



**St. Mary Catholic School**  
**2018-2019**  
**School Year Calendar**  
**Subject to Change**  
**Revised 6.19.18**

<b>School Hours</b> Kindergarten - 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	7:30 am – Morning Drop-off begins <b>7:45 am – 1<sup>st</sup> Bell</b> <b>7:55 am – Tardy Bell – you are to begin the day</b> 11:30 – AM Kindergarten Dismissal 3:10 – Dismissal 12:00 – Dismissal on Half-Days
Full-day Preschool	8:00 – 3:00
AM/PM Preschool	AM – 8:00 - 11:00 PM – 12:00 - 3:00
August 14	AOD Catechetical Day @ University of Detroit
August 15	School Office Opens – 8:00 – 2:00
August 16	Book Distribution K – 8 teachers/8 <sup>th</sup> grade Volunteers 9 – 12:30
August 20	Mass & First Meeting 8 – 3:00 September Monthly Activity Calendar Distributed
August 21	8:30 First Aide & CPR, K – 6 Meetings to follow
August 22	Grade Book Set-up
August 23	Sneak Peek 5:00 – 8:00 pm SMS Backpacks (aka Latchkey) Registration
August 24	Words Their Way K – 4 – Lunch provided Writing Rubric 5 – 8 Math & Science Classrooms 6 – 8
August 27	Calendar Meeting – All Clubs/event dates needed September Monthly Calendar due to Sherry
August 28	1 <sup>st</sup> Day of School <b>Kindergarten – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> 1/2 Day – 12:00 Dismissal Casual Attire Dress Code – See Website
August 29	1 <sup>st</sup> Full Day of School – <b>Kindergarten – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> AM & PM Latchkey Begins First Day of Uniforms 10:00 Fire Drill
August 30	Full Day of School <b>Kindergarten – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> Uniforms 1:30 Fire Drill October Monthly Activity Calendar Distributed
August 31 – Sept. 3	No School – Labor Day Weekend
September 4	First Day of School for 3-Year-old AM & PM Preschoolers First Day of School for 4-Year-old <b>5-Day</b> Full Day Preschoolers Hot Lunch Begins
September 5	First Day of School for 4-Year-old AM & PM Preschoolers First Day for 4-Year-old <b>3-Day</b> Full Day Preschoolers

September 6	Parent Night No Athletics
September 9	CYO Fall Sports Mass @ 10:00 am
September 10	11:20 – Lunch time Fire Drill 6:30 – 7 & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Night – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade DC Meeting
September 11	7:00 pm Parish Commissions & Councils St. Mary 2019/20 Budget Mtg. Pennies from Heaven Begins
September 14	Constitution Day Celebration Red, White & Blue \$1.00 Jeans Day Proceeds for Wounded Warrior Project Book Fair Set-up October Monthly Calendar Due to Sherry Specials Newsletter sent out
September 15	St. Peter 175 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Reception after 4:00 Mass
September 16	Catechetical Sunday – All Teaching Staff attend 10:00 Mass St. Peter 175 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Reception after 10:00 Mass
Week of September 17	Fall Book Fair Direct Certification Report from State of MI
September 17	5 <sup>th</sup> grade student Altar Server Training Begins - 1:55 Students meet in Compass Foyer
September 18	Little Mountaineers Session #1 Begins
September 19	9:45 Tornado Drill
September 21	1 <sup>st</sup> Mass @ St. Peter 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Relighting Ceremony following Mass
September 24	Altar Server Training – 1:55 Religious Education Begins November Activity Calendar Distributed
September 25	Religious Education Begins
September 26	Picture Day 4 yr. Preschool – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade 3:45 – MCC Benefits Presentation – Fr. Welch Hall
September 27	Picture Day – 3 yr. old Preschool Progress Report Day 1 & 2 grades
September 28	No School – Staff Professional Development Progress Report Day for 3 – 8 9:00 – Grade Book Check 10:00 – Unleash the Gospel – 2018/19 Plan of Action
October 1 – 12	Iowa Testing 1- 8 Begins
October 1	1 <sup>st</sup> Mass in the gym – 8:15 – 5 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> September Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry Altar Server Training 1:55
October 3	1 <sup>st</sup> Mass in the gym 1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> – 8:15 9:15 am - Lockdown
October 4	Griffore Reconciliation
October 5	Bishop Fisher joining us for 8:00 Mass Kroha Reconciliation Jr. High Dance 6:30-8:30 No Athletics
October 8	Altar Server Training 1:55

