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## Parent Newsletter

November 3, 2017

**Fall Back:** Daylight Savings Time ends this weekend. Don't forget to "fall back"!

**Picture Re-takes:** Geskus will be here at 8am on Thursday, November 9 for school picture retakes. If you would like to have your child's picture retaken, please let Mrs. Joy and their teachers know and send the first set of photographs back with them.

**Bussing Change:** There is no afternoon bussing on Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>.

**Book Fair:** Our book fair begins on Friday, November 10 and end Sunday, November 19. It is a great time to stock up on books for Christmas! We are also looking for someone to help with the book fair. There is a sign-up sheet in the hallway with time slots to help out.

**End of Marking Period:** We completed our first marking period for this school year. Report cards will be sent home on Monday, November 6<sup>th</sup> and Parent/Teacher Conferences for Grades K-8 will be held on Thursday, November 9 from 4pm to 7pm. Grades 2-5 will also have an additional date on Tuesday, November 7, from 4pm to 6pm. Please call Mindy to schedule your appointment (547-9441). Anyone who has not scheduled their conference by Nov. 6th will be assigned a time.

**We Love St. Marys!** Check out the board in the hallway titled, "What I love about St. Mary School". There are sticky notes and pens for you to write your answer to that statement. We would love to hear from everyone!

**Jean Day:** Our next Jean Day is Friday, November 10. Students may wear jeans with a St. Mary School shirt or, in celebration of Veteran's Day, a red, white and/or blue top.

### Upcoming dates:

November 5: 10-1 Pancake Breakfast  
November 6: Report Cards Sent Home  
November 6-11: Vocations Awareness Week  
November 7: Election Day!  
November 7: 5:30 SAC meeting  
November 8: 8:30 K-5 Mass  
November 9: 8:30 6-8 Mass No Band **NO PM BUSSING**  
November 9: Picture Retakes at 8am  
November 10: Jean Day with donation to the Food Pantry  
November 10: Raven Hill to visit St. Mary School  
November 11: Veteran's Day  
November 13: Wreath Order Forms Due  
November 21: Wreath are delivered  
November 22-24: Thanksgiving Break  
December 13: Christmas Program 6pm

### Special Schedule:

Monday: Computer  
Tuesday: Art; K-5 Spanish  
Wednesday: Music  
Thursday: P.E.  
Friday: Library for K/1, 2/3 and 4/5  
Band: Every day except Mass days  
6<sup>th</sup>: 8am-9am  
7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> 9am-10am