



St. Joseph Catholic School

Weekly Newsletter – August 25, 2018

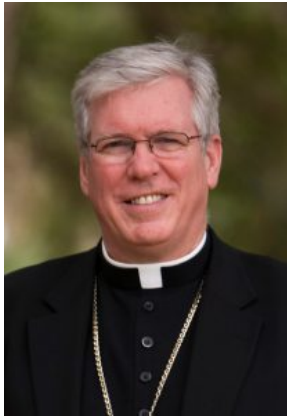
From the Principal's Desk

MISSION STATEMENT

Rooted in Catholic faith, and committed to academic excellence, St. Joseph Catholic School develops personal responsibility, character, service, and leadership.

School Mass – Wednesday, August 28 – 8:00 am Kindergarten – Grade 8

- Parents and guardians are welcome to attend Mass with the students.
- Please remember, all doors will be locked at 8:00 am for safety.
- Please observe all directional markers and signs in the parking lots when bringing students to Mass. Do not attempt to enter the parking lot from the 26th street light.
- All IXL Top Summer Students will be honored following the Mass.



Mass with Bishop Dewane – Friday, September 6th - 1:30 pm

Mass is scheduled with Bishop Dewane on Friday, September 6th at 1:30 pm. Parents and guardians are welcome to join us for Mass.

Students will return to classrooms following the Mass and will not be bringing their backpacks to church. We will need to dismiss students through the regular carline.

After School Classes

Guitar classes begin September 3rd. Please see the attached information from Mr. Corbett. (This is the same information that was available at our Back to School Night.)

Flavia Zappa Medlin, from the Sarasota Orchestra, has agreed to teach violin again this year at SJCS. If your child would like to participate, please see the attached information to arrange for lessons.

Hot Lunch orders are billed each week via FACTS.

Please make sure your FACTS billing account is set up for incidentals.
This prevents families from falling behind in payments and allows us
to provide this program for our children.

Menus are sent home with all students each week.
A menu sheet is attached for your convenience.

August Birthday Celebrations

Congratulations to all of our students who celebrate their birthdays during August.

If your child (Grades K – 8) has an August birthday, you are invited to join your child for lunch on Friday, August 30th, in the Parish Center. **To attend, you will need to register on SignUpGenius by using the link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/BDInvite>**

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION NOTES:

- Each month, we will celebrate all birthdays for that month. Parents and Students (Grades K – 8) may invite family guests to join them for lunch. Birthday students will receive a gift, and enjoy a cupcake for dessert. (Please do not bring classroom treats to the group celebration)
- On your child's birthday, half birthday, or the Monday following a weekend birthday, students may bring cookies, cupcakes, or donuts to share with their homeroom. (No cupcake cakes or cakes, please.) Please pre-arrange with the homeroom teacher regarding the time they will be sharing their treats.
- Students may dress down on their birthdays (see handbook which is posted on the school website). If a birthday is on a Saturday, Sunday, or holiday, a student may celebrate on the following Monday, or the day we return to school.
- If students have a summer birthday, they may celebrate their half birthday.



Please mark your calendar for our first semester birthday celebrations:

August Birthdays	August 30
September Birthdays	September 27
October Birthdays	October 18
November Birthdays	November 15
December Birthdays	December 12
December ½ Birthdays (June)	December 19

After School Activities August 26 – August 30

Monday:

- 3:00 – 4:00 pm Choir Practice (Parish Choir Room)
- 3:00 – 3:45 pm Jr. Legion of Mary – Meet by the School Office to go to the Parish Center
- 3:00 – 5:00 pm Flag Football Practice

Tuesday:

- 3:00 – 4:45 pm Volleyball Practice

Wednesday:

- 3:00 – 5:00 pm Flag Football Practice

Thursday:

- 3:00 – 4:45 pm Volleyball Practice
- 3:00 – 4:00 pm Irish Dance (Registered Students Only)

Friday: Have a good weekend!

Otis Spunkmeyer Cookie Sale

Thank you for your support! Our children are loving this fun competition. This sale benefits many of our school programs. We appreciate your help selling these delicious items! Online sales and donations count toward classroom and student prizes.

Spirit Shirts

Show your school spirit by ordering and wearing a St. Joseph Catholic School Spirit Shirt.

These shirts come in multiple colors and can be worn for our many school events. They come in all sizes, including a v-neck style for women.

Please use the attached order form to place your order.





