

St. Mary Magdalen Catholic School

Passionately Catholic & Academically Excellent

HAWK HERALD

Let's come before Him with thanks. Let's shout songs of joy to Him!

The Lord is a great God, the great king over all other gods.

(Psalm 95:2-3)

NOVEMBER 15, 2023

Dear St. Mary Magdalen Families,

Over the past few weeks, I have had many experiences in which I have been filled with gratitude. A kindergarten student shouting the morning prayer with closed eyes and folded hands, teachers supporting each other as they deal with illness and emergencies, thankful notes from students, 8th graders supporting one other through struggles. I have been trying to find joy and appreciation in these little moments and there are so, so many when I take the time to notice.

I continue to invite you to participate in the life of our school and parish, especially at weekly mass and through our Stewardship activities. Best wishes for a wonderful holiday with your family and friends. May God continue to bless you abundantly, especially with special little moments. Happy Thanksgiving!

Fondly,

Mrs. Amy Bauer

Principal

Thanksgiving Food Baskets

All donations are due in each student's homeroom by Friday, 11/17. Thank you for your family's contribution to helping people to have a pleasant holiday.

Tuesday, 11/21

The SMM faculty and staff are having a “Friendsgiving” event after school on Tuesday. We are asking that all students be picked up from Enrichment and CARES by 4:30 pm. Thank you!

Hawk Band

Hawk Band is back and will begin as an after school program soon! Stay tuned for more information from Mr. Norton.

SMM Spirit Store

The Spirit Store will be open every Monday from 2:30 – 3:30 pm. Stop in to get your SMM gear!

Friday, January 12th

Monsignor Chieffo will be treating the faculty to a Christmas luncheon on Friday, 1/12. **This day will now be a half day for students with no CARES.** Mrs. Scheurman will be passing this information on to the school district transportation offices.

Important Dates

- Friday, 11/17 – Last day for Thanksgiving collection
- Monday, 11/20 – 2nd Altar Server Training
- Tuesday, 11/21 – Harvest Bash
- Wednesday, 11/22 – Thanksgiving Prayer Service at 11:15 in church; 12 noon dismissal
- Thursday, 11/23 – Monday, 11/27 – NO SCHOOL
- Friday, 12/1 – 8:30 all school mass; 12 noon dismissal
- Wednesday, 12/6 – Report Cards distributed
- Friday, 12/8 – Feast of the Immaculate Conception; all students attend 8:30 mass; FULL DAY
- Friday, 12/15 – Santa Shop

Attachments

- 1) November Calendar
- 2) Thanksgiving Baskets Signups by Homeroom
- 3) SMM November Hawk Happenings
- 4) Chipotle Fundraiser
- 5) Faculty/Staff Christmas Fund
- 6) Gala Save-the-Date

Together
MAY WE GIVE
our children
the roots
to grow
AND THE
wings
to fly

