



# The Mariner

**“It’s a great day to be a St. Mary’s Celt!”**

## Saint Mary Star of the Sea School... Excellence in Education Est. 1889

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Mission: St. Mary’s Elementary School educates students of all faiths in a safe, nurturing, Christ-centered environment.

“LEARNING TODAY, LEADING FOREVER”

March 15, 2018

Volume #22

### CALENDAR

#### Thursday

March 15 Homework Clinic and UE Math Enhancement (pick up at 4:30pm)  
**1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation – 6:00pm**

#### Friday

March 16 **Student-led Mass 9:00am**  
**Student-led Stations 2:30pm**  
**Fish Fry in Star Hall 4-7pm**

#### Saturday

March 17 **Please Join Us for Mass!**  
**5:30pm (4:00pm @ St. Stan’s)**  
**Reconciliation 10:00am-12:00pm**

#### Sunday

March 18 **Please Join Us for Mass!**  
**8:00am or 10:00am**  
**(12:00pm Latin Mass)**  
**(12:00pm @ St. Stan’s \*Spanish Mass!)**

#### Tuesday

March 20 Homework Clinic and UE Math Enhancement (pick up at 4:30pm)  
**Altar Servers**

March 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>:

5:30pm	8:00am	10:00am
A. Parker	C. Barkholz	A. Fenn
K. Parker	R. Berkemeier	X. Fenn
		D. Fenn
		N. Fenn



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#### JPS BUS

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



#### Lumen Christi Bus

Registration ([www.jcslumenchristi.org](http://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.



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, 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**

#### 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.

- Meijer - 5% March 17 - 30
- Shutterfly - 11% March 17 - 30
- Dominoes - 11% March 10 - 23
- JC Penneys - 6% March 17 - 30
- The Home Depot - 7% March 17 - 23

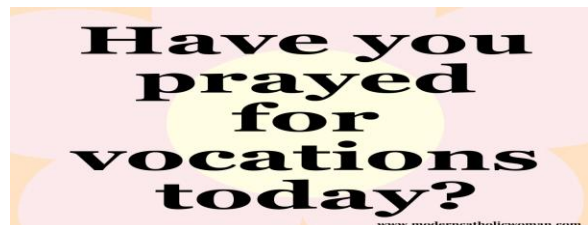
Thank You,

Cindy & Karen



#### PSA Weekly

Thank you for helping make Family Fun Day a great day for everyone!



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## REMINDERS:

**WINTER WEATHER DRESS: PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR CHILDREN HAVE SNOW PANTS, BOOTS, GLOVES, HATS, SCARVES, AND MOST IMPORTANTLY WINTER COATS!**

**Drop off is 7:45am-8:00am and School starts at 8:00am. School ends at 3:05pm and pick up is from 3:05pm-3:20pm. It is very important that students are present for the duration of school. Please try your best to schedule appointments, trips, and other events during the school year outside of school hours.**



### Principal's

#### Corner...

Dear St. Mary's Family,



**Catholic Schools**  
Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.



**Escuelas Católicas**  
Liderazgo. Servicio. Aprendizaje. Logra tus metas.

All St. Mary's is invited to join us for the best Fish Fry in town...very affordable for all families! St. Mary's Parish is hosting our LENTEN FISH FRY every Friday of LENT! Please bring your family and enjoy dinner from 4-7:00pm with our St. Mary's family and greater Jackson community.

Please consider making LENT the time to make necessary changes in your lives to grow closer in your relationship with Jesus!

**WE WOULD LOVE TO CELEBRATE WITH YOU! IF YOU NEED SOMEONE TO SIT WITH MANY OF OUR SCHOOL FAMILIES ATTEND THE 10:00am MASS AT ST. MARY'S ON SUNDAY!**

**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](mailto:mberkemeier@myjacs.org) no later than 12:00pm noon every Wednesday.

**From the Strategic Plan Committee:** The Mission and Catholic Identity team of the Strategic Plan is working hard to design a work plan for our chosen goal of helping parents educate their students in faith. Please help us by completing this 2 minute, anonymous survey: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BHWG3SC>



**St. Mary Star of the Sea Council #9301**

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St. Mary Star of the Sea – Shining Stars!