



Weekly update

Our Lady of the Presentation

NEXT WEEK'S CALENDAR



Our Lady of the Presentation School

Lunch Menu

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	
2	3 Chicken Alfredo, Dinner Roll, Peas and Carrots, Fruit (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	4 Fish Sticks, Tater Tots, Mixed Vegetables, Fruit Cocktail (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	5 Chicken and Rice, Dinner Roll, Steamed Broccoli, Fruit (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	6 *Papa Murphy's Pepperoni Pizza, Carrots, Fruit, Pudding (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00)	7 *Cheeseburger, Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle and Cookie (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00)	8	
9	10 Toasted Cheese Ravioli, Marinara, Dinner Roll and Fruit (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	11 Turkey Wrap, Potato Chips, Fresh Veggies, Fruit (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	12 *Taco Salad, Spanish Rice, Salsa, Sour Cream, Mandarin Oranges (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	13 *Papa Murphy's Cheese Pizza, Carrots, Fruit, Slushie (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00)	14 *Chicken Nuggets, Tater Tots, Green Beans and Cookie (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00)	15	16
16	17 Chicken and Noodles, Dinner Roll, Carrots, Fruit (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	18 Biscuit and Gravy, Hashbrown Potato, Fruit and Yogurt (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	19 Chicken Fingers, Fries, Green Beans, Fruit (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00) Chef Salad (\$4.50) Vegetarian Salad (\$4.25)	20 *Papa Murphy's Pepperoni Pizza, Carrots, Fruit, Pudding (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00)	21 *All Beef Hot Dog, Potato Chips, Fresh Veggie, Fruit (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00)	22	23
23	24 Chicken and Waffle, Green Beans, Fruit (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00)	25 Pasta with Meatballs, Breadstick, Mixed Vegetable, Cookie (\$4.00) Sack Lunch (\$4.00)	26 NO SCHOOL	27 NO SCHOOL HAPPY Thanksgiving	28 NO SCHOOL	29	

Monday, November 17

Specials Rotation B1

Tuesday, November 18

Specials Rotation C2

Wednesday, November 19

Specials Rotation AX

Thursday, November 20

Specials Rotation B3

Spelling Bee @ 9AM

Friday, November 21

Specials Rotation C1

Mid-term

PARENT REMINDER

If you are dropping your child off late, please make sure you accompany them to the office to sign them in.

If you are picking a child up early please refrain from picking them up after 2:30PM.

OLP School Calendar



"DO SMALL THINGS WITH GREAT LOVE"
-SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA

what's going on??

Look inside to find more info on:

- Book Fair • Yearbook Sales
- How to help with Special Person's Day
- Security Fund • PTO events • And More...

School Access During Drills

Once per quarter the school will conduct a fire, tornado and lockdown drill. These can take 3-5 minutes. During these drills parents will not have access to the school building. If you arrive to sign out your student for an appointment or to sign them in, you will need to wait until the drill has been completed before being admitted. Thank you for your understanding.

SCHOOL NEWS & REMINDERS

Donations and volunteers are needed to help make this event a success. CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP

YOU ARE INVITED TO Special Person's Day

November 25 | 1:30 PM to 2:45 PM

Our Lady of the Presentation Catholic School

Dietary Restriction Form
Please fill this out if your child has any dietary restrictions

- Prayer service with Father Tom
- Snack with your Special Person
- Craft with your Special Person
- Photo Booth

**** K-4 STUDENTS ONLY ****
**** 1 SPECIAL PERSON PER STUDENT PLEASE ****

If you are planning on sending an older sibling home with the Special Person please let the office know by noon that day so we can have them ready in the office to help with the traffic flow.

Asset Security

Many have asked about donating to our security fund. Here is the donation link:
olpls.org/online-giving
or **QR Code** →

Choose "Special Gifts" and note "School Security."

YEARBOOKS on sale NOW

CLICK HERE TO ORDER

TUMBLE INTO TALES AT THE Literati BOOK FAIR

WHAT WONDERS WILL YOU FIND?

Open online NOW and in person December 1-5

Don't want to send cash? Check out the e-card option!!

FIND YOUR TEACHERS WISHLIST HERE



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

All volunteers are required to complete Virtus Training (virtusonline.org and <https://protectmokids.com/>). Both are available online and when completed certificates need to be emailed to or dropped off at the school office. These are both diocesan requirements for volunteers in any school.