October 10	Regional High School Night 5:30 – 7:00 No Athletics
October 11	Wezner Reconciliation
October 12	Wezner Reconciliation Junior High Haunted Hay Ride - No Athletics 6 - 8 November Activity Calendar Due to Sherry
October 13	Halloween Hallway Spooktacular
October 14	Archbishop Vigneron Celebration 12:00 Mass in Honor of 175 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary 1:00 Dinner to follow If statues arrive in time, Grotto Blessing will take place on this day
October 15	Altar Server Training 1:55
October 15 – 17	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Camp Storer Jason Attending
October 18	Living Rosary @ St. Peter – 2:15 6:30 – Mandatory St. Peter Sacrament Mtg. Gr. 2,4,8 – this is the date we are <b>HIGHLY</b> encouraging all our parents to attend! No Athletics
October 19	U of M vs. MSU \$1.00 Jeans Day Proceeds Donated to Sponsor a Child with Type 1 Diabetes to attend Camp Midicha
October 22 <sup>nd</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Washington D.C. Trip Maureen tentatively attending
October 22	Altar Server Training 1:55 December Activity Calendar Distributed
October 23	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Stream Leaders
October 24	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lansing Trip
October 25	Belknap Reconciliation
October 26	Sheils Reconciliation End of the 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Parent Portal Closing 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Stream Leaders
October 29	Altar Server Training 1:55 Specials Grades Due 6:30 – CYO Varsity Recognition Ceremony
October 31	Half Day – 12:00 Dismissal Halloween Costumes Preschool – 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Free Halloween Jeans Day 5 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> 11:15 Halloween Parade SMS Backpacks Available until 4:00 pm No Athletics
November 1	All Saints Day – Holy Day of Obligation Preschool – 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade All Saints Day Prayer Service - 8:15 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade All Saints Day Mass @ St. Peter – 8:00 Grades Due No Athletics
November 2	No Mass @ St. Peter Picture Re-take Day RC's Printed
November 4	Daylight Savings Time – Fall Back

November 5	No Mass or Prayer Service October Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry Missy's Due Date
November 7	No Mass or Prayer Service Report Card Day 1:45 (time may change) Lockdown Drill 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade – Sacred Heart Seminary
November 9	8:00 Mass & Honors No P.E. in Auxiliary (aka old) Gym 8 <sup>th</sup> Gr. Confirmation Net Retreat After School – 5:00 pm No Athletics December Activity Calendar Due to Sherry
November 10	Holiday Party & Raffle 5:00 – 10:00 pm
November 12	January Activity Calendar Distributed
November 14	6:30 – Mandatory St. Peter Sacrament Mtg. Gr. 2,4,8 Athletics permitted – SMS Parents should go in October
November 16	1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Thanksgiving Feast & Genot Picor No P.E. in Auxiliary (aka old) Gym All 5 – 8 grade Spelling Bee contestants must be chosen & information sent home to their parents Stream Leaders Conference Specials Newsletter
November 17	High School Placement Test
November 19	½ Day – 12:00 Dismissal Cutting Edge – Preschool – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Parent Teacher Conferences 1:00 - 4:30 & 5:30 – 8:00 pm Specials Available for Conferences Monday only Dinner Provided SMS Backpacks (aka Latchkey) Available until 6:00 pm No Athletics
November 20	½ Day – 12:00 Dismissal Cutting Edge – Preschool – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade 11:30 – Thanksgiving Prayer Service Parent Teacher Conferences 1:00 - 4:30 & 5:30 – 8:00 pm SMS Backpacks (aka Latchkey) Available until 6:00 pm No Athletics
November 21 – 25	No School – Thanksgiving Break Athletic Practice Thanksgiving Break – Tournaments Allowed
November 30	Santa Shoppe Set-up 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Scapular Initiation – 1:15
December 1	High School Placement Test for those w/Accommodations
December 2	Altar Server Captains Installation @ 10:00 Mass
Week of December 3	Santa Shoppe January Activity Calendar Due to Sherry November Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry
December 5	St. Nick Shoes need to be left on the desks at the end of the day February Activity Calendar Distributed
December 6	St. Nicholas Day Candy Canes for the shoes provided by the office

