



St. Mary's Weekly Messenger

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SAVE THE DATE

**4TH ANNUAL
 CRIBBAGE
 TOURNAMENT**

**CASH PRIZES!
 RAFFLES LUNCH**

**SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 28**

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REMINDER:
 Hot lunch is not available on
 Friday, January 30th. All school and childcare
 students must bring a cold lunch.



The cold weather has kept the kids inside for recess most of the week, but there is always something fun to do at indoor recess too!

Upcoming EVENTS

- ❖ Monday, Jan. 19: No School; Inservice Day
- ❖ **January 25-31: Catholic Schools Week**
- ❖ Sunday, Jan. 25: Kids sing at Mass; 10:30 am, St. Mary's Church
- ❖ Friday, Feb. 6: No School; Inservice Day
- ❖ Wednesday, Feb. 18: Ash Wednesday; 3K – 4th grade attend 8:00 am Mass
- ❖ Monday, Feb. 23: No School; Inservice Day
- ❖ Thursday, Feb. 26: End of 2nd Trimester; Report Cards go home

Friday, Jan. 30: St. Mary's
 (Grades 4K-4) 8:00 am Mass



<u>January</u>		
Michelle Krueger	Cook	25 th
Jack Fischer	3K	26 th
Tanner Franklin	3 rd	26 th
Natasha Jug	4K Teacher	30 th

3K



This week, our 3K friends have been learning all about Arctic animals and the story of Moses and the Burning Bush. We dove right into our Arctic animal sensory bin and explored with chilly critters while using our brand-new sensory blocks—both squishy blocks and building blocks!

We worked hard on our painting, coloring, cutting, and gluing skills and created not one, not two, but THREE Arctic animals—a wolf, a bear, and an owl! 🐺 🐻 🦉

We also practiced our fine motor skills by dot-marker painting a picture of Moses and the Burning Bush. We learned that God used one of His many miracles to talk to Moses—and even turned Moses' shepherd's crook into a snake! 🐍 ✨

4K



4K was all about kindness and colors this week!

Through discussions of both and connecting the two, we worked together to develop a better understanding and appreciation for those around us!



Mon., Jan. 26: Build Your Own Sandwich, Chips & Pickles, Fresh Fruit

Tue., Jan. 27: Hamburger Gravy over Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Breadstick

Wed., Jan. 28: BBQ Chicken, Baked Beans, Salad, Dinner Roll

Thur., Jan. 29: Taco / Nacho Bar, Fresh Fruit

Fri., Jan. 30: NO HOT LUNCH AVAILABLE



Little children, let us love in deed and in truth, and not merely talk about it. (1 John 3:18)



5K

- All things polar bears!
- We drew a picture of how we would make the world a better place!
- Made 3D shapes with toothpicks and playdough!
- A path to friendship game for religion!
- Practice writing letters and words in "snow"



Giovanni's mom was a mystery reader and we got to hear *The Cool Bean*!
 Rigoberto's dad was a mystery reader too, and we listened to *A Rainbow of Friends* in both Spanish and English!
 Nothing beats the look on their face when a loved one walks through the door!



1ST GRADE



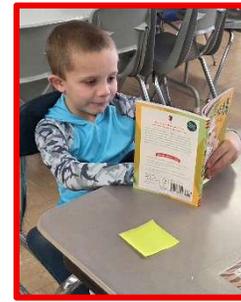
The 1st grade students were asked to create timelines with the help of their parents at home to connect what we are learning in Social Studies class. They presented their projects today at school! Mrs. Gonring just loves seeing all the photos and all of their creativity!



St. Mary School kindergartener Emmett had a Picnic with the Principal on Wednesday, Jan. 21. They had tacos for lunch, a favorite of both Emmett and Mrs. Yauck! Emmett told Mrs. Yauck that he enjoys spending time with both mom and dad while not at school. He has two older sisters that he likes spending time with as well. Emmett is very good at video games and playing outside. Mrs. Yauck asked him if he could go anywhere in the world, where would he go? He told her he would go to The Mineshaft because he loves playing in the game room. McDonalds is his favorite place to go out to eat. While at school, Emmett loves playing with his friends and spending time with them. He loves playing in the snow outside with his friends and thinks his teachers are really nice. Emmett told Mrs. Yauck that he really likes when the whole school meets for assembly and talk about God.



PICNIC WITH THE PRINCIPAL



2ND GRADE

- * Math: regrouping addition and subtraction facts with a fun coloring activity.
 - * Reading: Popcorn reading the book, Ivy & Bean. Also, working on comprehension.
 - * Science: working on identifying properties of materials. I had a basket of items the children enjoyed picking his/her favorites to describe in our class project.
- Great job this week 2nd grade!



SEEKING RAFFLE AND AUCTION PRIZES

for the St. Mary School Cribbage Tournament Fundraiser

We are seeking raffle and auction prizes for our Cribbage Tournament event on February 28, 2026.

No item too big or too small!

Themed Gift Baskets
 Tickets to sports, concerts, theater, etc.
 Hotel getaways/Timeshares
 Gift Cards
 Jewelry

Activity Packages - theme parks, zoo, arcades, etc.
 Electronics
 Services: Automotive, salon, painting, health, etc.
 Handmade items
Any other creative ideas!

Please contact Danielle at St. Mary School if you would like to make a donation.

All proceeds from this event will go towards making our school a better place for our students and families!

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3RD GRADE

3rd and 4th graders worked on their Old and New Testament posters in Religion class this week.





4TH GRADE

Our 4th graders are gearing up for our next book by building background knowledge about Sacagawea and the Lewis and Clark Expedition! They have annotated articles, examined timelines, and watched a National Geographic documentary. So far they have been very excited to learn about our history! We cannot wait to start reading our book next week!



CHILDCARE



STAFF SPOTLIGHT



Mary Yauck
Principal

About Me

I have been married for 34 years, have 3 children (2 boys/1 girl), 2 grandchildren and 2 very spoiled dogs. What I love about my job is the staff, the children and the families. No 2 days are exactly the same. The kids give me a new reason to smile every day. I believe that good friends are a blessing and important to keep close. My hobbies include vegetable gardening, canning, going up north, watching the Packers and reading a good book.

Fun Facts about me:

- I love to sing and enjoy a variety of music.
- I grew up in a large Italian family where every Sunday was devoted to church, visiting with family at Great Grandma's house and of course an Italian meal.

Favorites:

Food: Italian & seafood
TV Show: Friends & I Love Lucy
Movie: Bucket List
Book: Let Them by Mel Robbins
Vacation spot: Something new every year

"No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted."

-Aesop

