## THURSDAY THOUGHTS

## OCTOBER 5, 2023

## Bring your Bible to School Day

Tomorrow, October 6th, is bring your) Bible to school day. Please allow your child(ren) to bring their Bible to school with them.

## Early Release

As a reminder, Wednesday, October 11th is an early release day. Dismissal will begin at 1:25 pm and end at 1:40 pm. "After school care and bussing WILL NOT be available.

## Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher conferences are scheduled for Thursday, October 12 from 12:00-8:00 pm. We encourage you to sign up early as our teachers are eager to meet with you! If you are unavailable on October 12, please reach out to your child(ren)'s teacher(s) for an alternative date. *Specialist conferences are not required but all are welcome to sign up with them if you choose to do so.

## Kindness in Chalk

 We will once again participate in Kindness in Chalk on Monday, October 9. Students are welcome to wear Regis apparel or their House shirt with uniform bottoms.

## Welcome

We're excited to welcome Mrs. Williams to our St. Mary's family. Mrs. Williams will be working as a paraprofessional within our K-5 classrooms. Please be sure to welcome to Mrs. Williams when you see her throughout our school.


## Scholastic Book Fair

We are excited to announce that we will be having a Scholastic Book Fair in the St. Mary's Elementary School Library. Everyone is invited to browse and purchase great books and other items.

Oct 9-11: 8am-4pm
Oct 12: 12-8pm
Here is a link to the virtual fair, which runs October 9-22, and the eWallet sign up. https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/stmarysschool $\underline{23}$

Here is the link to the Sign Up Genius for volunteers to setup and teardown. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805054CA9A B2BA4FA7-44493935-scholastic

## Want to know more about being Catholic?

This year we have had several families interested in having their child baptized and/ or receiving sacraments for themselves. On October 18, Fr. Greg will have a gathering at 5:30 with anyone who may be interested. This is not a commitment, but an opportunity to ask questions and learn about the process. Anyone who wants to learn about the Catholic Faith or receive sacraments is invited to attend. The MEETING IS AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

Please let Nan Falbo know if you have any questions.


## IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, October 6th - 5th Grade

Friday, October 20th - 3rd Grade
Friday, November 3rd - 2nd Grade

Upcoming Mass Schedule

## *Mass begins at 9:00 a.m. All are welcome to attend!

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

10/6
10/9
10/9-12
10/11
10/12
10/13
10/17
10/20
10/24

Marieke Gouda Field Trip K-2nd Grades
Kindness in Chalk
Book Fair
1:25pm Early Release (No After School Care or buses)
No School - Staff Development \& 12-8pm Parent Teacher Conferences
No School
Casual for Christ
Hearing Screening
K-2 Ferguson's Orchard Field Trip

Jesus Rocks Our School


Snowcones


Painting Rocks
Tie-Dying

