



The Mariner

"It's a great day to be a St. Mary's Celt!"

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CALENDAR

Saturday

Dec. 3

Please Join Us for **Mass!**
5:30pm (4:00pm @ St. Stan's)

Sunday

Dec. 4

Please Join Us for **Mass!**
8:00am or 10:00am
(12:00pm @ St. Stan's *Spanish **Mass!**)

Monday

Dec. 5

PSA Meeting 3:10pm

Tuesday

Dec. 6

Homework Clinic 3:15-4:30pm
Math Enhancement (4th - 6th)

Altar Servers

Dec. 3rd & 4th:

5:30pm	8:00am	10:00am
The Kestner's	C. Barkholz	V. Ibeson
	J. Saucedo	C. McClear
	J. Siciliano	K. Salazar
	*Still Needed	A. Salazar



AM: 1510 FM: 93.3

*Listen online at: www.goodshepherdcatholicradio.net



JPS BUS

Please direct any questions directly to JPS at (517) 841-2180.



Lumen Christi Bus

Registration (www.jcslumenchristi.org) and click on "Transportation" under QuickLinks on the right hand side of the home page to get more information and to register.



Thank you for your support in collecting food for St. Vincent DePaul food pantry. Your continued generosity helped make Thanksgiving special for many families that otherwise would have possibly not had a meal.



We have several soft fundraisers that add funds to our school without taking extra money out of your pocket, these are the most current:

Things to send in:

Egg Cartons, Box Tops for Education, Campbell's Labels for Education, Coke Rewards Caps - or enter code online, Recycled ink cartridges and cell phones, School Spirit bread wrappers

Things to sign up for:

Target Red Card, GFS Guest Card, Good Search, Office Depot (ask to credit St. Mary), **Shoparoo App**

INVEST IN SUCCESS:

<http://smcsjacksonmi.mydagsite.com/>

St. Mary TRIP (Tuition Reduction Incentive Program)

TRIP orders are due in the school office on Wednesday mornings **BY** 8:30AM for pick up the following week.

- Shutterfly - 11% until December 2
- Bed, Bath & Beyond - 8% until December 9
- Halmark - 6% until December 9
- Journeys - 13% until December 16
- Meijer - 5% until December 9
- Papa Johns - 10% until December 9
- Petsmart - 8% until December 23
- Starbucks =- 10% until December 18
- TGI Fridays - 10% until December 9

Thank You,

Cindy & Karen



PSA Weekly

St. Mary School is thankful for our outstanding PSA!

REMINDERS: Student drop off is from 7:45-8:00am. Student pick-up is between 3:05-3:20pm. Office hours are M-F 7:15am-3:30pm. Please allow a few extra minutes until the road construction is complete.

Please remember to dress appropriately for the weather.

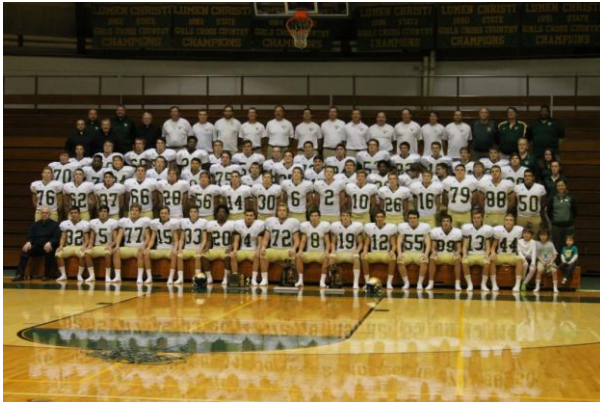
Computer Science Education Week

December 5-11 is Computer Science Education Week. The Hour of Code is a global movement reaching over 100 million students in over 180 countries. It is a one hour introduction to computer science and computer programming. All students from Kindergarten through Grade 6 will be participating in the Hour of Code during their computer classes this week.



Fr. Tim with our Lumen Christi, State Champion, St. Mary graduates...we are so proud of you all!

Front row: Riley Eaker, Giovanni Siciliano, Jeremy Bradley, Tomas Sambear
Back Row Noah Morris Ben Pelletier, Fr. Tim Nelson, Ben Cooper, Alex Lasky



CONGRATULATIONS TITANS!

SAFETY REMINDER



With the reopening of Wesley it is very important to be mindful that traffic is now coming from both ways and has increased. Please take extra care, especially at drop off in the morning.



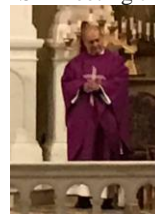
Principal's Corner...

Dear St. Mary's Family,

Let us celebrate the beauty, anticipation, and waiting of the Advent Season. Please join us at Mass as often as you can but most importantly on Saturday evening or Sunday.

Congratulations to our State Champion LC Titan Football Team!

PSA meeting this Monday immediately after school.



Welcome Fr. Rogelio Banuelos Castro

Fr. Rogelio is a priest from the Diocese of Texcoco, Mexico. He was born in Zacatecas, Mexico on February 10, 1956. He will be here at St. Mary's until next June to learn English.

Bienvenido, Padre Rogelio!

Thank you to our families for your continued support of our school and helping us in service of our parish at masses. I encourage everyone to join us on Sunday or Saturday evening for mass. We are so blessed to be a part of such a wonderful parish and to have a beautiful place to come together in worship. Our priests, Fr. Tim and Fr. Rick, are amazing and continue to guide us in living and practicing our faith.

Make it a priority for your family to pray, attend mass, and grow in their relationship with Jesus.

God bless and go CELTS!

See You at Mass!!

Matthew P. Berkemeier

Disciple of Christ, Servant, and Principal





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If you have requests for postings please email them to mberkemeier@myjacs.org no later than 12:00pm noon every Wednesday.



St. Mary Star of the Sea Council #9301

Thank you Knight's of Columbus for the continued support of our school, the PSA, the parish, and community. We at St. Mary Star of the Sea are all thankful for you.

Please like and share our school Facebook page and invite others to do the same.



**2016 St. John's
Vendor/Craft Show**
(Formerly Fatima Craft Show)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2016
10 AM – 4 PM
405 E. North Street
Jackson, MI 49202
Admission \$2.00