A list of items to bring includes swimsuit, trunks, towel, sunscreen, money for concessions, and an optional ball. At the bottom right, a yellow box with a dashed border contains the text 'YOU MUST CHECK OUT AT THE FRONT TABLE BEFORE LEAVING'. Decorative elements include a beach ball on the right, a life preserver and a tube of sunscreen on the bottom left.

POOL PARTY
FRIDAY, 5/23

SPLASH INTO SUMMER!

- Grades K - 7
 - Come to school at your usual time
- Preschoolers
 - Join the pool party if you bring a grown-up!
- 8th Graders
 - Feel free to join in the fun one last time!

POOL PARTY TIME!
We'll start the day in our classrooms, then walk to the Marietta Aquatic Center!

- Party Hours: 10:45 am - 12:45 pm
- What to Bring
 - Swimsuit (wear it under your clothes)
 - Trunks are okay as shorts (with a shirt)
 - Towel
 - Sunscreen
 - Money for concessions (no outside food)
 - Optional: ball for the grassy area

YOU MUST CHECK OUT AT THE FRONT TABLE BEFORE LEAVING



Teacher Amazon Wish lists 2025

Updated 5-15-25

Preschool 3-Mrs. Kim Kytta -

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/6TQ9100JAFGJ?ref=wl_share

<https://a.co/d/hgpHh2l>

Preschool 4-Miss Stephanie McCutcheon

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/21ATYJVJP4QPL?ref=wl_share

Pre-Kindergarten- Mrs. Meredith Becker

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2IHVXO6U77BMK?ref=cm_sw_em_r_un_un_hJKUgdyWcXtqO

Kindergarten-Miss Emily McCutcheon

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/22GEBXMMBTKYY?ref=wl_share

1st Grade-Mrs. Neva Kern

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/24M4QODJK73ZR?ref=wl_share

Mrs. Cathy Rauch-2nd Grade

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2DJK5RTYEAS8U?ref=wl_share

3rd Grade-Mrs. Ashley Greene

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1WJFWV346RPPJ?ref=wl_share

3rd Grade-Mrs. Mindi Bichard

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/22CCV7LY71BEU?ref=cm_sw_sm_r_un_un_xyKuZmgohq4Tt

4th Grade-Mrs. Savannah Huck

<https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/18YVC5L0LZ725>

5th Grade-Mrs. Jaime Cunningham

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/3RIHBWL37F44B?ref_=wl_share

6th Grade-Mrs. Lacey Worthington 6th grade homeroom/Junior High Math

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/UCEDC6204L3C?ref_=wl_share

6th & 7th Grade Religion-Mrs. Yvonne Huck

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2GT8Z7Z7Z22SX?ref_=wl_share

Mrs. Amy Huck –7th Grade Homeroom -TAG and Middle School Science

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2YZNGKQAH0INQ?ref=cm_sw_em_r_un_un_gStPP3z073oVI

Mrs. Stacy Binegar-Middle School Social Studies

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/27SUCT9B7EZ69?ref=cm_sw_em_r_un_un_dtojnV2eAc6s5

8th Grade- Mrs. Birge 8th Grade homeroom/Junior High ELA

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2RRRL59X9YZWER?ref=cm_sw_em_r_un_un_H4UgK3NME SL1Y

Art- Mrs. Shawna Linscott

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2SDVPT1LQR02B?ref=cm_sw_em_r_un_un_IIN5VFt61CEXC

Mrs. Bri Moore

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/278ZESQ6DTKNF?ref=cm_sw_em_r_un_un_YaDVORrGxvRir

Mr. Ontko-Music

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/101LBZP7N3C17?ref_=wl_share

Mr. Seth Allen-Technology & STEM

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/36PDXWJ66F8QF?ref_=wl_share

Staff

Here's the staff STEAM list- for science and math

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1IKDQKQ4YDMNV?ref_=wl_share

Parents of current 5th, 6th, and 7th graders interested in Volleyball

We are gathering names of girls who would be interested in playing middle school volleyball in the fall. We WILL be able to have 6th graders play up this year on the 7th/8th grade team. Right now, we are just gathering information so we can see what numbers we have and determine the best way to fill the team based on the response. We would need to know a final answer by mid-June though for the purposes of the 7th and 8th graders being able to play at their home schools if need be.

