



St. MARGARET MARY SCHOOL

2020-2021

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Our theme this year is “BEE-lieve” using the teaching of our Catholic faith to teach character virtues, believe in our faith in God and teach growth mindset to help build character and confidence. Our mission is to serve God by building knowledge and character... By teaching the word of God, we will prepare our students to follow a path of virtue.

Calendar of Events for the 2020-2021 School Year

(All dates in red are pending or will be virtual)

August

August 3-6 – **Uniform Exchange** – See Flyer on Facebook and e-envelope

August 11 - **Kindergarten & New Family Orientation**– Virtual - 6:30 (cafeteria)

August 13- **Kindergarten Ice Cream Social** – All Kindergarten and New Families and students grades 1-8
–6:30 (Cafeteria) – Cancelled

August 15 – Feast of the Assumption of Mary- Holy Day

August 17-21- Teacher In-Service Days

August 17- **Preschool Orientation** - 6:45-7:30 (Preschool Classroom) – Parents Only - Virtual

August 19 - School Board Meeting - 6:00 (faculty room)

August 20 **Preschool Social** – 6:00-7:00 (Courtyard & Preschool Classroom)- Preschool Families

August 24– Opening Day of School – Grades PreK-4 -8

Mass – 10:15 (gym) (Faculty)

August 24 – August 28 – Kindergarten Students have special schedule – Dismissal each day at 11:30 (Cafeteria Door)

Aug. 24– Only Boys Attend Class

Aug. 25– Only Girls Attend Class

Aug. 26 & Aug. 28 – All Children Attend Class

September- Service Project: Caitlin Smiles

September 1- Pre-K 4&5 begins

Mum Sale begins

September 4- **NO SCHOOL- (Teacher In-service Middle States)**

PTO Pool Party- Penn Colonial Pool- Cancelled

September 6 – End of Summer Bash - rescheduled - TBD

September 7 – **NO SCHOOL- LABOR DAY**

September 8- Pre-K 3 begins

September 8-11– Welcome Back Scholastic Book Fair

September 8 – Back to School Night Grades K-5- 6:45 - VIRTUAL

September 10– Back to School Night grades 6-8 – 6:45 – VIRTUAL

September 11 – 8:30 Mass w/ Installation of Student Council Officers

September 16– School Board – 6:00 - Virtual

September 18 – Mass-8:30 (8th Grade)

September 25– Mass-8:30 (7th Grade)

September 27 – Family Pancake Breakfast Hosted by Grades 7 & 8 – Display and Greeters at Mass-8:00-Noon (Cafeteria)

September 30 – **NO SCHOOL- (Teacher In-service- McD Conference) - Virtual**

October - Service Project: Socktober - Sock Collection for Interfaith Shelter (Student Council)

Bully Prevention & Fire Safety Month

October 1 – Living Rosary – 8:20 (gym)

Winter uniform begins - sweater/vest, no shorts

October 2– Mass – 8:30 (6th Grade)

October 5 – Living Rosary - TBD

PTO sub sale orders begin

October 6- Parent/Teacher Conferences for Grades K-5

October 7 – Parent/Teacher Conferences for Grades 6-8

October 9 – Mass -8:30 (5th Grade)

October 12 – **NO SCHOOL – COLUMBUS DAY**

October 13 – Living Rosary – 8:20 (gym) TBD

PTO Meeting- 7:00 (Virtual)

October 16- Mass- 8:30 (Gym)- Feast of St. Margaret Mary (4th Grade)

- Sub Orders Due

October 21 – School Pictures -8:30-Noon (gym) October

School Board Meeting- 6:00 (faculty room)

October 22 – Living Rosary- 8:20 (gym)

October 23 - Mass 8:30 (3rd Grade)

October 24 - PTO Fall Festival/Trunk or Treat w/ Hayride-6:30-8:30 (Church)

October 29- Living Rosary

-Sub Orders Delivered

October 30 – Halloween Parade and class Parties Grades Pre-K-4 -1:15 p.m.

