



# The Wave Watcher

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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.*

**The online FACTS Form in this week's Wave Watcher must be completed by March 1 to be eligible for the maximum amount of financial assistance**

## CALENDAR

**Friday-February 16 & Monday-February 19**  
**No School**

### **Tuesday-February 20**

3:40pm Cribbage in Library

### **Wednesday-February 21**

Guy Lewis Assembly with 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
Student Council Mtg. @ lunch  
6:00pm Soup & Substance @  
St. Joseph Gymnasium-Speaker: Steve Wolbert

### **Thursday-February 22**

8:50am Mass (8<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
7:15pm 5/6 Grade Girls BB @  
St. Mary West-White

### **Friday-February 23**

Pizza Day & Fuel up 60 @ lunch  
2:30pm Stations

### **Saturday-February 24**

9:30am 5/6 Grade Girls BB @ St. Gerard

### **Monday-February 26**

Talent Show rehearsal after school in gym  
6:00pm PTC/Marketing/Auction Mtg. in Library  
7:15pm 7/8 Grade Girls BB @ Our Savior Lutheran

### **Tuesday-February 27**

3:40pm Cribbage in Library  
7:00pm OMS Band Concert

### **Wednesday-February 28**

Student Council Mtg. @ lunch  
7:00pm OMS Band Concert  
6:00pm Soup & Substance @  
St. Joseph Gymnasium- Speaker: Jordan Spitzley

## Congratulations to our newest Shiawassee Scholars!

Ellie, Jillian, Justin, and Casmiera, in our 8th Grade class have been selected. Scholars are selected based on their SAT reading and math scores in 8th grade. As a Shiawassee Scholar you may request a scholarship that offers academically talented students an opportunity to further explore a career path or advanced study in a particular discipline.

## Congratulations to St. Paul Bluewave Lydia!

For each student who improved their school subject scores in NWEA from this previous fall a ticket was given and placed in a box. After all students completed their NWEA testing, Father Mike drew the winning ticket. Lydia won a backpack full of goodies! **Great job Lydia!**

## A big thank you to Mrs. Zeeman and Mrs. Bruckman

for coordinating this year's successful St. Paul School Carnival! Also a big thank you to our many wonderful volunteers! A great time was shared by all!

## PTC/Marketing/Auction

Mother Nature has pushed our meeting to Monday, February 26. We will plan to meet in the library beginning at 6:00 PM. Please mark your calendar and plan to join us! We are fast approaching the last quarter of the year, and we know how busy that is! We have lots of activities going on in the coming months and can use lots of help to make sure our students continue to have great opportunities and experiences! Thank you so much for all you do to help make St. Paul such a great place to be!

## VIRTUE OF THE WEEK

### Magnanimity

**What does it mean?** Seeking with confidence to do great things in God; literally “having a large soul.”

#### What does it look like?

- Seeking with confidence to do great things for God.
- Making sacrifices for God.
- Offering every action to God for His glory.
- Complimenting someone else when you wanted to be recognized.
- Having an awareness of the goodness of God in yourself.

#### What does it sound like?

- Mother Mary, I want to love Jesus with all my heart like you did.
- I want to do great things for God. I will make that sacrifice.
- All for the greater glory of God! Jesus, I offer this day to you.
- You did a great job! Congratulations!
- At baptism, I received God’s grace and became His child.

Please help your child develop their skills in practicing the virtues, as these represent a concrete example of Jesus in our daily lives.



### **Book Fair Fun!!**

Thank you to Theresa Esch who has graciously stepped up to help with the Book Fair! She will need some people to help set up on Friday, March 2. The book fair will be open on Monday, March 5, Tuesday, March 6, and Wednesday March 7. It will also be open after the Talent show on the evening of March 5. She will also need people to help take it down on Thursday, March 8. Please contact the office if you are available to help with any of these dates.



Please turn in all Box Tops to the school office by 02/23/18, this is the last date for box tops to be tallied for the 2017-2018 school year.

Please continue to save those box tops for the 2018-2019 school year.

**The class who has the most will win the chance to help choose what we purchase with our rewards!**

**A big thank you for your support to our school!**



**The Annual St. Paul Bluewave Talent Show** will be held March 5, 2018 at 6:30 pm in the school gym. It's a wonderful evening to showcase our talented Bluewave students! The Book Fair will be open following the talent show, so plan to pick up some great books for the readers in your family!

### **Tickets, tickets, tickets!**

Tickets are on sale now for the dinner auction, which takes place April 14! If you have not already purchased and/or sold your tickets, please do so before **March 1**. At that time we are asking that any unsold tickets be returned to the school office so they can be sold before the auction. Thank you for your help with this! You may also send in a donation at any time. Please contact Sam Santrucek at 989-413-5400 or Cindy Feldpausch at 989-277-2980 if you would like to help get things ready! Your commitment does not require you attend all auction meetings! Thanks in advance for prayerfully considering this.

**Thank you for all of your support of this important event!**

### Mileage Club

If you have not registered your child for the mileage club, grades K-5, please go online ASAP and do so. The program will be starting on April 9, which is not that far out, surprisingly! All registrations need to be complete by **March 5, 2018**. Once registered you will be entered into a drawing to receive a \$50.00 gas card!! So please follow the direction on the information that came home and get your child registered. This is a great way to promote a healthy lifestyle! Thank you for your help!

### Annual Home Garden Business Expo

We are considering having a table at the Annual Home Garden Business Expo at Owosso High School coming up the weekend of March 10 and 11. We would need help manning the table, as it must have someone there the entire time of the show. If you would be able/willing to take a 2 or 3 hour shift during the course of this weekend, please contact the office by Wednesday February 28 so that we can reserve a space. We are hoping to get the word out about our great school!

