

New Richmond, Wisconsin

St. Mary School **NEWSLETTER**

Grow in Knowledge—Follow In Faith—Serve in Harmony

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Volume 1 Issue 2

Sept. 20 **Prof. Learning** Day No School

Sept. 22 Mass 1:30 PM

SEPT 24 Spirit Day

Sept. 29 Mass 1:30

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 We finally finished our first full five day week! Routines have been es-

Dear St. Mary School Families,

tablished and schedules seem to be running smoothly. Thank you to everyone who has been using the parent pick-up line. The line has been taking about 7 minutes from start to finish. It is important that we all follow procedures to insure the safety of the students.

Marathon It is coming up quickly and sponsor sheets and money will need to be turned in next week on Friday. The event will run similar to last year starting with an opening ceremony, the usual neighborhood route, and then bagged treats at the end. Hopefully we will be blessed with a warm and sunny day!

Congratulations to all who participated in Hearts for Haiti. The school raised \$684 to help with relief efforts through the American Haitian Foundation. This is just another shining example of our students, staff and families living the school mission. Our next opportunity to help those around us will be Stuff the Bus event in October which will benefit the Five Loaves Food Shelf.

MAP testing will begin next Tuesday for students in grades 1-8. Please watch your child's classroom newsletter for the specific day that they will be testing. It is very important that students get a good night's sleep and a hearty breakfast before testing.

I hope everyone will be able to get out and enjoy the beautiful weather God is blessing us with this weekend!

Blessings,

Mrs. J.



WELCOME OUR STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR THE 2021-2022 YEAR

Representatives:

3rd Grade—-Audrey Deplazes

4th Grade——Avery Bolder

5th Grade—Finn Fitzgerald

6th Grade —--Ancel Peterson

7th Grade—Hannah Humphrey*

8th Grade——Emma Anderson (Vice President)*

8th Grade——Natalie Graham (President)

*Not Pictured



JOIN US FOR MARATHON IT ON SATURDAY, OCT. 2ND





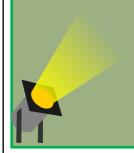




STAFF SPOTLIGHT

For the first Staff Spotlight of this year, we are highlighting Mrs. Wolf-Halonen.. She is beginning her 18th year here at St. Mary School. Both of her children, who are now grown, attended school here and loved it! She was the music teacher for K-5 and taught religion for grades 6-8 for 12 of the 18 years. Last year was her first year not teaching music. She now teaches grades 3,4,6,7 & 8 religion and loves it! One of her favorite things about teaching at St. Mary School is that we are truly a family, we know each other and we care for each other.

1. If ;you could have any job, what would it be? Broadway Performer would be my dream job. I was in drama in High School and I did work at the The Gem Theatre in New Richmond doing children's shows. I loved it! Singing, dancing, and involving kids in the performance—it was a great job!



- 2. If you had a late night talk show, who would you have as your first guest? I would have Pope Francis because of his deep devotion to the poor and the compassion he shows to those who are disadvantaged. He is inspiring!
- 3. If you had a time machine, would you go back in time, or into the future? I would go back to when Jesus was alive. I'd just love to listen to Him, and see Him ministering to others.

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