Halloween Social for grades 7 & 8- 7:00-9:00 (cafeteria)

November - Service Project: Food Drive for Food Pantry at OLBS (Student Council)

November 6 – Mass – 8:30 (8th Grade)

November 10 – PTO Meeting- 7:00 (cafeteria)

November 11 – Veteran’s Day Mass - 8:30 (Student Council) (gym)

November 15 - Family Pancake Breakfast hosted by Grades 2,3,&4 - 8am-11am (Cafeteria) Greeters and Display at Mass

November 17 – Science Fair Judging -3:00-5:30 (cafeteria)

November 18 – Science Fair Judging -3:00-5:30 (cafeteria)

School Board Meeting - 6:00 (faculty room)

November 19 - Science Fair Judging - 3:00-5:30 (cafeteria)

November 20– Mass- 8:30 (7th Grade)

Science Fair Open House – 6:30-7:30 (cafeteria)

November 20- Trimester 1 Ends ?

November 24- Thanksgiving Prayer Service – 11:00 (Pro--Life Club) (gym)

Dismissal at Noon – No Central Dauphin Bus Transportation Home

November 25– November 30– NO SCHOOL – THANKSGIVING

November 29- Advent begins

December

December 1 -School resumes; PTO Sub Orders begin

December 4 -Grade Reports issued

December 4 – Advent Penance Service – 1:00 (gym) ?

December 4 - Mass- 8:30 (6th Grade)

- Parents’ Night Out - This event is sponsored by Student Council and offers babysitting from 6:00-8:00 in the cafeteria so parents can do some Christmas shopping or just have a night out

December 6– Santa Shop Set-Up- Time TBA (Cafeteria) (PTO)

December 8- Mass- Feast of the Immaculate Conception- 10:15 (5th Grade)

December 9 – Picture Retakes

PTO Sub Orders Due

December 7-10 – Santa Shop (Cafeteria) Students will get the chance to do some Christmas shopping

Thanks to our PTO for sponsoring this great opportunity for our students.

December 17 – PTO Sub Orders Delivered

Christmas Pageant – 6:45 Bishop McDevitt High School

December 18 – Mass-8:30 (4th Grade)

Student Council Christmas Dance for 7th & 8th grades -7:00-9:00- (Cafeteria)

December 21 – Brunch in Bethlehem (Cafeteria) –All students enjoy a special Christmas brunch for lunch.

Thanks to our PTO for sponsoring this event.

December 22 - Christmas Prayer Service - 11:00 (5th grade)

Dismissal at Noon - No Central Dauphin Bus Transportation Home –(Teacher afternoon in-service)

December 23–January 3 – NO SCHOOL-CHRISTMAS VACATION

January - Service Project: Souper Bowl - Soup Collection for Food Pantry at OLBS (Student Council)

January 4 – School Reopens

January 8 – Mass-8:30 (8th Grade)

January 12- PTO Meeting- 7:00 (cafeteria)

January 15– Mass – 8:30 (3rd Grade)

January 18- NO SCHOOL – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (Snow Make-Up Day #1)

January 20- School Board Meeting at 6:00 (faculty room)

January 22- Mass (7th Grade)

January 19 - Progress Reports go home

Preschool Conferences (No School for Pre-K)

January 22- Mass (6th Grade)

January 25 - NHD Judging 3:00-6:00 (cafeteria)

January 26- NHD Judging- 3:00-6:00 (cafeteria)

January 27 – NHD Judging – 3:00-6:00 (cafeteria)

January 28 – NHD Judging- 3:00-6:00 (cafeteria)

January 29- Mass 8:30 (5th grade)

- NHD Open House- 6:30-7:30 (cafeteria)

January 31 – Catholic Schools Week Presentation at Masses

- Pancake Breakfast Hosted by Grades 5 & 6 -8:00-11:00

- Open House 11:00 A.M. - 1 P.M. with Scholastic Book Fair

January 31- February 5 - Catholic Schools Week

Scholastic Book Fair all week

February - Service Project: Baby Item Collection for Morning Star (Pro-Life Club)

February 5 – Mass – Closing of SCW (Student Council)

