

THE MARIAN MESSENGER

SAINT MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Thursday, September 6, 2007

Week-At-A-Glance

Friday, September 7, 2006	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All School Liturgy – Grade 8 @ 9:00 AM• Popcorn Day
Monday, September 10, 2006	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Morning Prayer – Grade 7
Tuesday, September 11, 2006	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Co-Ed Soccer vs. Livingston Christian @ HOME @ 4:30 PM• Girls J. V. Volleyball vs. Livingston Christian @ HOME @ 4:30 PM• Girls J. V. Volleyball vs. St. Paul AWAY @ 4:30 PM• Girls Varsity Volleyball vs. St. Paul AWAY @ 5:30 PM
Wednesday, September 12, 2006	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Middle School Liturgy – Grade 8 @ 9:00 AM• Band/Orchestra Meeting @ 7:30 PM in the Gym
Thursday, September 13, 2006	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Co-Ed Soccer vs. St. Joe AWAY @ 5:00 PM• Girls Volleyball vs. St. Joe AWAY – J. V. @ 5:00 Varsity @ 6:00 PM

Principal Points:

Dear Parents and Guardians,

- We have had a great start to the school year, and I want to thank everyone involved, Fr. Bill, the teachers, school and parish staff members, students, and **you** for making the beginning so successful.
- I hope to see you this evening for “Back to School Night,” an opportunity to gain more information about our educational program and the teachers, staff members, and volunteers who are excited to be working with all of the children of St. Mary School. See you tonight!
- Raffle tickets will be passed out at “Back to School Night.” The tickets are \$10.00 apiece, and each family will receive fifty tickets. Please look to future editions of the *Messenger* for more Raffle information.
- There are Reduced/Free Lunch applications available in the school office. If you have a need for this service, please contact the school office and we will work with you in a confidential manner.
- Please review, complete, and return the packet of documents that were sent home on the first day of school. The **Emergency Cards, Covenant, Picture Release Form, Driver’s Information, Medication Form, and Verification of Handbook Receipt** are all due by Friday, September 14.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

- Extra! Extra! Read all about it! I invite you to be on the lookout every Thursday for the *Messenger*. This weekly newsletter is a valuable resource for information about St. Mary School. You won’t want to miss a single issue!

Best regards,
John Gilboe

For Your Information:

1. Asbestos Notification:

As required by law we are notifying parents/legal guardians that our new facility is asbestos free. The required documents are on file in the school office and are available upon request.

2. Bingo:

Bingo will return soon. Please stay tuned for more details

3. School Directory:

If you do not want your address or phone information published in the school directory, please contact the school office by September 21st.

4. Picture Day:

Picture day will be Tuesday, September 18th. The 3 year old preschool will be photographed on this day, along with kindergarten through 8th grades. The 4 year old preschool class will be photographed on Retake day which will be held on a Monday, Wednesday, or Friday. When this date is available we will publish it. Please remember to dress your child(ren) appropriately. If your child(ren) is wearing something sleeveless please have them bring in a sweater or jacket to wear or a change of clothes. Thank you for your assistance.

5. T.R.I.P.:

The TRIP orders and pick ups are now handled through the school office. Orders are processed on Monday mornings at 9:00 AM. They should be available for pick up on Thursday afternoons. If you have any questions please contact Christine Falinski @ 517-552-7804.

6. Band and Orchestra Information:

There will be an informational meeting on Wednesday, September 12 at 7:30 PM. All new prospective band/orchestra students and their parents should plan to attend. Representatives from Marshall Music will be there to fit and supply instruments. Band and orchestra is available to all students, 5th-8th grade.

Our first day of Band/Orchestra will be on Thursday, September 13, 2007. The advanced students will meet each day from 7:40-8:10 AM. The beginning students will meet from 8:10 AM-8:45 AM.

If you have questions, please call us at (810) 231-3366 or email us at: klbrace@annarborrehab.com. We look forward to another great year of making music!

Kathy and Terry Braciszewski

7. VIRTUS – Protecting God’s Children:

The upcoming classes in our area are at the following sites:

You will need to contact the parish you are attending and go to www.virtus.org to register. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the school office.

Monday, September 10th @ 6:30 PM at St. Patrick in Brighton, in the Parish Life Center on Rickett Road.

Monday, September 10th @ 6:30 PM at St. Agnes in Fowlerville.

Monday, October 15th @ 6:30 PM at St. Francis of Assisi in Ann Arbor.