



# St. Patrick Catholic School

SUCCESS Every Day for Every Student

May 10, 2017

## Principal's Corner

Please join us for the Mass this Friday as we welcome two Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist to our parish and school community. After Mass an adult lunch and information gathering will be held in the school office building. Contact Ms. Sroka in the school office if you can attend so we can provide an appropriate amount of food for guests. After this students will be divided into various groups and attend a presentation by the Sisters.

Another informational parent meeting will be on Thursday, May 18 at 7 pm. It is entitled *Stress Management for Youth* and will provide helpful in by professionals in helping our youth deal with stress and the many unhealthy choices that our society promotes. Please join us for this session as it will also provides an opportunity to ask questions regarding the grade 7/8 student session that will take place on Tuesday, May 23.



## CATHOLIC FEAST DAYS

5/12 Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, St. Pancras  
5/13 Our Lady of Fatima, 100th anniversary  
5/15 St. Isidore



## OUR LADY OF FATIMA

A 9:00 am Mass will be held on Saturday, May 13 at the Divine Grace St. Joseph site. to honor the 100th anniversary of Apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima. Afterwards a clean up is being hosted by Men's club. Please bring gloves, hedge clippers, rakes, garden tools, etc. Lunch will be provided.



## FAUSTINA: MESSENGER OF DIVINE MERCY

On Friday, May 12, at 7:00 pm, St. Anthony Catholic Church in Temperance will be host to the one woman production of *Faustina: Messenger of Divine Mercy*, performed by Maria Vargo of Saint Luke Productions. Suitable for ages 13 & up; Free-will offering. For more Information please call the Parish Office 734-854-1143, or go to our web-site: [stanthonytemperance.org](http://stanthonytemperance.org). St. Anthony Church, 4605 St. Anthony Road, Temperance, Michigan 48182.



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# CALENDAR CORNER



## Thursday, May 11:

Grade K, 3, and 4 visit Greenfield Village  
Jean Day with SPS spirit tops for registered students

## Friday, May 12:

School Musical at 9 am  
Mass at 11 am with grade 3/4 readers  
Dominican Sisters lunch with guests and then visit  
students in the afternoon  
School Musical 7:00 pm

## Tuesday, May 16:

Lake Erie Water Festival—grade 5/6

## Wednesday, May 17:

Protecting God's Children Workshop—6:00 p.m.

## Thursday, May 18:

Jean Day with SPS spirit tops for registered students  
May Birthday Celebration

## EXPLORATORY CLASS SCHEDULE

**Week of May 15: STEM 1: K-8**

**PE:** Gr. K-4 (M -T); Gr. 5-8 (W-F)

**Week of May 22: PE:** Gr. K-4 (M-W); Gr. 5-8 (Th-F)

**MUSIC:** Gr. K-8

## MUNCHY CART TIME



Don't forget to donate to the Munchie cart which can be found in the hallways each Friday during May. This week the cart will be out on Thursday due to the very busy schedule on Friday. If you are able to assist students at the Munchie cart at approximately 1:30 p.m., please contact the school office.

## HONORABLE MENTION AWARDS FOR MICHIGAN EARTH DAY POSTER CONTEST

This year our school received a record number of student honorable mention certificates for our students' efforts with their Earth Day posters which were sent to the Michigan Departments of Environmental Quality, Agriculture and Rural Development, and Natural Resources Poster Contest. Congratulations to the following students who will receive their certificate in the award packages given to students on the last school day. Brody Meiring, Sarah Busen, Elsie Lange, Isabelle Jones, Jessica Helfrich, Hannah Roof, Taylor Sestak, Alexander Giarmo, Caleb Totten, Brock Cousino, Zachary Vroman, Madison Boehm, Adela Illes, Lilly Sienkiewicz, Sophia Goins, Ava Cousino, Gavin Langton, Kyree Hinkle, Joel Scully, Tom Peterson, Gabriel Bruck, Nicholas Bokuniewicz, Cale Jones, Angie Illes, Genavieve Bylow, Aisley Cousino, and Corey Carmack.

