

# Most Precious Blood School Newsletter

October 19, 2022

## **No School & Half-Day This Week:**

Tomorrow, October 20th - No School

Friday, October 21st - Half Day for Students



## **Hot Lunch:**

November lunch calendars were sent home last Friday. It is also attached for your convenience. Please remember to keep a copy, or take a picture of the monthly calendar before you send it in with your student(s).

Calendars and payment are **DUE October 21st.**

## **Student Council:**

Thank you to all MPB classes for participating in the Student Council Elections last week. Congratulations to our elected Student Council Winners:

President - Christopher Pirog

Vice President - Giovanni Minozzi

Secretary - Angela Barry

## **Montgomery Food Pantry:**

The MPB Parish's month to donate to the pantry is November. The MPB National Jr. Honor Society and our Student Council are helping by collecting food. The pantry needs the following:

stuffing, cranberry sauce, gravy, canned sweet potatoes, canned vegetables, and instant potatoes. Students can drop off items in the 7th and 8th grade rooms. Thank you!



## **Birthday Party Invitations:**

Please be aware that birthday / party invitations are not allowed to be disbursed at school unless ALL classmates are invited. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.



**Special Thanks to the Wright's Family Farm:**

Did you know that Wright's Family Farm in Gardiner is a MPB family!!! They have donated apples for all our students. Apples will be available to all students during their lunch time.

**Dismissal Reminder:**

When picking up your child(ren) from school at dismissal time, please do not allow them to run around outside. Many cars are backing out and are unable to see small children. This is for the safety of all students. It only takes a second for an accident to occur. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.



**Trunk or Treat:**

Saturday, October 29th from 2:00 - 4:00.

See attached flyer. The 8th grade will be selling hot chocolate during the event, as a fundraiser, for their graduation trip to NYC.

**Making Strides of Hudson Valley Breast Cancer Awareness (MPB FALCO TEAM)**

Thank you for all the donations on the webpage and for dress down day. MPB School raised \$400.00 from dress down day, and \$257.33 from web and teacher donations.

**Before/After Care**

Before and After Care fees from September 7th-October 10th will appear on your November Blackbaud tuition bill.

**Picture Day:**

October 26 is picture day for individual and class pictures. Students in grade K-8 are required to wear a complete **WINTER** uniform. Students in UPK and Pre-K should dress to impress!

**8th Grade Fundraiser:**

Mrs. Pirog, one of our 8th grade parents, has generously volunteered her expertise in photography! The 8th grade will be hosting a Christmas Family Photo Session. See attached flyer for details or call 845-590-3704, or email [krcurmoments@yahoo.com](mailto:krcurmoments@yahoo.com)



**Cash Calendars:**

Thank you to our MPB families for supporting our Cash Calendar Fundraiser this year. Be sure to send in Cash Calendars ASAP, as drawings will begin in November.

**Pasta Fundraiser:**

The Parent Guild will be running a Pasta Fundraiser. Information packets were sent home last week.

**Parent Guild Meeting:**

Our next Parent Guild meeting will be held November 15th at 7:00 pm in the gymnasium. All parents are welcome.

**Basketball:**

To sign up your child for basketball, email Mr. Valentin, the Athletic Director at [mpbschoolad@gmail.com](mailto:mpbschoolad@gmail.com).

**Dismissal Changes:**

Please email any dismissal changes to [mpbschool180@gmail.com](mailto:mpbschool180@gmail.com). This is the ONLY email account that is checked daily before dismissal time.

