

January 12, 2018
Celebrating 87 Years

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Mission Statement

Inspired by the charism of the Franciscan Sisters of Allegany, the mission of St. Paul Catholic School is to provide students with a foundation for life through faith, academics, and service and to assist students in developing their gifts and talents, so that they may fulfill the plan God has for their lives.

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Eagle Update

Deeply Rooted in Knowledge, Faith, and Family

Since 1930



“ You will know the truth and the truth will set you free.”
John 8:32

HAPPY NEW YEAR

It is the hope of the administration, faculty and staff, that you and your families had a beautiful Christmas and New Year's. Hearing comments from the students, we feel confident that good family times were had by all. As we welcome 2018, it is our prayer that you will be blessed with peace, love and good health.

The administration, faculty and staff thank you for your generous Christmas gifts and good wishes. We certainly appreciate your generosity and support.



Catholic Schools
Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK– SAVE the DATE
Catholic Schools Week begins January 28th. Grandparents Day will be celebrated on Friday, Feb. 2nd. Please pass this information on to grandparents and /or special friends. This day will begin with Mass in church at 8:30. RSVP can be made to GPD@stpaul1930.org. Parent volunteers are needed for this event. Please contact Ann Guarnieri at ann_guarnieri@yahoo.com or Fran Jaynal fjaynal@yahoo.com if you are available to volunteer for a few hours in the morning. Watch for the Catholic Schools Week calendar of events in the next week's Newsletter.

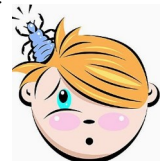
REGISTRATION 2018-2019

We had a wonderful response this week to our Early Childhood and Kindergarten registration for 2018-2019. Through our successful history, reputation for providing faith and strong academics, and by word of mouth, we did not have to do any advertising to boost our Early Childhood enrollment. We are so blessed!

Registration for grades 1-8 will begin on January 26th. The registration packet can be found on the school website. For your convenience, and with the exception of the signature lines, the forms are in a fillable file. Completed forms and registration fees are to be returned to the school by February 16th.

HEAD LICE CHECK

Please remind your children not to share combs, hats, head bands, etc. with other children. We will be having a head check for all students next week. Thank you in advance for your cooperation in doing head checks at home as well.





LORD, MAKE US INSTRUMENTS OF YOUR PEACE!

January 14
Open House 10:30-11:30 a.m. (after 9:30 Mass) for NEW FAMILIES

January 15
NO SCHOOL
MLK HOLIDAY

January 18
Rehearsal for First Reconciliation
7 p.m. Church

January 20
First Reconciliation
9:30 a.m. Church

January 25
Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul Mass at 8:15 a.m.
PDQ Family Night

January 26
Full Day of School
Class T- Shirt
Re-registration for grades 1-8

January 28
Opening of Catholic Schools Week
Watch for calendar of events in next week's Newsletter
Feb.10
St. Pete Catholic Placement Test
7:30 a.m.

REMINDERS

MORNING DROP OFF

Please remember we do not have supervision on the playground until 7:30 a.m. Children should not be dropped off before 7:30. Thank you for your cooperation as we work together to provide safety for your children.

ABSENT/TARDY

Please contact the school office before 8 a.m. if your child is going to be absent or tardy. You may call any time prior to 8 a.m. and leave a message on the answering machine.

EARLY DISMISSAL

If your child is being excused before 2:50 please let the teacher as well as the child know in advance. By so doing, the child will be ready to leave when you arrive at the office. To be sure your child gets a late change in a dismissal plan, please notify the office of this change before 2:15.

PRAYERS

Let us remember in prayer our sick relatives, benefactors and friends especially Elisa Verch, mother of Addie and Ethan; Mary Jean Pastura, grandmother of Carmen Pastura; Mrs. Candie Rodgers, middle school Language Arts teacher and mother of Clete and Bobby; Lee Bush, grandmother of Brennan Huepenbecker; Carlos Escobar, father of Vincent; Susan Hummel, grandmother of Molly Hohl; Angelo Guarnieri, grandfather of Blake Guarnieri; Thomas Davis, great grandfather of Jason Jadeo; and Tiffani Moore, the aunt of Gavin Sparks. We also remember all of our deceased relatives, friends and benefactors especially Dave Thibedeau, the brother-in-law of Ms. Pzenny. May Dave's soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen..

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FAMILY PRAYER FOR THE NEW YEAR

God, thank you for a New Year.

May everyone in our family be willing to begin anew with a clean slate.

We know that you are always ready to forgive us.

Help us to be willing to forgive ourselves and to forgive one another.

As we begin a new year,

remind us of our truest values and our deepest desires.

Help us to live in the goodness that comes from doing what you want us to do.

Help us to put aside anxiety about the future and the past, so that we might live in peace with you now, one day at a time.

Amen.

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