For the 6th grade age group, a couple notes: this would run at the same time as the fall basketball league, however, last year we only had one Saturday game for volleyball (schedule unknown this year). Volleyball practices would be Monday through Thursday in the big gym. We would also do some non-mandatory open gyms this summer. Also, there will still be a 5th/6th grade volleyball team in the spring and the girls can play on both teams or just the 5th/6th spring team.

If your girl is interested (whether entering 6, 7, or 8th) in playing in the fall or you have any questions please reach out to Alison Smith [740-221-2705/morganrun837@aol.com](mailto:morganrun837@aol.com) by 5/23.

2025-2026 CALENDAR

St. Mary Catholic

21-Teachers 1st Day
25-Open House
27-First Day for Students

AUGUST 2025						
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1-2 Christmas Break (No School)
5-Students Return
16-End of the 2nd Qtr.
19-Martin Luther King Day (No School)
25-31 Catholic Schools Week

01-Labor Day (no school)

SEPTEMBER 2025						
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12-Midterm 3rd Qtr PT. Conferences
13-Professional Development (No School)
16-Presidents Day (No School)

03-PT Conferences (No School)
17-Diocesean Inservice (no school)
31-End of 1st Quarter

OCTOBER 2025						
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16-27 MAPS/CogAT Testing
20-End of the 3rd Qtr.
30-31 Spring Break (No School)

10-No School
11-Veterans Day (No School)
25-Midterm 2nd Qtr.
26-28 Thanksgiving Break (no school)

NOVEMBER 2025						
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1-6 Spring Break (No School)
24-Midterm 4th Quarter
20-24 Ark Testing

22-31 Christmas Break (no school)

DECEMBER 2025						
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20-Last Day of School
21-Records Day
22-Inservice Day

Teachers Only
Students Return
No School

Attached to today's Irish update is the yearbook order form for the 2024-2025 school year. Yearbooks are \$25 each. Orders are due by Wednesday, May 21st and yearbooks will be available when we return to school in the fall. Questions? Please contact Mrs. Bradley If you have photos from class parties and events from the year, please feel free to email them to Mrs. Bradley at tammibradley@stmaryscatholic.org for consideration to be placed in the yearbook.

The Irish Baseball Teams want to thank the following sponsors for creating their home baseball field. The boys have been playing hard and invite you to the following games to support their season: 12U plays at home on May 22nd and June 2nd and 10U plays at home on May 20th. Go Irish!



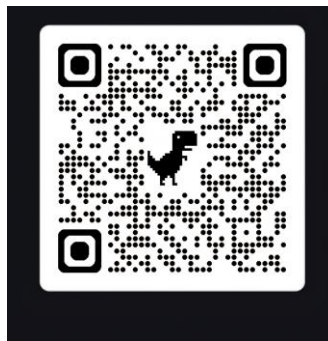


Voting Begins Soon

Will your favorite young explorer appear
in a Ranger Rick magazine and earn
\$20,000?

5th Grade student Nathan Soffian, a nature loving young man is entering a contest to win a National Parks Ranger appearance with Jeff Corwin and possibly win \$20,000! Voting begins on Sunday, May 19th! The link to log in is below as well as the QR code to vote for Nathan!

<https://jr-ranger.org/2025/nathan-625e>



Thank you from the 2nd grade class who collected over 120 pairs of shoes for the Soles4Souls service project. The class delivered the shoes to Cobbler John on Thursday! 😊



Summer Enrichment from Miss Kim

I can't believe it, but the end of the year is fast approaching and it's time to start thinking about summer plans. I will once again be planning to host a summer of enrichment at St. Mary's for children Preschool through 5th grade.

The enrichment program combines recreation with hands-on academic skills. By continuing to review grade level material the students will be academically challenged while learning new skills in a fun and interactive way! Often in summer, there is a small backslide in academics and this camp will help to counteract that while promoting additional growth.

The camp will run on Monday's and Wednesday's from 9:00 AM – Noon. It is not necessary to come to every session, but registration is required. Enrichment will be held at the school and the cost is \$35 per day per child. Sibling discounts are available.

For more information or to register, please contact Miss Kim at (740) 434-3212.

There are several teachers who are offering tutoring services this summer. If you are interested in tutoring, please call the school office and add your name to the list.