



The Wave Watcher



St. Paul School 718 W. Main St. 989.725.7766

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Mission Statement:

At St. Paul Catholic School we strive for excellence in faith and academics. Our mission is to be a loving and forgiving community that receives our Lord Jesus Christ and reflects his teachings. God is our focus and heaven our goal.

CALENDAR

Saturday-January 28

Dueling Pianos @ Knights of Columbus

Sunday-January 29

11:00am School Mass @ St. Paul
St. Paul School Open House
9:00am-1:00pm

Student Council Heart Grams
Sale begins through Feb.7

Monday-January 30

Spirit Day Dress-. 01 cent
Blue Waves Games

Tuesday-January 31

Colorful Day Dress shirt-. 05 cents
Mix-up Teacher Day
*Tuesday thru Friday are
dress code bottoms days*

Wednesday-February 1

Team Day Dress-. 10 cents
8th Graders-lead fun exercises
9:15am OMS Play (3,4,5, 6th Grades)
12:00pm 7th Grade Friendship Games
@ Flint Powers
Student Council Mtg. @ lunch
3:30pm-5:00pm Choir practice
6:00pm Auction Mtg.

Thursday-February 2

Dress Your Best for God!-.25 cents
7:30am 8th Grade Retreat @ LCHS
8:50am Mass (5th Grade)
5:00pm-Girls' BB-5th Grade
6:15pm-Girls' BB-6th Grade
7:30pm-Girls' BB 7/8th Grade
All Home Games

Friday-February 3

Dress as a Saint-\$1.00
Popcorn & Pizza Day
Adoration
2:30pm Benediction
6:00pm St. Paul School Carnival

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9:30am -Girls' BB-5th Grade
10:45am-Girls' BB 7/8th Grade
Both away games @ St. Thomas

Monday-February 6

Talent Show auditions

Tuesday-February 7

6:30pm 1st Eucharistic Parent Mtg.
@ St. Joe's gym

Wednesday-February 8

Student Council Mtg. @ lunch
3:30pm-5:00pm Choir practice

Thursday-February 9

8:50am Mass (3rd & 4th Grades)
5:00pm-Girls' BB-5th Grade
6:15pm-Girls' BB-6th Grade
7:30pm-Girls' BB-7/8th
All Home Games

Friday-February 10

Pizza Day
6:00pm Celebration of Marriage
Vows @ St. Paul Church

Saturday-February 11

9:30am-Girls' BB-5th Grade
10:45am-Girls' BB-7/8th Grade
Both away games @ Resurrection
4:00pm Youth Mass @ St. Joe's Church

Sunday-February 12

8:30am-12:30pm Pancake Breakfast
@ FK Hall
1:00pm Euchre @ K of C



Dueling Pianos

Mark your calendar, dueling pianos are back and January 28 is the date!

It will be held at the Knights of Columbus. Doors open at 6:00pm and the dueling begins at 7:00pm. Tickets are now on sale for \$25.00 per person. Please contact Troy Crowe at 989.666.6339 for tickets and any other questions you may have.



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

We are excited to celebrate Catholic Schools Week beginning with the 11:00am Mass on Sunday. We hope you can join us for coffee and donuts, a scavenger hunt for the kids, a chance to check out some of the great work our Bluewaves are producing, chat with the teachers and get information on some important programs. Bring a friend to share the great happenings here at St. Paul!



Just a reminder:

During the month of January, our school will be collecting paper products. These will include toilet paper, tissue, paper toweling, paper plates, and napkins. Blue tubs have been placed throughout the school for collections. These items will be distributed to St. Vincent De Paul and Catholic Charities.

Virtue of the Week: Affability

What it means: Being easy to approach and easy to talk to-friendly

What it looks like:

- Smiling
- Waving
- Being friendly to someone who is left out
- Starting a conversation
- Sitting by someone who is alone

What it sounds like:

- Silence
- Hi! Hello!
- Would you like to play with us?
- How are you doing?
- May I sit with you?

Please help your child build their virtues and practice modeling these important foundations of our faith. Our hearts are bursting with examples in the hall outside the office. Check it out on your next visit!

NWEA

We are almost done with our winter testing! The students are working very hard and we are so excited with the growth they are showing! Thank you for your support in helping to ensure they are ready to do their best by keeping them rested and fueled with a healthy breakfast. Each child will earn one raffle ticket for each area of improvement. The staff is so excited and proud of how many students are earning multiple raffle tickets! Stay tuned and we will share our results! The winner of the raffle will receive a Red Wing backpack filled with fun surprises!

POWERSCHOOL

The best thing about an online grading system is providing current access to your child's progress in school. Please work on building the habit of checking Powerschool each week to stay informed of how your child is progressing. (Students can actually be shown how to check themselves, helping them build accountability and ownership in their own learning!) Please notify the school office if you have any trouble and we will help you figure it out.

AUCTION UPDATE

If you have not sold your tickets and turned in the money, please remember that Friday, February 3 is the last day to do this. We are asking you to either turn in the money for your sold tickets or return your tickets. We will be making tickets available to the larger community and need to account for all of them. Thank you for your help with this. Look for more ways you can help make the auction a success in next week's issue of the Wavewatcher! It is shaping up to be a fun-filled evening!



Catholic Schools Week 2017

Saturday, January 28

7pm Dueling Pianos @ Knights of Columbus

(Tickets still available! Contact Troy Crowe for info!)



Sunday, January 29

11:00 Mass CSW Kickoff @ St. Paul Church

9:00-1:00pm - School Open House

Join us before or after 11:00am Mass in the school for donuts, coffee and a scavenger hunt around the school! Bring a friend or two and let's give them reasons why they should "Say YES to SPS!"



Monday, January 30 - Spirit Day

Dress: Spirit Day/Jeans/SPS Gear/Blue & White

Activity: Blue Wave Games @ 2pm

Cost: \$.01 / penny



Tuesday, January 31 - Color Day

Dress: - Each class will be assigned a shirt color - Dress Code bottoms.

Activity: Mix-Up Teacher Day

Cost: \$.05 / nickel

Staff-black, K-yellow, 1st-green, 2nd-pink, 3/4-white, 5th-purple, 6th-orange, 7th -blue, 8th-red



Wednesday, February 1 - Team Day

Dress: Dress as a Coach/Ref/Fan/Player to your favorite team. Dress Code bottom if not a part of a "uniform."

Activities: 8th Graders will lead fun exercises all day long.

Cost: \$.10 / dime



Thursday, February 2 - Dress Your Best for God!

Dress: Dress code or better - no jeans!

Activities: 8:50am Mass

Vocation Awareness following Mass

Cost: \$.25 / quarter



Friday, February 3 - Saint Day

Dress: Dress as a Saint! No jeans!

Activities: Adoration/Benediction (2:30pm)

6pm Carnival to conclude the fun week!

Cost: \$1.00 / dollar



***Money collected through the week will go towards the Leukemia/Lymphoma Society.*



It's Carnival Time!!



Friday, February 3rd, 2017

6-8pm School Gym

Pizza, chips, dessert, and drinks in Activities
Room

Saint Paul School Families,

Come and enjoy a fun filled night with your St. Paul School families. Enjoy playing games of chance and skill, face painting, a bounce house, kids craft table, and cake walk! Each activity will cost 1-2 tickets. Tickets will be sold at the door for 25 cents each or 5 for a dollar.