If you would like to access your student's grades and classroom information - please follow the directions below:

- Go to www.renweb.com Select the "Log-In" button in the right top of the screen.
- Select ParentsWeb login
- Our district code is STJO-FL and is typed in the district code field
- Look down towards the bottom of the screen and you will see "Create New ParentsWeb Account" you will need to click on that link
- Enter the district code again STJO-FL
- Enter a valid email address
- Select "create new account"
- A prompt will inform you that an email has been sent to you so that you can create a user name and password.
- Please check your email and create your username and password.
- That should do it!! Make sure to write the district code (STJO-FL), your user name and password down for future use!!

Please note: This works best on a laptop or computer, rather than a phone.

Please contact the school office if you need assistance.



**Thursday, August 29th
6:00 pm
Town Hall Meeting**

Step Up For Students and Florida Voices For Choices would like to invite our scholarship families to attend one of the Town Hall Meetings hosted by Representative Wengay Newton.

You will have an opportunity to hear from Rep. Newton in person, ask questions about policies that matter to you, and support a lawmaker who helped pass a bill that allowed 18,000 students to get off a waitlist this year and receive a scholarship!

Advocates who join us at the town hall will be given T-shirts to wear.

Please complete your RSVP by selecting the blue link if you plan to attend.

Registration Link: <https://p2a.co/gNrYwn5>

**13th Avenue Dream Center
922 24th Street East
Bradenton, FL 34208**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:
8/16/19



CONTACT: Maura Howl, APR
EMAIL: howlmc@manateeschools.net
OFFICE: (941) 752-8100 x 2166

Remote Area Medical to provide **FREE** medical care in Bradenton, FL

RAM seeking volunteer vision and dental professionals to treat people in need.

Bradenton, FL – August 16, 2019 – Remote Area Medical- RAM® -- a major non-profit provider of mobile clinics delivering free, high-quality medical, dental, and vision care to underserved and uninsured individuals—is coming to Bradenton October 12 and 13. Services available at the RAM clinic include dental cleanings, dental fillings, dental extractions, dental x-rays, eye exams, eyeglass prescriptions, eyeglasses made on-site, women's health exams, and general medical exams. **All RAM services are free, and no ID is required.**

The RAM clinic will be located at Manatee Technical College, 6305 State Road 70 East, Bradenton, FL 34203. The clinic parking lot will open at 12:01 a.m. on Saturday, October 12. Ticket distribution begins at 3 a.m., and patients will be seen in chronological order according to their ticket number when clinic doors open at 6 a.m. This process will repeat on Sunday, October 13.

The number of people the clinic can serve is determined by the number of dental and optometric professionals who volunteer.

"I urge dental professionals to step up to help those within our community who can't afford the care they need," stated Dr. Steven Tinsworth, DMD. "The gratitude of the patients I help is beyond measurement. I get back as much as I give when I volunteer during RAM."

Remote Area Medical has been providing free dental, vision, medical, and veterinary care to the Bradenton, Florida community since 2015. The last four annual clinics at Manatee Technical College provided more than a million dollars' worth of free health care services to thousands of individuals.

For more information about volunteering at a RAM mobile clinic, visit www.ramusa.org or call 865-579-1530.

About Remote Area Medical: *RAM is a major non-profit provider of free mobile clinics delivering free, high-quality, dental, vision, and medical services to underserved and uninsured individuals who do not have access to or cannot afford a doctor. RAM's Corps of more than 135,000 volunteers--licensed dental, vision, medical and veterinary professionals, as well as general support volunteers—have treated more than 785,000 individuals and 68,000 animals, delivering \$135 million worth of free health care services.*

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EARN CASH FOR OUR SCHOOL

NO MORE CLIPPING. ALL YOU NEED IS YOUR SMARTPHONE.

The NEW and improved Box Tops mobile app uses state-of-the-art technology to scan your store receipt, find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to our school's earnings online.

LOOK FOR
THE NEW
LABEL:

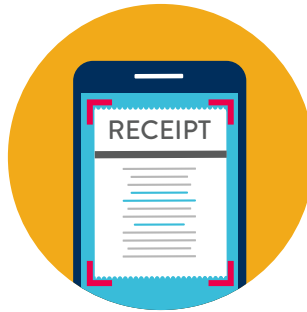


HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:



BUY BOX TOPS PRODUCTS

You can find Box Tops on hundreds of products throughout the store.



SCAN YOUR RECEIPT

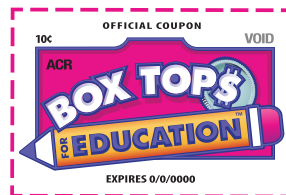
Use the app to snap a photo of your receipt within 14 days of purchase.



