



# St. Mary's Messenger

December 15, 2023

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St. Mary ChildCare – Mayville  
St. Mary's School – Mayville, WI

## Tuesday, December 19

3K – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Christmas Program

School gym, 6:00 pm

Doors will open at 5:30 pm

## Friday, December 22

Early Release at 11:30 am

Monday, Dec. 25 – Monday, Jan. 1

**NO SCHOOL / CHILDCARE CLOSED**

## Tuesday, February 6

Eating For Education fundraiser

at Jug's Hitching Post

# Upcoming EVENTS

- ❖ Tuesday, Dec. 19: 3K-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Christmas Program. 6 pm in school gym.
- ❖ Friday, Dec. 22: Early Release at 11:30 am.
- ❖ Monday, Dec. 25 – Monday, Jan. 1: No School / Childcare Closed – Christmas Break

## Holiday Mass Schedule

**December 24 / Christmas Eve**

7:45 am St. Andrew's	4:00 pm St. Andrew's
9:15 am St. Theresa	6:00 pm St. Mary's
10:30 am St. Mary's	9:00 pm St. Theresa

**Christmas Day**

10:00 am St. Mary's

**December 31**

7:45 am St. Andrew's	9:15 am St. Theresa
10:30 am St. Mary's	

**New Year's Day**

10:00 am at St. Mary's



Mrs. Lemens was with Lincoln, John and Kyla as they received their First Reconciliation on Saturday, Dec. 9 at St. Andrew's Church.



## December

Mr. Shoemaker	Sub	29 <sup>th</sup>
Mrs. Krueger	5K Teacher	29 <sup>th</sup>

# What's happening in



- Start Student Daniel
- Sand Shapes
- Yay for Y!
- Christmas Crafts and Toys



Keeping with the theme of "Kind and Helpful Me," 4K drew pictures in a Kindness Book for a classmate and made Christmas gifts for people they care about. Week 2 of Advent inspired us to show kindness to one of God's beautiful and peaceful creation's, birds. We filled a snowman bird feeder and hung it outside our classroom window for everyone to watch and enjoy!



**Our students worked hard to get the background and props for their Christmas program ready!**



St. Mary School in Mayville presented Attendance Awards to 18 students that were present for every day of the first trimester of school. Congratulations to (f-b, l-r) Samantha Leon Martinez, Olivia Fischer, Annabella MacNeill, Rosario Peralta, Quinn Henning, Joshua Clark, Ayla Carbine, Maverick Anderson, Lincoln Anderson, Conrado Garza, Hailie Dobbert, Aubree Meinke, Oliver Yanke, Beckham Hurst, Kyla Curro, James Clark and Jonah Clark.

## PLEASE NOTE CHANGE FOR MONDAY HOT LUNCH!

Mon. Dec. 18: Burrito Bake, Corn, Fresh Fruit, Dessert

Tue. Dec. 19: Chicken Noodle Soup, Dinner Roll, Diced Pears, Dessert

Wed. Dec. 20: Lasagna, Salad, Breadstick, Dessert

Thur. Dec. 21: Sliced Ham, Cheesy Potatoes, Green Beans, Dessert

Fri. Dec. 22: EARLY RELEASE AT 11:30 – NO HOT LUNCH



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

# CHILD CARE CORNER

St. Mary Child Care 920-387-2920 x340  
Hours: 5:30 am – 5:30 pm; Monday - Friday



In childcare, we practiced using glue sticks and made some gnomes! You can take a peek at them, and out other projects, in the entrance of the daycare!



## CHRISTMAS PROGRAM TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19

Grades 3K - 3rd

Families and parishioners are invited.  
School gym - 6:00 pm. Doors will open at 5:30 pm  
All students must be dressed in their "Sunday Best"



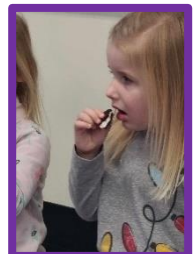
## PROGRAMA DE NAVIDAD MARTES 19 DE DICIEMBRE

3K - 3er grado

Están invitadas las familias y feligreses.  
Gimnasio escolar - 6:00 pm Las puertas se abrirán a las 5:30 pm  
Todos los estudiantes deben estar vestidos en su "Lo mejor del domingo"



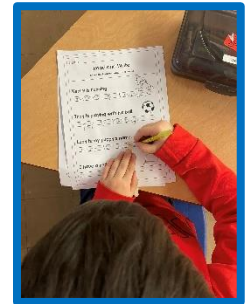
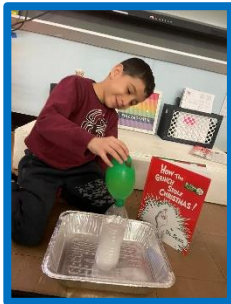
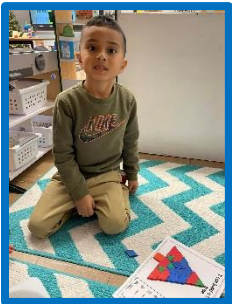
In 3K this week, we are working on the sense of TASTE. We taste -tested different foods in class today, including apples, oranges, grapefruit, lemons, peppermint cookies, caramel puffcorn and mini saltines.



