

Celebrating 96 Years

St. Paul Catholic School

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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.

St. Paul Catholic School Eagle Update



Deeply Rooted in Knowledge, Faith, and Family November 7, 2025

"You are God's building... For no one can lay a foundation other than the one that is there, namely, Jesus Christ. Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?" —1 Corinthians 3:9c–11, 16–17

These words of Paul to the Corinthians reminds us that as parents and teachers, we share in the sacred work of building—helping shape young lives, hearts, and minds so that they may fulfill the plan God has for their lives. Each child entrusted to us is a part of God's building, a temple where the Spirit of God dwells. When we speak with patience, teach with compassion, and correct with love, we help children recognize the divine presence within themselves and others.

As children of God, we do not build on our own; the true foundation of everything we do must be Jesus Christ. Without Him, our efforts may crumble under the pressures of daily life. With Him, our work endures and bears fruit. In the busyness of our daily lives it is important to take time to nurture our own spiritual foundation remembering that the Spirit of God dwells within us, too.



Get your tickets now for **St. Paul School's 32nd Annual Live Auction Fundraiser** on **Friday, November 15th!** Enjoy vibrant music, tropical cocktails, and island-inspired cuisine—all while supporting our students. We're currently accepting dona-



UNIFORM REMINDERS

Let's avoid uniform infractions... the sneaker and sock rule has not changed. However, we are seeing students wearing sneakers of many different colors and styles. Sneakers should be black, dark grey or navy blue. Socks must be solid white and cover the ankles. No shows are not acceptable. The only logo on school uniforms is the school logo.

Girls skirts must be no shorter than 2 inches above the knee. Blouses are to be tucked into the skirt. Parents, thank you for your cooperation as we work together to teach your children the value of being responsible.



Tuesday
November 11

Veterans Day Celebration at Morning Opening

All Veterans Invited

Thursday
November 13
Great American

Teach-In

8:30-11:00 AM

Saturday November 15 School Auction 6:30 PM Gym

Friday November 21 Early Dismissal 11:50 AM Class T-Shirts

Monday- Friday November 24-28 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL



Thursday
November 27
Thanksgiving Day

Monday December 1

Classes Resume

LORD, MAKE US INSTRUMENTS OF YOUR PEACE!

FACTS TUITION ASSISTANCE

Families who will be in need of tuition assistance for the 2026-2027 academic year are encouraged to apply now for assistance thru the **FACTS Tuition Assistance Program**. The guidelines and application for applying for this scholarship can be found at **factsmgt.com**.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT INFORMATION

Christmas will be here before we know it and that means three beautiful Christmas concerts. Please see the attached flyer from Mrs. Freitas with important information regarding the concerts. Enter the dates on your calendar and electronic devices.



Let us pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life remembering in a special way our alum, Kevin Buete, who is currently studying for the priesthood; and healing for our sick relatives, friends, and benefactors especially Millie Price, school volunteer, Nino Cicioni, father of Cecelia Johnson, Kindergarten teacher assistant and grandfather of Sofia, Alessia, and Emilia Johnson; Melissa Culbert, mother of Declan and Maddox Culbert; Carol Chenot, sister-in-law of Yadira Emery, EC 4 and Ext. Day assistant; Gesa Payne, grandmother of Sarah Agee, EC 4 teacher; Lynn Thomas, great grandmother of Jacob and Charlotte Goodbread; Mary Jensen, grandmother of Jacob and Theo Jensen,

and Charles Heines, father of Mrs. Victoria Guerra, 3rd grade teacher. We ask the Lord to lay His healing hands on these our loved ones. We pray also for our departed relatives, friends and benefactors especially Venilda Jaynal, mother of Ms. Fran Jaynal, ALP teacher, and Florence Weber, great grandmother of Tommy Masterson. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen. As a school family, we offer our condolences to the Jaynal and Masterson families.

We also pray for our brothers and sisters in Jamaica and Cuba who are suffering the loss of homes and belongings as a result of hurricane Melissa. May God give them the strength and courage that they need to face this devastation with courage, hope and trust in God's love and mercy.



On Thursday, November 13th, the school will celebrate the <u>Great American Teach-In</u>. This yearly event is an opportunity for community members to share their careers and hobbies with our students. Thank you to our community members and parents who have registered to present and share their professional careers with our students.

A big "thank you" to Ryan Coyle, chair of this event, and his committee for organizing and making the event a great learning experience for our students.

PEACE AND ALL GOOD!