December 7	6:30 pm - 1st & 2nd Grade Christmas Pageant – location TBD (new stage is the tentative plan) Progress Report Day No Athletics Practice
December 8	Feast of the Immaculate Conception
December 9	CYO Winter Sports Mass @ 10:00
December 11	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade – Meadowbrook – <i>A Christmas Carol</i>
December 14	6:30 pm Kindergarten Christmas Pageant – location TBD (new stage is the tentative plan) No Athletics Practice
December 17	1 <sup>st</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Mass @ 8:15 – St. Mary 2:15 – 5 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Spelling Bee
December 18	No SMS Backpacks 4:00 Fr. Mike's Christmas Party – Fr. Welch Hall No Athletics Practice in School
December 19	No Mass @ St. Mary Free Christmas Jeans Day 12:00 Dismissal SMS Backpacks until 6:00 pm
Dec 20 – January 1	Christmas Break Athletic Christmas Practice Break – Tournaments allowed
January 2	School Resumes
January 3	December Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry
January 4	February Activity Calendar due to Sherry
January 14	No Mass or Prayer Service 8:15 – Tentative Geography Bee March Activity Calendar Distributed
January 16	No Mass or Prayer Service 2019/20 Registration Packets Distributed
January 18	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Ends Parent Portal Closing Jr. High Dance – 6:30 – 8:30 No Athletics
January 21	No School – Professional Development Words their Way Returns Those not involved – we need to find something!
January 22	2019/20 Registration Begins for Current Families
January 23	No Mass or Prayer Service 9:15 Lockdown
January 24	Religious Ed. Home Study using Classrooms & the gym after school – No Athletics
January 27	New Family Open House 1:00 – 4:00 pm Catholic Schools Week Begins!
Week of Jan. 27 -Feb. 1	Catholic Schools Spirit Week
January 28	No Mass or Prayer Service 2019/20 Open Enrollment Begins
January 29	COSI Science Day
January 30	No Mass or Prayer Service Report Card Day

January 31	Select 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Students to the CSW Mass @ the Cathedral
February 1	Mass & Honors Ceremony St. Mary Carnival Night 5:00 – 8:00 pm No Athletics – Mary/Nicole – please try to make this a “bye” Friday for Indoor Soccer – I realize you might have to do for the Christmas Pageants
February 4	March Activity Calendar due to Sherry January Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry
February 7	Upchurch Reconciliation – 1:00
February 8	Falk Reconciliation – 1:00 No P.E. if RR is going to be the following day in the auxiliary gym Specials Newsletter
February 9	Tentative Date Reverse Raffle
February 11	April Activity Calendar Distributed
February 14	Valentine’s Day \$1.00 Jeans Red, Pink & White Day Proceeds for St. Peter Vacation Bible School ½ Day – 12:00 Dismissal Parent Teacher Conferences 1:00 – 8:00 pm Specials on Thursday Only Dinner Provided SMS Backpacks Available until 6:00 pm
February 15	½ Day – 12:00 Dismissal Parent Teacher Conferences 1:00 – 4:00 pm SMS Backpacks Available until 6:00 pm
February 18 & 19	Winter Break – No School
February 22	Progress Report Day
February 24	Daddy Daughter Dance – 2:00 – 6:00 pm
March 1	February Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry
March 3	Confirmation Practice 12:00 Mass w/Sponsors – practice to follow
March 4	April Activity Calendar Due to Sherry
March 6	Ash Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Mass @ St. Peter Preschool – Kdg. Receiving Ashes after Mass
March 7	<b>Skate Night @ The Rink</b> 7:00 pm Confirmation
March 8	No School – Michigan Reading Conference
March 10	Daylight Savings Time – Spring Forward Fr. Mike’s Birthday
March 11	May & June Activity Calendars Distributed
March 12	Sky Dome Planetarium Comes to St. Mary – K- 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade
March 13	Stations of the Cross in the gym – 2:30
March 15	\$1.00 Jeans Day for St. Patrick or St. Joseph’s Day Proceeds donated to Make-A-Wish WAM (Wish-A-Mile) Steve Perna’s 300 Mile Bike-a-thon – proceeds stay in MI
March 17	St. Patrick’s Day
March 18	Winter Varsity Sports Recognition Celebration – 6:30
March 19	St. Joseph’s Day 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip to the Monastery/Fr. Solanus
March 20	1:15 – Tornado Drill
March 21	Pierce’s Class – First Reconciliation – 1:00