### Curwood Parade

St. Paul School has traditionally created a float and marched in the Curwood Festival Kids Parade held in early June. We are looking for someone to chair/organize this event. We will also need someone who has a trailer and/or pick up truck to decorate as our float. Please contact the office if you are interested in helping with this.

Soup and Substance  
Wednesday Evenings  
February 21 & 28, March 7 & 14 6:00pm  
St. Joseph Gymnasium

"Prayer, Study, Engage, Serve - 4 Pillars for Evangelization"

February 21—Steve Wolbert, co-founder Social Impact Philanthropy and  
Investing  
"Servie"

February 28—Jordan Spitzley, Youth Minister St. Mary Parish, Westphalia  
"Engage"

March 7—Fr. Ryan Riley, Parochial Vicar, St. Thomas Aquinas & St. John  
Church & Student Center, East Lansing  
"Prayer"

March 14—Dawn Hausmann, Director of Consecrated Religious Vocations  
for the  
Diocese of Lansing  
"Study"

***The online FACTS Form must be completed by March 1 to be eligible for the maximum amount of financial assistance: <https://online.factsmgt.com/aid>***

The link will be available December 1, 2017 and will close April 1, 2018. The **deadline for applications is March 1, 2018**. After March 1, 2018 please contact your school directly. Once the FACTS online form has been completed, the following information will need to be submitted to FACTS online, by fax, or mail to complete the financial assistance process:

The Diocese of Lansing will be using FACTS again for the 2018-2019 school year. **One change is that the DOL application can only be completed on line this year. We will not be using paper applications.** If you need assistance completing the online form contact Mrs. Heatwole ([principal@spsowosso.org](mailto:principal@spsowosso.org)) or Colleen Tinsey ([ctinsey@stpaulowosso.org](mailto:ctinsey@stpaulowosso.org)). All families seeking financial aid from St. Paul must first apply through the online FACTS form to be considered.

**Information for the 2018-19 School Year:**

Families applying for financial assistance need to complete the online FACTS form and submit the necessary supporting documentation to FACTS by **March 1st each** school year.

- There is a \$30 fee to apply to FACTS, which is paid online when completing the necessary forms.
- The FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment is a third party that conducts the financial need analysis for Lansing Catholic High School.
- **Tuition Assistance is available and is based on financial need.** This school year, St. Paul distributed over \$28,650 in discounts, financial aid and diocesan grants.
- Families who have not yet made the decision to attend St. Paul are encouraged to apply to FACTS so as not to miss the opportunity to receive financial assistance.
- By completing the FACTS form online by March 1, you will be considered for all financial assistance grants available from the Diocese of Lansing and St. Paul Catholic School.
- Families will still be eligible for some financial assistance after the March 1st priority deadline, but will miss out on all Diocese of Lansing assistance grants.
- **Applicants can complete the online FACTS form at this website: <https://online.factsmgt.com/aid>**
- Once the FACTS online form has been completed, the following information will need to be submitted to FACTS online, by fax, or mail to complete the financial assistance process:
  - Copies of your most recent Federal tax forms including all supporting tax schedules and W2's.
  - Copies of supporting documentation for Social Security Income, Welfare, Child Support, Food Stamps, Workers' Compensation, and TANF.
- **All supporting documentation can be uploaded online through the FACTS online form or can be faxed to 1-866-315-9264 or mailed to the address below.**
- **Please be sure to include the applicant ID on all faxed or mailed correspondence.**
  - **FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment**
  - **PO Box 82524**
  - **Lincoln, NE 68501**
  - If you have any questions about the financial assistance process through FACTS, you may speak with a FACTS Customer Care Representative at 1-866-441-4637 or Colleen Tinsey at St. Paul Parish 989-723-4277 ext. 25 or email [ctinsey@stpaulowosso.org](mailto:ctinsey@stpaulowosso.org) or Diocese of Lansing, Financial Aid Advisor, Mrs. Renee Fischman at 517-267-2107.

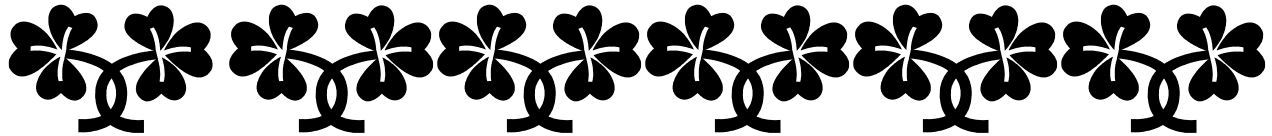


# St. Paul 12 Hour Scrapbook & Craft

Saturday, March 3, 2018

9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

St. Paul Catholic Church Basement



*\$40.00 per person*

*Meals, Snacks, & Dessert included*

*Seating is limited!!!!*

**Vendors will be present**

*Raffle 50/50 Door Prizes*

To register, send form below with check payable to: **ST. PAUL SCHOOL** & mail to St. Paul School, Attn. Char Richardson, 718 W. Main St., Owosso, MI 48867. For more information, call Char Richardson @ 989-413-8838.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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I would like to sit by: \_\_\_\_\_

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Lansing Catholic High School Proudly Presents  
***Fade Out - Fade In***



Set in the 1930's, this musical is a hilarious story about a young usherette accidentally becoming a movie star. This show has great music and dancing and lots of fun! Shows are March 9-10, 16-17 at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10. They are on sale now and can be purchased on our ticket web page: [www.ticketor.com/lchs drama](http://www.ticketor.com/lchs drama) . Please contact [lchs dramatickets@gmail.com](mailto:lchs dramatickets@gmail.com) with any questions.