**Included Flyers in Newsletter below:**

Christmas Photo - 8th Grade Fundraiser

Queen of Hearts

November Lunch Calendar (paper copy sent home last week)

Fight Flu Information

Fun Pasta (paper copy sent home last week)

Gift Card Order Form (paper copy will be sent home Friday)

**Flyers with links sent as attachments in email with newsletter:**

Trunk and Treat

Guild Fundraising Update



# KRC Presents: It's the most Wonderful Time of the Year 8th Grade FUNDRAISER !!!

Twas the night before Christmas

Christmas Baking Moments 2022



## MINI SESSIONS

Date: November 19, 2022  
Place: MPB School's Gym  
Time: 10:00AM - 2:30PM

- Choice of 2 backdrops
- Online Gallery
- Photo Print Release

Book today to secure your spot!!  
MPB's 8th Grade Fundraiser  
Phone: 845-590-3704  
Krcurmoments@yahoo.com

**\$80** 100% of Package price - \$80- goes to MPB 8th Grade Fundraiser

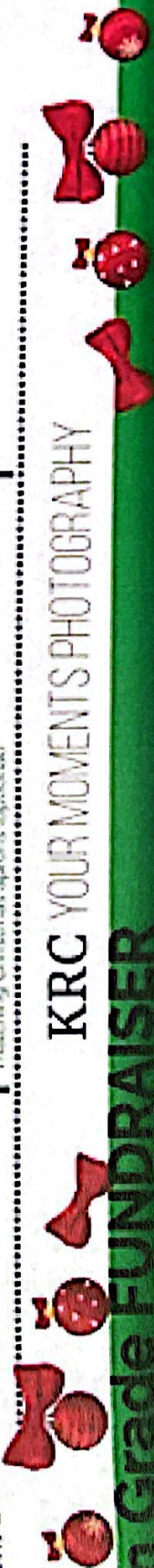
15 Minute Session. 3 Edited Images. 1 backdrop. Additional photos ( 1 for \$25 each. 2 for \$20 each)

Idea for Twas The Night Before Christmas backdrop - This will a cozy shoot where the family is having a relaxing night before Christmas. This can be themed with gifts or fun Christmas blanket as they read their favorite Christmas story  
Idea for Christmas Baking Moment backdrop-A fun Christmas baking shoot. Families can bring matching Christmas hats, matching Christmas aprons (optional)

**\$115** 100% of Package price - \$115- goes to MPB 8th Grade Fundraiser  
20 Minute Session. 5 Edited Images. 2 backdrops. Additional photos ( 1 for \$20 each. 2 for \$15 each)

8th Grade FUNDRAISER

KRC YOUR MOMENTS PHOTOGRAPHY





# Queen of Hearts

Prize is now at...

**\$2,000.00**

Tickets are available in the  
school office and during Bingo.

Tickets are \$5.00 each.

The available numbers are:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16,  
17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29,  
30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42,  
43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52

Send in an envelope with your name, phone number and money with the numbers  
you want. The office will process your tickets.





Most Precious Blood School  
Walden, New York

# November 2022

## Student Lunch Program – Orders Due: Friday, October 21st

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Week 1</b>	31 Conference Day No School	1 Mac and Cheese w/ side of Broccoli: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	2 Chicken Nuggets w/ Fries: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	3 Penne Pasta w/sauce, Salad: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	4 ½ Day No Lunch	5 <b>Week 1 Total</b> \$ _____
<b>Week 2</b>	6 Pizza: \$2 per slice Buy Lunch _____ # of Slices _____	7 Pizza: \$2 per slice Buy Lunch _____ # of Slices _____	8 Mac and Cheese w/ side of Broccoli: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	9 Chicken Nuggets w/ Fries: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	10 Penne Pasta w/sauce, Salad: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	11 <b>Week 2 Total</b> \$ _____
<b>Week 3</b>	13 Pizza: \$2 per slice Buy Lunch _____ # of Slices _____	14 Pizza: \$2 per slice Buy Lunch _____ # of Slices _____	15 Mac and Cheese w/ side of Broccoli: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	16 Chicken Nuggets w/ Fries: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	17 Penne Pasta w/sauce, Salad: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	18 <b>Week 3 Total</b> \$ _____
<b>Week 4</b>	20 Pizza: \$2 per slice Buy Lunch _____ # of Slices _____	21 Pizza: \$2 per slice Buy Lunch _____ # of Slices _____	22 Mac and Cheese w/ side of Broccoli: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	23 Thanksgiving Recess No School	24 Thanksgiving Recess No School	25 <b>Week 4 Total</b> \$ _____
<b>Week 5</b>	27 Pizza: \$2 per slice Buy Lunch _____ # of Slices _____	28 Pizza: \$2 per slice Buy Lunch _____ # of Slices _____	29 Mac and Cheese w/ side of Broccoli: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	30 Chicken Nuggets w/ Fries: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	1 Penne Pasta w/sauce, Salad: \$4 Buy Lunch _____	2 <b>Week 5 Total</b> \$ _____
						<b>Monthly Total</b> \$ _____

