



The Defender

St. Michael Catholic School's Weekly Newsletter - August 17, 2021
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Dear St. Michael Community:

We're excited to welcome our Preschool and Pre-K students to SMCS tomorrow morning! We are happy to share that both Mrs. Harris' and Mrs. Sisson's classes are now full.

All parents should continue to send a packed lunch and drink through this week. Hot lunch service begins on Monday, August 23, for those who ordered lunches through the office. Those who did not turn in a lunch envelope must continue to pack a lunch through August. September lunch orders will be sent home soon.

Like most schools in our area, COVID-19 has impacted our school. Please continue to be diligent about monitoring the health of your children. If your child will be absent, call the office at 765.288.5878 and leave a voicemail.

Yours in Christ,

Mr. Frey



Upcoming Events

- August 18** First Day of Preschool
- August 19** Casual Day* (bring 1 can green beans)
*full day of school
- August 23** First day of hot lunch
- August 25** Back-to-School Night, 6:00-7:30PM
- September 3** Fall Picture Day
- September 6** Labor Day (no school)
- September 8** Quarter 1 Midterm
- September 12** Golf Outing, 12:30PM @ Crestview

Cub Scouts Meetings (SMCS Cafeteria, 6:30PM)

- August 24 Returning and new members
- September 14 New Member Meeting
- September 21 All Scout Meeting

Girls Scout Meeting (Noll Hall, 3:00-5:00PM)

- August 30 All Level Meeting
- September 13 All Level Meeting + Investiture and Rededication
- September 27 All Level Meeting

Today we used the new gymnasium floor for the first time!
We had Morning Gathering in the gym, and many students had their first P.E. class in the gym. We drew names for the following:

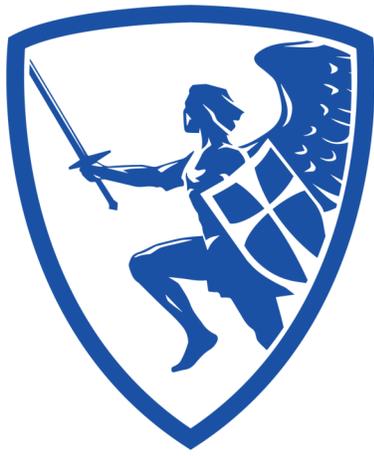
Run the first lap: Avery Gray

First pushups: Dyllen McClellan

First basketball shot: Jack Reynolds

Mission

St. Michael Catholic School is dedicated to providing a Catholic, Christ-centered, academically excellent education that empowers children to know, love, and serve God.



St. Michael

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

PRAYER FOR A PANDEMIC

*May we who are merely inconvenienced
remember those whose lives are at stake.*

*May we who have no risk factors
remember those most vulnerable.*

*May we who have the luxury of working from home
remember those who must choose
between preserving their health or making their rent.*

*May we who have the flexibility to care for our children
when their schools close
remember those who have no options.*

*May we who have to cancel our trips
remember those that have no place to go.*

*May we who are losing our margin money
remember those who have no margin at all.*

*May we who settle in for a quarantine at home
remember those who have no home.*

*During this time
when we cannot physically wrap our arms around each other,
let us yet find ways to be the loving embrace of God
to our neighbors.*

Amen.