## EarthDay Poster Design Contest



## GRADE 3/4 ENJOY ICE CREAM AND BINGO

Thank you to the Mike Peterson family who donated Divine Mercy "Sundaes" long with Ms. Meiring' team who provided the Saints' bingo with prizes. Grade 3/4 received this treat from a generous high auction bidder of the Sundaes and Game Time auction package. Thank you also to Monique Peterson who shared information on Divine Mercy Sunday before students received their ice cream sundaes.

## MAY CROWNING ON MAY 9



Thank you to grade 2 student representatives Ava Cousino and Thomas Peterson and grade 8 students representatives Alaina Jones and Andrew Wickenheiser who crowned our Blessed Mother's statue in the Peace Garden.



## Grade 5/6 IHM MOTHERHOUSE VISIT



Today our students visited the IHM Motherhouse for Mass and to share a presentation on Women Saints and Blessed-who were mothers. We are grateful to our divers as well as Mrs. Wickenheiser, Father Steve and Ms. Meiring who joined us. Below are the Holy Women who serve as role models for all of us and a quality for each:

The Blessed Mother: Virtue

St. Gianna: Sacrifice

St. Monica: Persistence

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton: Withstanding Hardships

St. Judith: Living a Simple Life

St. Anne: Mother of the Blessed Virgin Mary

St. Teresa of Calcutta: Charity

Blessed Maria Corsini: Kindness

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## LAST SCRIP ORDER MAY 18

Thursday, May 18 at 1:00 p.m. is the last time to order physical scrip cards. Don't forget to order your reloadable gas cards now for your summer travels!

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

The Sestak family on the death of Carrie Sestak's father, Michael Bourgeois.

## HAPPY MAY BIRTHDAY

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| Aidan Gannon     | Grade 5 | May 3  |
| Emily Johns      | Grade 4 | May 10 |
| Cyrus Marks      | Grade 7 | May 11 |
| Alexander Giarmo | Grade 4 | May 16 |
| Phineas Totten   | Grade 1 | May 19 |
| Kyree Hinkle     | Grade 2 | May 24 |
| John Illes       | Grade 5 | May 27 |
| Piper Salenbien  | PK-4    | May 31 |
| Benjamin Illes   | PK-3    | May 31 |
| Heidi Cousino    | Grade 1 | May 31 |

## KUDOS

- To this week's morning prayer readers: Andrew Wickenheiser and Alaina Jones
- To those who are assisting Mrs. Iott with play practices and costumes.
- To Abby Jones who assisted the office with moving munchie cart items
- To Alex Monske who assisted the office with organizing the virtue cards
- To all who donated or purchased items for the Elly Day Bake Sale.
- To the Hypio family for providing lunch for the staff last Friday.
- To the students who took leadership roles at last Friday's Mass: Alexander Giarmo and Kendall Bruck (readers); Gavin Langton and Steven Hypio (offertory); Abby Jones, Raschel Weaver, Rebecca Vroman, Emmie Dalton, Katelyn Karwick, and Gracie Bylow (choir); Andrew Wickenheiser, Seth Jones, Lauren Monske, Calvin Bradley, and Adam Goins (altar servers).
- To Jessica Jones for her help in the office this afternoon.



## PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN AT ST. PATRICK CHURCH IN CARLETON

Protecting God's Children workshop will be Wednesday, May 17 from 6-9 pm in the St. Patrick School basement. Light dinner at 5:30 pm. Anyone 18 years and older who has contact with children in a volunteer or paid position in our parish or school needs to complete this workshop including sacristans, adult acolytes, and funeral luncheon workers. Register early. This is a closed session for our parish until May 1, then it will be open to other parishes. **Register at [virtus.org](http://virtus.org).**



## IT'S SHOW TIME !

Join the St. Patrick Catholic School Students as they present the musical, *Charlie Meets Willy Wonka* this Friday May 12 at 7 pm in the school gymnasium. With a cast of over 30, there is a high level of excitement so come join the fun! Thank you to Mrs. Iott, and her team of parent volunteers who are working diligently with scenery, props, costumes, and rehearsal practices.