March 22	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Ends Parent Portal Closing Sulek's Class – First Reconciliation – 1:00
March 23	E-Recycling 9:00 – 12:00
March 24	E-Recycling 11:00 – 3:00 Open House 1:00- 3:00 Fr. Dale's Birthday
March 27	Stations of the Cross in the gym – 2:30
March 28	1:30 - Fire Drill
March 29	Specials' grades due
April 1	March Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry
April 3	Grades Due
April 4	RC's Printed 7:00 pm Spring Concert @ Macomb Center for the Performing Arts
April 5	No School
April 7	Spring CYO Sports Mass @ 10:00 am
April 8	May & June Activity Calendars Due to Sherry
April 10	Report Card Day Stations of the Cross – 2:30 - Gym
April 11	9:00 – 12:00 Green School Honors @ MISD
April 12	Mass & Honors Earth Day Paraliturgy @ St. Mary – 2:15 pm Specials Newsletter
April 15	10:00 – Fire Drill
April 17	Living Stations of the Cross Book Fair Set-up
April 18 – 28	Easter Vacation Begins Holy Thursday
Week of April 29	Spring Book Fair No Mass or Prayer Service
May 1	V.I.P. Day for 4-Year-old Preschool No Mass or Prayer Service April Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry Mrs. Minoletti's Class First Holy Communion Mandatory Practice @ 6:30 pm – St. Peter Church
May 2	National Day of Prayer Religious Ed. Home Study in classrooms & gym after school
May 3	V.I. P. Day & Mass – Kindergarten – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade Progress Report Day
May 5	Mrs. Minoletti's Class First Holy Communion Mass @ 2:00 pm
May 6	No School Mrs. Minoletti's Class Only 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Holocaust Museum Field Trip
Week of May 6	Staff Appreciation Week
May 8	Retiree Luncheon w/Staff Mrs., Buckley's Class First Holy Communion Mandatory Practice @ 6:30 pm – St. Peter Church
May 10	Kindergarten Mother's Day Tea – 9:30 am 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade vs. Parents/Teacher's Volleyball Game 10:00 am

	12:00 Dismissal for 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Only No Cafeteria Service
May 12	Mrs. Buckley's Class First Holy Communion Mass @ 2:00 pm
May 13	No School Mrs. Buckley's Class Only 7:00 – Band Concert
May 14	St. Peter Volunteer Reception @ 7:00 pm
May 16	NJHS Induction Ceremony & Reception @ 7:00 pm @ St. Peter
May 17	No Mass @ St. Peter No outdoors in the AM or at lunch May Crowning Ceremonies 8:15 – Preschool – 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade in the Gym 1:55 pm – 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade Procession Begins to St. Peter Tentative 7:00 Mother-Son Outing – Utica Ballpark
May 18 & 19	Tentative Deneweth's Days
May 20	Last Mass in the Gym for 5 – 8 6:30 – CYO Varsity Sports Celebration Last Week for Pennies from Heaven
May 22	Last Mass in the Gym for K – 4
May 23	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Outsider Day
May 24	8:00 Mass & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Passing on Ceremony 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Practice May Monthly Volunteer Sheet due to Sherry ½ Day – 12:00 Dismissal Parent Portal Closing
May 27	Memorial Day – No School
May 28	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Cedar Point 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Walled Lake Team Building Adventure
May 29	4 Year Preschool Picnics
May 30	3 Year Preschool Picnics
May 31	Preschool & Kindergarten Graduations New Stage! No Mass @ St. Peter Last Day of the Hot Lunch Program
June 1	4:00 - 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Mass
June 3	Growing Green Ecology Activities & Guest Speaker - AM Jeans & CSW T-shirt Attire
June 4	Fun Day & Kona Ice ½ Day – 12:00 Dismissal Teacher's Records Day Last day of SMS Backpacks
June 5	Last Day of School Mass & Honors Celebration 11:00 – Fr. Mike's End of the Yr. Luncheon CYO Scholar Athletes Banquet
June 6	Staff End of the Year Jobs Day
June 14	Office Closes for the Summer @ 2:00 Voicemail & Emails Checked Daily