All the kids know that Miss Diane loves the Grinch! Miss Diane and Allie were both wearing Grinch shirts on this day!



Kindergarten grew the Grinch's ❤️ during STEM and practiced using Spencer the Spacer during writing.



# REMINDER:

All students must have appropriate outdoor gear to go outside for recess. All students must have: Winter coat, snowpants, snow boots, hat, gloves/mittens. If your child does not have appropriate gear, they will not be allowed to go outside for recess. They will stay in their classroom during recess time.



**SAVE THE DATE**

**CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT**



**CASH PRIZES!**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 9**

**ST. MARY SCHOOL**  
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St. Mary School 1st grader Joshua Gonzalez Mendoza had a Picnic with the Principal on Wednesday, Dec. 13. Joshua talked with Mrs. Yauck about the prize he got in his Happy Meal which sparked a conversation about what he likes to do when he is not in school. He said one of his favorite things to do is have movie night with his family. They mostly have time together at home but sometimes go to the movie theater to enjoy a movie. Joshua told Mrs. Yauck that he loves to go visit his grandma in North Carolina. He is super excited to go this year because they are going to fly there instead of drive. He has a rabbit named Hairs that he likes to play with. At school, Joshua said he loves to play outside with his friends in both winter and summer. In winter he likes to build forts, go sledding, and play in the snow. In summer he likes to play soccer, tag, and swing. He said his favorite thing to do when not outside is read to his book buddy. He loves to read.





# STEAM

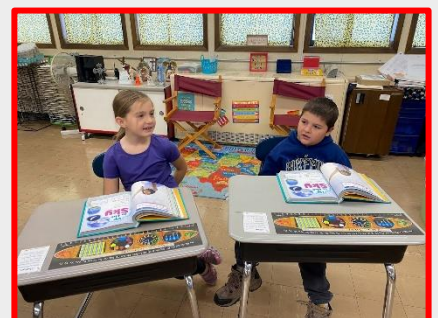
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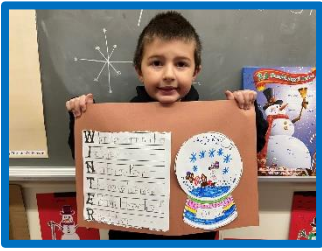
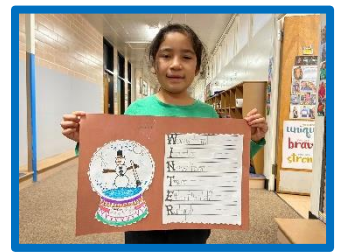
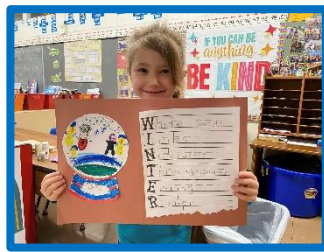
Last week, students were challenged during STEAM to use a limited amount of materials to build a shovel that could scoop as much of the fake snow up. They worked in partners and came up with some creative ideas!



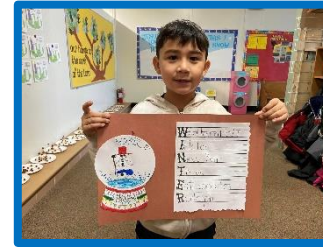
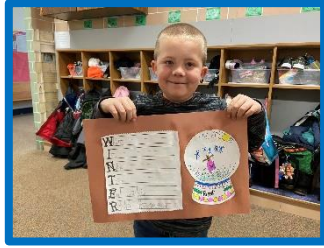
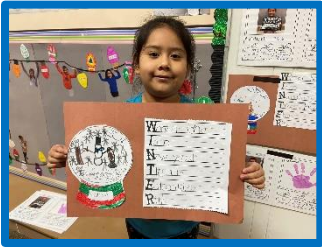
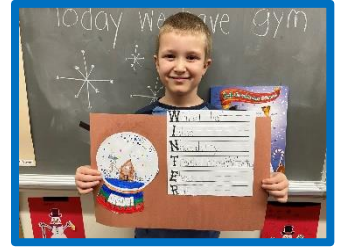
**Mrs. Lemens' second graders discussed the week's Essential Question, "What can we see in the sky?" They also did some shared reading with the story "Starry Night".**

# 2ND GRADE





The 1st graders finished writing their Acrostic poems. It was fun and challenging to think of words about winter that fit into our poems.



In Second Grade this week, we were very lucky to have our Mystery Reader, Jenny Curro (Kyla's Mom), come in and read to us! Thank you, Jenny!



This week in PE we used all our muscles in tug-of-war! We also practiced using good sportsmanship!