CAFETERIA HELPERS are needed to assist with serving lunch each school day. All volunteers must be Virtus trained prior to signing up. [Cafeteria sign-up](#)

CROSSING GUARDS are needed to help with morning drop-off 7:30-8:00 a.m. If you are interested in helping get students through the parking lot safely before school, please email Mr. Podjenski, dpodjenski@olpls.org.

PARENT ON PATROL Half and full days available. Volunteers provide an extra presence around the school building, at recess, in the cafeteria, etc. If you are interested in participating in the POPPS program please contact Gaetano Falcone at popps@olplsschool.org.

PTO UPDATES

OLP Christmas Pop-Up

It's a Holiday Touchdown Benefiting Athletics & Security Fund

Join us for a private event at Konrad's Kitchen
Sunday December 7th 6:00pm-10:00pm
Watch the Chiefs play the Texans, enjoy live music, food, beverages and raffle items

Tickets \$50 per person limited space available
Includes two complimentary drinks (wine, beer and well drinks)
Specialty holiday cocktails, full bar and food menu available for purchase
Percentage of sales will be donated to the fundraiser

RSVP HERE

CHRISTMAS FAIR

The Christmas Fair is right around the corner! On **Monday, December 15**, the PTO will sponsor this annual event where each child will have the opportunity to select gifts for their immediate family members (those who live in their home no more than 4 gifts). There will be a flat fee of \$5 for up to four gifts. No change will be provided. There will be items for babies, young children, teens and adults. The children love shopping for their families and we need your help to make this day a success! Here's how you can help:

- Donate your gently used treasures (jewelry, toys, knick-knacks, games with all of their pieces, home décor, men's items, etc.) We are ALWAYS in need of items for men especially!
- We cannot accept clothing, hats, large items (children need to be able to carry these gifts home), sharp objects, R-rated DVDs, small appliances or items that have already been opened (perfume, paint, lotion).
- A good rule of thumb: When donating, ask yourself "Would I like to receive this as a gift?"
- Donate your time! Look for a SignUp Genius coming soon for volunteer opportunities on **Sunday, December 14** (set up) and Monday, December 15 (helping kids shop, checking out and clean up).

You may drop items off at the front office in the Christmas Fair bin. We will be accepting items until **Wednesday, December 10**. Proceeds are split between the Parish Emergency Relief Fund and the 8th grade class as they assist the day of the event. Please let us know if you have any questions. THANK YOU! angiecin88@gmail.com

OLP PTO'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CASH

WHO? PTO + Families

WHAT? Christmas Cash is a way families can give to ALL OLP Staff.

Effective in December '24 - any checks/venmo's from families or funds given specifically from PTO are subject to payroll tax, so we are seeking cash donations to gift our wonderful OLP staff.

Labeled red envelopes will come home on Monday November 10th and can be filled with cash gifts. Envelopes can be sent back anytime between 11/10-12/10. PTO will divide and disperse amongst all OLP staff as a holiday gift from OLP families.

WHEN? Collections will run November 10th-December 10th.

WHY? This is a great way to show your appreciation for all OLP staff and get your Christmas shopping done early!

Our PTO is once again working hard to promote Christmas Cash for our beloved OLP staff! In past years, the PTO has matched parent donations. However, due to new diocesan standards implemented this past year, any funds donated by PTO—or submitted by check—must now be processed through payroll.

Unfortunately, this means those donations are subject to payroll taxes, which reduces the overall amount that reaches our wonderful staff members. To ensure your full gift goes directly to our teachers and staff, we encourage families to send cash donations using the Red Christmas Cash envelopes that will be coming home this week. Simply place your contribution in the envelope and return it to school by Tuesday, December 10. All cash collected will be distributed equally among our amazing OLP staff just in time for Christmas!

Thank you for helping us spread the spirit of Christmas and show our heartfelt appreciation to the incredible teachers and staff who make OLP such a special place! Your generosity and support truly make a difference.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR

REQUIRED PARENT MEETING

BASKETBALL & CHEERLEADING

MON, NOV 17

7:00 PM

OLP AUDITORIUM



PARISH INFORMATION

OUR LADY OF THE PRESENTATION CHURCH

A GIFT OF WARMTH

WINTER COAT DRIVE

For Bishop Sullivan Center

Our collection this year will focus on coats for ADULTS which is the greatest need.

