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Parent Newsletter

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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.

Hot Lunch Help We have many days in April that we need a 2nd helper during lunch. Please let me know if you are able to help! Easy way to get your remaining parent hours in.

2024/2025 Registration: 2024/2025 bright yellow Registration forms were sent home last week with your child. Please fill it out as soon as possible. If you are not planning on returning, please note that on the sheet and still send it back. Thank you.

Open House: Our All School (Preschool- 8 grade) Open House and registration for new families will be held on Tuesday, April 16st from **5:30pm to 7:00pm**. If you know of anyone with children who may be interested in St. Mary School, please encourage them to attend. You are our best form of advertisement! Please forward the attached flyer to anyone you think may be interested.

Powertown Presentation: On Friday, April 26, we are having a presentation by Great Lakes Energy called "Powertown" for students in grades 2 - 4 from 9 a.m. – 9:40 a.m. and for students in grades 5 – 8 from 9:50 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Great Lakes Energy employees come to St. Mary, set up a demonstration with interactive pieces, and show students the importance of electrical safety. This presentation is a wonderful experience for students to learn about electrical safety through a visual display and presentation! Thank you, Great Lakes Energy!

Junior Sailing School: Sail Charlevoix's Junior Sailing Program is looking forward to another enjoyable summer on Lake Charlevoix. Weekly Sessions Available Junior Sailing (ages 8-18):
 Boyne City June 10 - June 27 Charlevoix June 24 - August 9
 They also offer racing lessons (ages 10-18), limited boat rentals and adult lessons. For more details visit sailcharlevoix.org.

Week at a glance.....				
Monday, April 15	Tuesday, April 16	Wednesday, April 17	Thursday, April 18	Friday, April 19
	P.E. Hot Lunch: Spaghetti 11am 2 nd Grade Swimming Lessons	Hot Lunch: Macaroni and Cheese	Music Hot Lunch: Soup and Sandwich 11am 2 nd Grade Swimming Lessons	Art
Pray for Hudson	Pray for Fletcher	Pray for Blaine	Pray for Rubi	Pray for Zoe
Pirie; help needed	Maggrett; help needed	Peak; Jess	Tofil; Maggrett	Mailloux; Shoemaker

Upcoming Dates:

- April 16: St. Mary School Open House 5:30pm to 7pm
- April 16: 7/8 grade to St. Michaels 8:30 am to 1pm
- April 16, 18, 23 & 25: 2nd Grade Swimming Lessons 11-12:30
- April 26: Great Lakes Energy "Powertown" Presentation
- April 28: 10am Confirmation and First Holy Communion
- May 2: Catechism Bee in Gaylord – Madison Lasky
- May 7: 4pm SAC Meeting
- May 16: Spring Music Program
- May 24: ½ Day of School
- May 27: Memorial Day No School