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Money owed from weeks 1 – 5 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Lunch must be paid for each month. NO EXCEPTIONS – we are ordering from a local restaurant

Each child will need their own calendar order handed in for each month

Family payments can be made with one check

### Procedure to Order Lunch:

1. Place mark on the day(s) your child wants to purchase lunch.
2. Tally money owed for each week.
3. Tally total money owed for the month.
4. Send in calendar and payment to the main office  
"Checks payable to MPB School"



# Steps

## Fight Flu

### at Home and School

Flu, or influenza, spreads easily and can make

people very sick, especially kids. You can help stop flu!

#### Flu symptoms include:

Fever or chills, body aches, cough, sore throat, headache, runny or stuffy nose, feeling very tired. Some people, especially children, may have stomach problems and diarrhea. Unlike a cold, the flu comes on very suddenly.

#### Prevent flu!

- Flu vaccine is the best protection against the flu. It is recommended every year for everyone 6 months and older.
- Get the flu vaccine for you and your children every year! It helps make flu sickness milder or prevents it all together.
- Getting the vaccine early in the fall means you and your children will be protected when flu season starts.
- Ask people close to your children, like babysitters and relatives, to get the vaccine, too.
- The vaccine is especially important for people with certain health conditions, like asthma, diabetes, heart or lung conditions because the flu can make them even sicker.

#### If your child gets the flu:

- Your child will need plenty of rest and lots of fluids.
- Keep your child home from school for at least 24 hours after their fever is gone without using fever-control medicine. This helps avoid giving the flu to others.
- Talk with your child's health care provider before giving a child any over-the-counter medicine.
- Never give your child or teenager aspirin or any medicine that has aspirin in it. Aspirin can cause serious problems.
- If your child gets flu symptoms and is younger than 5 or has a medical condition like asthma, diabetes, or heart or lung disease, call their health care provider.

Young children and those with certain medical conditions are at greater risk for

getting seriously ill from the flu. Ask their health care provider if they recommend an antiviral drug.

- If you are worried about your child, call their health care provider.

#### Don't spread flu!

[health.ny.gov/flu](http://health.ny.gov/flu)



Department  
of Health

- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
  - If soap and water aren't handy, use an alcohol-based hand rub.
- Cough or sneeze into a tissue or your elbow, not your hands. Put used tissues in the trash.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth. That's how germs spread.
- Stay away from people who are sick.





Dear Parents and Friends,

MPB School is fundraising with Fun Pasta Fundraising!

We are raising money to support our school and we need your help in reaching our fundraising goal! **Families will earn 20% of their sales as fundraising credit.**

***What is Fun Pasta?*** Fun Pasta is healthy fun pasta shaped like the holidays, sports, collegiate team logos, and more. The colorful brochure shows a wide variety of products that will appeal to everyone!

***How to Take Orders***

➤ ***With our Fun Pasta Brochure and Order Form***

Order forms and Money are DUE to the school by November 7<sup>th</sup>

All checks should be made out to MPB School.

➤ ***With our Online Fun Pasta Website***

All online orders must be placed by November 6<sup>th</sup>

To share the shopping link in a text, email, or online, please copy and paste our group link: <https://www.funpastafundraising.com/shop/mpb-school>

**Be sure to have your family and friends select your child's name to ensure you receive fundraising credit for your online orders!**

Brochure Orders will be shipped to the school for distribution. Online orders can be shipped to the customer's home. There is **FREE SHIPPING** on orders over \$65!

