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**Parent Newsletter**

**January 12, 2024**

**MISSION STATEMENT**

The St. Mary Catholic School community empowers students to grow spiritually, academically, creatively, and physically so they may experience, understand and live their responsibilities to God, family, community and self.

**No School:** We do not have school on Monday, January 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Spelling Bee:** St. Mary Students in grades 5-8 will have our annual Spelling Bee on **Monday, January 22**, at 10:30 am in the Family Center. Parents are welcome to watch! Word lists were sent home with students. Thank you to Maura Snabes, a former St. Mary School parent, for facilitating this.

**Catholic Schools Week** begins from January 28 at the 8am student led Mass and ends with special person's day on Friday, February 2. We will celebrate with Mass at 12:30am and a reception following. A full schedule is attached. We are looking for a few volunteers to help. Attached is a sign up for a pancake breakfast on Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C45ABAB2EAAFDC25-47214313-pancake#/>

**End of Marking Period:** January 18 is the last day of our 2<sup>nd</sup> marking period. Report cards will be sent home on January 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**School Closings:** When the Charlevoix Public Schools cancel classes due to inclement weather, St. Mary School is also closed. To receive notification from St. Mary School, you may sign up for Remind by following the link and entering your contact information.

<https://www.remind.com/join/1005bridge> OR send a text to 81010 and text this message: @1005bridge

Week at a glance.....				
Monday, January 15	Tuesday, January 16	Wednesday, January 17	Thursday, January 18	Friday, January 19
<b>NO SCHOOL</b>	Hot Lunch: Tacos	<b>8:30am Mass</b> Hot Lunch: Soup and Sandwich	Music ½ Day of School Dismiss at 11:20	<b>Art</b> ½ Day of School <b>Dismiss at 11:20</b>
	Pray for Hadley	Pray for Hudson	Pray for St. Mary Students	Pray for St. Mary Parents
	Maggett; Kurtz	Jess: Peak		

**Upcoming Dates:**

January 15: No School – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

January 17: 8:30am School Mass

January 18: Half Day of School

January 19: Half Day of School

January 22: Report cards sent home

January 22: 10:30am Spelling Bee

January 28: Catholic Schools Week Begins

January 28: Pancake Breakfast

February 2: 12:30 Student Mass/Special Person Day

February 14: Ash Wednesday – Lent Begins

March 21: ½ Day of School

March 22: Spring Break Begins

March 29: Good Friday

March 31: Easter Sunday

April 2: School Resumes