ADULT MEN & WOMEN SIZES:
S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL

DONATION DROP OFF:
NOVEMBER 12 - 16

Site located in church gathering space.

FINANCIAL GIFTS ACCEPTED:
Make checks payable to Bishop Sullivan Center. Put in an envelope marked "A Gift of Warmth" and place in weekend collection, return to the Parish Office or use Online Giving at www.olpl.org.

Questions? Contact Mary Grace Mack: mgmack14@olpl.org

SACRAMENTS FOR OLDER CHILDREN AND TEENS

For children and teens nine years and older who would like to celebrate the sacraments of First Reconciliation or First Communion

SIGN UP

CONTACT MARY PAT MSTORMS@OLPLS.ORG

Sign up by October 29, 2025+
\$15 fee for materials

CLASSES

Saturdays: November 1, 8, 15, 22; December 6 and 13
Classes are from 12-1:30 p.m.

MONDAY 12-15

FIRST RECONCILIATION

Monday, December 15, 6:30 p.m.

FIRST EUCHARIST

Saturday, December 20
Practice at noon; Sacrament at 4:30 p.m. Mass

SATURDAY DECEMBER 20

Information form and a copy of each child's baptismal certificate is required.

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Discover the inspiring story of Carlo Acutis, the young boy from Milan on the path to sainthood. You may have heard of him, the sneaker-wearing, computer-loving "gamer saint" of our time.



A classic Italian movie re-mastered and re-released to celebrate the canonization in 2025 of Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati (1901-1925). Frassati was a handsome, athletic and fun-loving young man from a rich, aristocratic Italian family who turned from a life of privilege to one devoted to working with the poor, suffering and homeless, and was a courageous witness of Christian faith and charity.

These two highly acclaimed films on the heroic true story of St. John Paul II star Piotr Adamczyk as the beloved Karol Wojtyla who became the Pope. Filmed in Poland and Italy, these two movies also feature gorgeous music by the legendary film composer Ennio Morricone.



www.formed.org

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

ST. MICHAEL the ARCHANGEL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

ADMISSIONS TIMELINE

OCTOBER 1
Applications open (apply for 2026-2027 school year)

NOVEMBER 1
Financial Aid applications open. **FACTS GRANT & TUITION AID** (see below)

NOVEMBER 10
St. Michael Financial Information Night Parent Meeting, 6:15 p.m. Learn about admissions, financial aid, MsScholar and hear from our President about mission of the school

NOVEMBER 16
Optional HSPY Prep Course—registration required. **FREE** prep course for students who take the HSPY at St. Michael, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm.

DECEMBER 6
Take the High School Placement Test (HSPY), (recommended date to receive early admission) Check-in at 8:00 a.m. Registration required. smacatholic.org/admissions/events

DECEMBER 15
Application for early admission due. **DECEMBER 31**
FACTS/Financial Aid application due.

JANUARY
First round of acceptance letters mailed to new students in late January.

JANUARY 10
Alternative date for High School Placement Test (HSPY) Check-in 8:30 a.m.

FEBRUARY 15
Online enrollment contracts for 2026-2027 school year - open for new students.

MARCH 9
Enrollment Event - new students and parents meet with advisor to select class schedule for 2026-2027 school year. Additional scholarships open from March 7 - March 11.

GUARDIAN FOR A DAY
We invite 8th graders or high school students thinking of transferring to be our guest and follow a St. Michael the Archangel student ambassador throughout the school day.

PERSONAL FAMILY TOUR
Take a tour of our beautiful campus! We are so proud of our facilities and the opportunities we have to offer here at St. Michael the Archangel and would love to show you around.

FACTS GRANT & TUITION AID
Award of financial assistance for tuition for the 2026-2027 school year. Applications open November 1 for independent evaluation by FACTS Tuition Assistance. www.factsmtg.com

QUESTIONS? Contact Julie Hyde | Admissions Director | jhyde@smacatholic.org SMACATHOLIC.ORG

Join us for

FRIENDS in flannel

7th & 8th Grade Catholic School Mixer

December 6, 2025
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

\$10 ADMISSION
All students attending MUST register online at smacatholic.org/middlemixer

**AWESOME DJ
CANDY SALAD BAR
REFRESHMENTS & MORE**

Online registration contains details of dress code, mixer rules, and permission forms.

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