February 7 - OPEN HOUSE 1pm-3pm

February 9 – PTO Meeting- 7:00 (cafeteria)

February 11- Valentine Celebration Grades PreK-4 1:45

Valentine Social Grades 7 & 8 – 7:00-9:00 (Cafeteria)

February 12 & 15 – NO SCHOOL – PRESIDENTS' DAY

(February 12 is a teacher in-service day & Snow Make-Up Day #2 & February 15 is Snow Make-Up Day #3)

February 17 –Mass- Ash Wednesday-10:15 (5th Grade)

School Board – 6:00 (Faculty Room)

February 22 - Quiz Bowl Competition - Lamberton Middle School

February 24- Stations of the Cross – 2:00 (gym)

February 26 – Mass (4th Grade)

March - Service Project: Penny War (Student Council)

Capital Area Science and Engineering Fair - TBD & County Chorus - TBD

March 3 – Stations of the Cross - 2:00 (gym)

March 5- Trimester 2 Ends

March 5 - Mass - 8:30 - (3rd Grade)

March 7- National History Day Regional Competition

March 9- PTO Meeting- 7:00 (cafeteria)

March 10 - Stations of the Cross 2:00 (gym)

March 12 - Mass (8th Grade)

Grade Reports Distributed

March 17 - Stations of the Cross - 2:00 (Gym)

- School Board Meeting - 6:00 (Faculty Room)

March 19- Mass (7th Grade)

March 21 - Family Pancake Breakfast - Hosted by Pre-K, K & 1st Grades. 8:30 - 11:30am

PTO Egg Hunt - noon (**Cancelled**)

March 24- Stations of the Cross – 2:00 (Gym)

March 26 -Mass-8:30 (6th Grade)

March 31 - Lenten Retreat - Living Stations - 10:45 (Gym)

Noon Dismissal - No Central Dauphin Bus Transportation Provided

Teacher In-Service for Middle States in the afternoon

March 31-April 5 Easter vacation- (April 1 is Snow Make-Up Day #4)

April- Not sure of service project for this month

April 2- Living Stations at STMM Church 7:00 p.m.

April 5 - Snow Make-up #5

April 6 - School Resumes

April 9- Mass (4th Grade)

April 13- PTO Meeting 7:00 (Cafeteria)

April 16- Spartan Sprint (Little Valley)

April 18 - First Communion 9:30 a.m.- church

April 19- Progress Reports Sent Home

April 23- Grandparents' Day -9:00-11:00 (Gym)

April 23-24 -Spring Musical-7:30 (Gym)

April 30- Mass (8th Grade)

May - 5K will be scheduled for this month – day and time to be determined

May 3 – May Crowning with Living Rosary – 1:45 (Gym)

First Holy Communion Practice - 6:00 (Church)

May 2 - First Holy Communion - 10:00 (Church)

May 6 - Kindergarten Mother's Day Tea- 10:00-11:00 (Cafeteria)

May 7- Track & Field Day

May 10- Living Rosary-8:20 (Gym)

May 10-14 – Final Exams for Grade 8

May 11 - PTO Meeting – 7:00 (Cafeteria)

May 14- Mass (7th Grade)

May 5- Arts Festival-6:45 (Gym)

May 18- Living Rosary 8:20 (Gym)

May 19 - School Board-6:00 (Faculty Room)

May 18-21 –8th Grade Graduation – Date can be determined closer to date. We may run into a wedding rehearsal if we plan for Friday, May 21

May 24- Living Rosary (gym)

School Picnic- 11:30-1:30 (Parking Lot & Little Valley)

May 25- Rain date for School Picnic

May 26 - Kindergarten Graduation- 9:00 (Gym)

Pre-K Closing Ceremony-10:00 (Gym)

Student Council Speeches & Voting 1:30 (Gym)

May 27 – Awards Assembly 1:00

Kindergarten Screening for New Students

May 28 – Last Day of School – Closing Mass at 10:15 – Dismissal at noon –

No Central Dauphin bus transportation at dismissal

PLEASE NOTE – 8TH GRADE GRADUATION WILL BE DETERMINED CLOSER TO SPRING.