***THANK YOU FOR HELPING US REACH OUR GOAL!***

If you have any questions, please contact the MPB Parent Guild at [MPBParentGuild@gmail.com](mailto:MPBParentGuild@gmail.com)

Thank you,  
MBP Parent Guild





# Gift Card Fundraising



Our Gift Cards Fundraiser is available year-round. You can order a wide variety of gift cards and eGift Cards online at [RaiseRight.com](https://www.RaiseRight.com) or you can purchase some gift cards directly from the school.

You earn 5% of the value of your gift card purchases as credit towards your commitment. Gift Cards purchased from June 1, 2022, to May 31, 2023, will be used to calculate this school year's fundraising credit.

## The following cards can be purchased directly from MPB School:

- Adams Fairacre Farms - \$25, \$50, \$100
- Stop & Shop - \$25, \$50, \$100
- Shop Rite - \$25, \$50, \$100
- Hannaford - \$25, \$50, \$100
- Target - \$25, \$100
- Walmart - \$25, \$100
  - \* Walmart is being discontinued and replaced by Target.
- Amazon - \$25, \$100
- Dunkin Donuts - \$10



## To order Gift Cards from the school:

- Fill out the Gift Card Order Form and submit to the school office with your payment by check (payable to MPB) or cash. Your cards will be sent home with your child.
- Gift cards are sold at the school from 2:45-3:15 on Mondays and Thursdays.
- Gift Cards are also sold after Mass at MPB each weekend.



TURN SHOPPING INTO EARNING



EARN  
\$1,000+  
per year

# Experience the right way to fundraise

Gift card fundraising is the best way to raise money. Buy gift cards from your favorite brands to earn on your daily purchases. It's never been easier to create opportunities for what matters most to you. No extra money spent. No extra time wasted.

## How it works



### You buy a gift card

You get the full value.



### The brand gives back

No extra money comes  
out of your pocket.



### Your organization earns

Impacting what  
matters most to you.

## Shop 750+ popular brands

Getting your morning coffee. Doing DIY projects around the house.  
Ordering takeout. Conveniently raise money by doing everyday things.



amazon



STARBUCKS®



"It's super convenient. All I need to go shopping is my phone—I don't even need credit cards or my purse. I'm going to pay for these things anyway, I love being able to use gift cards so we get something in return."

Jen H., earns for hockey

Get started by downloading the [RaiseRight™ app](#) on your phone or go to [RaiseRight.com](#) on your computer.  
For step-by-step instructions, visit [RaiseRight.com/StartEarning](#).

### Start Earning Today!

Go to [RaiseRight.com](#) and select **Join a Program**. Enter enrollment code for MPB School: **25L335LC27595**

Have a question? Contact our coordinator at: [MPBParentGuild@gmail.com](mailto:MPBParentGuild@gmail.com)



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**Most Precious Blood School**  
**Gift Card Order Form**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate how many of each denomination you would like and submit this form with your payment to the school office.

**Adams:**                \_\_\_\_\_\$25                \_\_\_\_\_\$50                \_\_\_\_\_\$100

**Stop and Shop:**    \_\_\_\_\_\$25                \_\_\_\_\_\$50                \_\_\_\_\_\$100

**Shop Rite:**                \_\_\_\_\_\$25                \_\_\_\_\_\$50                \_\_\_\_\_\$100

**Hannaford:**                \_\_\_\_\_\$25                \_\_\_\_\_\$50                \_\_\_\_\_\$100

**Target:**                \_\_\_\_\_\$25                \_\_\_\_\_\$100

**Walmart:**                \_\_\_\_\_\$25                \_\_\_\_\_\$100

**Amazon:**                \_\_\_\_\_\$25                \_\_\_\_\_\$100

**Dunkin Donuts:**    \_\_\_\_\_\$10