



# St. Mary School

## NEWSLETTER

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### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**OCT. 1**  
Adoration 1:30

**OCT. 5**  
Picture Day

**OCT. 6**  
Mass 1:30 PM

**OCT. 8**  
Swim Day

**OCT. 13**  
Mass 1:30 PM

**OCT. 14**  
P/T Conf.  
3:15-7:15 PM

**OCT. 18**  
Prof. Learning  
Day No School

**OCT. 18**  
P/T Conf. 10-3

**OCT. 20**  
Mass 1:30 PM

**OCT. 22**  
Spirit Day



Dear St. Mary School Families,

We have our first full month behind us. Classes are running smoothly and the students have fallen back into the routine of the school year. There have been some issues with behavior and manners in the lunch room. On Monday morning I will be visiting each classroom to talk about appropriate behavior in the lunch room. I think the kiddos just need a few reminders to get back into the groove again. Please reinforce at home that they should stay seated during the meal and to not talk with food in their mouths.

The students in grades Kindergarten through 3rd walked into their classrooms on September 21st to a huge surprise— ALL NEW DESKS! The school was able to purchase 110 new desks for the downstairs classrooms. The purchase was long overdue and boy, do the desks look sharp! Plans are in the works for new tables and chairs for the upstairs after the first of the year.

Our parent pick-up line is getting smoother and smoother each week. I timed pick-up yesterday and the line was completed in six minutes! Thank you very much to all who are helping to make this an easy process.

I hope that everyone is enjoying this beautiful fall we are having. I look forward to seeing everyone at Marathon It!

Blessings,

Mrs. J.

# STUFF THE BUS

## October 4-8

St. Mary School and the New Richmond School District will be participating in a food drive to “STUFF the BUS” during Homecoming Week, October 4-8, 2021

Canned and non-perishable food items may be brought to the St. Mary School office. All items donated will benefit New Richmond’s Five Loaves Food Shelf.

We will be competing with all New Richmond schools to see who can raise the most food!



## National School Lunch Week



National school lunch week is October 11-15. School lunch programs around the country together serve nearly 30 million children every school day. Help us celebrate this week:

Tues. Oct. 12th: **Try a bite Tuesday.** Each month we try a new vegetable. This month’s is roasted brussel sprouts!

Thurs. Oct. 14th: **Great Apple Crunch.** In celebration of Farm to School month, schools across Wisconsin and Minnesota are serving local apples for this same day.

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5th is Picture Day!**

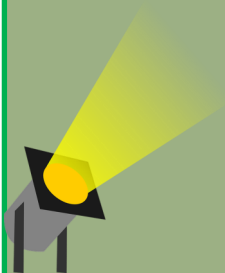
Order your pictures online before at [mylifetouch.com](http://mylifetouch.com) with ID: EVTGQM7ZQ or send the order form in with your student on Tuesday. Picture day is still a School Uniform Day!

**Don’t forget to bring your SMILE!**

## STAFF SPOTLIGHT

**This week's Staff Spotlight is Jami Engelhart:** Hi! My name is Jami Engelhart and I am the First grade teacher here at St. Mary School. My favorite things about teaching at St. Mary are the families I get to know, the students who attend, and the amazing coworkers I work with! First grade is my absolute favorite grade to teach because there is so much growth in learning from September to May!.

1. If you could travel anywhere in the world, where would you go? If I could travel anywhere in the world it would be to Ireland. My husband and I both have distant relatives we would like to visit/meet. I would also love to see the beautiful coastline cliffs and explore all of the old castles.
2. When you were a kid, what did you want to be when you grew up? When I was a child I wanted to become a marine biologist and train Shamu at SeaWorld! As a kid when visiting SeaWorld, I couldn't imagine a more exciting job than diving into the water with a killer whale! Although sometimes teaching first grade might feel like that! LOL
3. What is your favorite holiday? My favorite holiday is Thanksgiving! I love getting together with my family and enjoying a beautiful meal together. I also love Thanksgiving because my family and I decorate our Christmas tree the day after. It's just a such fun time of year with so much going on and a joyful spirit in the air.



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