EARN CASH FOR OUR SCHOOL

Box Tops earnings are identified and automatically updated at BTFE.com.

You do not need to clip or send Box Tops labels to school.



BOX TOPS CLIPS ON PACKAGES

Traditional Box Tops clips are being phased out of production but may continue to be found on many products throughout the store as packages transition to the new Box Tops labels. **You can still clip these and send them to school.** Please make sure each clip has a valid expiration date.



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BOX TOPS
PRODUCTS



CUT
OUT THE BOX TOP
FROM EACH PACKAGE



SEND
YOUR BOX TOPS
TO SCHOOL

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SPIRIT SHIRT ORDER FORM

Navy Blue

Child Sizes

YS 6-8 _____

YM 10-12 _____

YL 14-16 _____

Adult Regular T-Shirt

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

XL _____

2XL _____

3XL _____

Women's V-neck

(students are not permitted to wear
v neck)

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

X Large _____

Red

Child Sizes

YS 6-8 _____

YM 10-12 _____

YL 14-16 _____

Adult Regular T-Shirt

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

XL _____

2XL _____

3XL _____

Women's V-neck

(students are not permitted to wear
v neck)

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

XLarge _____

Purple

Child Sizes

YS 6-8 _____

YM 10-12 _____

YL 14-16 _____

Adult Regular T-Shirt

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

XL _____

2XL _____

3XL _____

Women's V-neck

(students are not permitted to wear
v neck)

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

X Large _____

Hot Pink

Child Sizes

YS 6-8 _____

YM 10-12 _____

YL 14-16 _____

Adult Regular T-Shirt

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

XL _____

2XL _____

3XL _____

X Large _____

Women's U -neck

(students are not permitted to wear
u neck)

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

XLarge _____

Lime Green

Child Sizes

YS 6-8 _____

YM 10-12 _____

YL 14-16 _____

Adult Regular T-Shirt

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

XL _____

2XL _____

3XL _____

Women's U -neck

(students are not permitted to wear
u neck)

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

X Large _____

Total Shirts: _____

Name: _____

Grade: _____

Amount

Due: _____

Parent Name: _____

SPIRIT SHIRTS ARE \$13
EACH OR 4 FOR \$45.
PLEASE RETURN ORDER
FORM WITH CASH OR
CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO
ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL.

Guitar Class Information

Dear Parents and Guitar

8/25/2019

I **will** continue to teach three days of after-school guitar classes, this year.

Note: Intermediate classes will be held on Tuesday and Thursday. Beginning Guitar classes Will continue on Wednesday.

Students,

- 1.) Students who attended **last** year's intermediate guitar classes are all encouraged to attend these classes this year.
- 2.) Students, who attended last year's Beginning Guitar class, will continue attending those classes. Those students may be able to advance to the intermediate classes, once I have had the opportunity to assess their overall progress.
- 3.) This year I am accepting new students from first to eighth grade into the Beginning Guitar class. Both Beginning and Intermediate guitar classes will be limited to 25 students each. All students from last year's classes will have first priority to enter this year's classes.
- 4.) **Important Note to Parents:** **All** students must be picked up promptly by 4:00 pm at the black gate located at the back, north corner of the church choir room, near the boys' bathroom. Those students not picked up by 4:15 pm will be sent to St. Joseph's After Care.

*****Snacks:** Students may bring a quick snack to eat on the bench outside the church choir room before class starts from 3:00 to 3:15 pm.

Requirements / Materials for Guitar Class

- A) All students must supply their own guitars, straps and guitar cases.
- B) Younger and new students can purchase new ½ size guitars, cases, straps tuners on line from Amazon, some are sold as a package deal, this seems to be the better deal. The cost is between \$50-\$100 plus. Watch for sales on them. Try to purchase nylon string guitars. Note: I have had to change the steel guitar strings to nylon strings for most students, as the steel strings are hard on a student's fingers. The cost for new nylon strings is approx. \$10.00. I will purchase the correct strings for you, and you can reimburse me for the cost. I do not charge to change strings or to adjust the guitars (if they can be adjusted).
- C) Older students need to purchase larger ¾ to full size guitars, straps, and guitar cases. If you need assistance in finding guitars, please contact me and I will assist you in finding them.
- D) All students need to purchase: The Complete Edition (Books 1,2,3 bound together in one easy-to-use volume) of *The Hal Leonard Guitar Method* book with - ON LINE ACCESS TO 164 FULL-BAND TRACKS FOR DEMONSTRATION OR PLAY ALONG SONGS. ISBN 9780634047015, (PLASTIC COMB BINDER. Books are available ONLINE AT AMAZON.COM. (See attached Amazon page).
- E) All students need to supply a 1", three-ringed binder (any color) for class and homework music pages.
- F) **All students need to bring their guitars and three-ringed binders to every class and take them home after class in order to practice and to study at home.**

I am looking forward to working with all students in my after school classes, this year. If your child is interested in signing up for after school Guitar Classes, please contact the school office or call Jim Corbett at the numbers listed below by Monday July 29, 2019

Classes will begin: Intermediate Guitar Class: Tuesday, 9/3/2019 and Thursday, 9/5/2019

- Beginning Guitar Class: Wednesday 9/4/2019 **Jim Corbett**
jimcorbett@gmail.com Home Phone: 941-792-6722 Cell Phone: 941-504-4829

St. Joseph School: After School Guitar Class 2019-2020
Student Information Form

Please Print

Student Name: _____

Homeroom Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Mother: _____ Phone: (H) _____
(C) _____

Father: _____ Phone: (H) _____
(C) _____

Additional Emergency Contact:

_____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Students who are not picked up by 4:15 p.m. will be sent to the St. Joseph School After Program.

Individuals Authorized to Pick Up Your Child:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Please return this form to the school office ASAP.

Guitar Instructor: Jim Corbett Home - 941-792-6722 Cell - 941-504-4829
jimgcorbett@gmail.com

Violin Lessons

Flavia Medlin – Sarasota Orchestra

\$15/half hour for a private lesson

\$10/half hour for a group lesson

Must provide own violin.

Leasing Options:

Bertrand's Keyboards and More

3611 1st St. Unit 520,

Bradenton, FL 34208

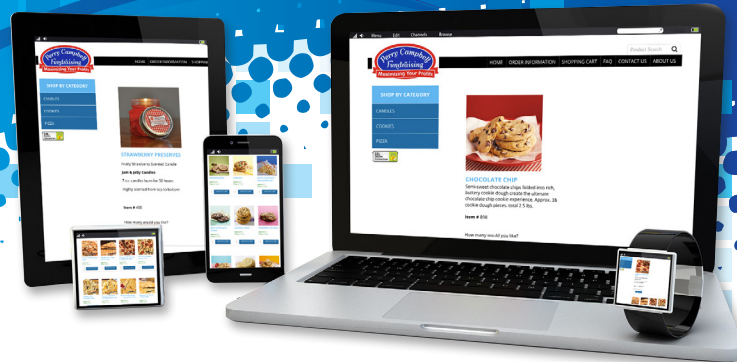
941-746-1414

Interested? Please contact Flavia Zappa Medlin at 941-730-6798 or wellingtoniv@hotmail.com.



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Registering is easy and only takes 5 minutes.

Your School ID Is: 1168 | St Joseph Catholic School

Option 1 • Register using A Mobile Device or Tablet

Step 1: Text **REGISTER** to **941-213-8460** • Use "Your School ID" at the top of this letter.

Step 2: Enter **STUDENT ID** and follow instructions on screen to create a student profile.
(**STUDENT ID** is the red, 7 digit number located on your order form)

Remember! Add impact by including a student photo, a short description about this fundraiser and your email/mobile number.

Important! Don't forget to share your fundraiser on social media to boost your student sales significantly!
(We do not share or contact you via social media. YOU choose when and where to share your fundraiser online.)

Option 2 • Go Online and Register: register.PerryCampbell.com

Step 1: Follow the easy online instructions to register your account. Check the texting option to increase your fundraising sales!

Step 2: You will receive an email with your **Student ID & Password SAVE IT!**

Step 3: Locate the fundraising email you receive in your personal account and forward it to friends and family anywhere in the contiguous United States.

Step 4: Share your fundraiser on social media to increase your sales! Click on the appropriate social media icon on your seller page to post to your account and increase your sales.

* Ordering online allows local customers to pay with a credit card and have their orders **SHIPPED TO THE SCHOOL** on delivery day for a small convenience fee. If they live far away or prefer they can select **SHIP TO HOME** and receive free shipping on "non-frozen" orders over \$75.

New this year: Frozen foods can now be ordered online and shipped to home anywhere in the contiguous United States for an applicable freight fee. No free shipping is available with the frozen "SHIP TO HOME" orders.



Need a Fundraiser? 941-751-6300 • Info@PerryCampbell.com • PerryCampbell.com