



ST. MARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

2017-2018 School Calendar

(Subject to Change)

August	20	Ice Cream Social	1:00pm – 3:00pm	<i>(Used Uniform Sale available)</i>
	21	First Day of School	NOON DISMISSAL <i>(NO Afternoon Care provided)</i>	
	21	Preschool Begins		
	24	New Family Orientation	6:00pm	Library
	25	8 th Grade Retreat		
	30	Back to School Night	6:00pm	Starting in school gym
September	4	Labor Day	NO SCHOOL	
	6	NO Early Release		
	8	School Pictures <i>(Mass uniform required)</i>		
	13	Called to Protect Class	6:30pm-8:00pm	1 st Floor Conference Room
	17	Catechetical Sunday	10:00am	Mass
	23	Trivia Night	6:30pm	Parish Hall
	29	Staff Development	NO SCHOOL	
October	4	Pet Blessing	8:20am	
	4	Early Release	1:00pm	<i>(Afternoon Care provided)</i>
	7	Called to Protect Class	10:00am-12:00pm	Parish Center
	13	Picture Retakes <i>(Mass uniforms required)</i>		
	13	Fall Festival <i>(Dinner & Auction)</i>		Parish Hall
	14	Fall Festival <i>(Various events & silent action throughout the day)</i>		
	20	End of 1 st Quarter <i>(grades available online Oct. 25th)</i>		
	24, 25	Scholastic Book Fair Opens	3:00pm-5:00pm	Parish Hall
	25	Donuts for Dad	7:30am-8:10am	Parish Hall
	25	Parent/Teacher Conferences	5:00pm-8:00pm	
	25	Scholastic Book Fair	5:00pm-7:00pm	Parish Hall
	26	Parent/Teacher Conferences	11:00am-4:00pm	<i>(School not in session but students must accompany parents/guardians to conferences)</i>
	26	Scholastic Book Fair	11:00am-2:00pm	Parish Hall
	27	Staff Development	NO SCHOOL	
	TBD	6 th Grade FOCUS 11		
November	1	All Saints' Day	School Mass	8:30am
	1	8 th Grade Saints Play	TBD	
	1	Early Release	1:00pm	<i>(Afternoon Care provided)</i>
	3	No School Mass		
	3	All Saints Festival	5:30pm	Parish Hall
	10	Veterans Honored at School Mass	8:30am	
	22-24	Thanksgiving Break	NO SCHOOL	
December	6	Early Release	1:00pm	<i>(Afternoon Care provided)</i>
	6	School Confessions	Grades 3-8	9:00am-11:00am
	8	Feast of Immaculate Conception	School Mass	8:30am
	12	2 nd Grade Our Lady of Guadalupe Play	After all school rosary	
	14	Christmas Concert Dress Rehearsal	Grades 3-5, Band, Orchestra	2:30pm
	14	Preschool Christmas Program	6:00pm	Gym
	14	Christmas Concert	Grades 3-5, Band, Orchestra	6:30pm
	22	NOON DISMISSAL	<i>(NO Afternoon Care provided)</i>	
	22	End of 2 nd Quarter <i>(grades available online Jan. 11th)</i>		
	25-29	Christmas Break		
January	1-5	Christmas Break		
	8	School Resumes		
	13	Confirmation Retreat	TBD	
	15	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	NO SCHOOL	
	20	Called to Protect Class	9:00am -10:30am	1 st Floor Conference Room
	26	Staff Development	NO SCHOOL	

Jan. (cont.)	28	Catholic Schools Week begins	<i>(other events to be determined)</i>	
	28	Open House	9:00am-2:00pm	
February	1	Staff vs. 7 th Grade Volleyball Game	2:30pm	
	2	Grandparents Day Mass	8:30am (Reception to follow in Parish Hall)	
	5	Read-A-Thon begins		
	5-9	Iowa Assessments Testing		
	7	Early Release	1:00pm	<i>(Afternoon Care provided)</i>
	13	Bury the Alleluia	3:10pm	Gym
	14	Ash Wednesday	School Mass	8:30am
	16	No School Mass		
	16	Stations of the Cross	12:30pm	Church
	19	Presidents' Day	NO SCHOOL	
	19	3-on-3 Basketball Tournament		
	23	Read-A-Thon Ends		
	23	Stations of the Cross	1:15pm	Church
	28	School Confessions	Grades 3-8	9:00am-11:00am
March	TBD	5 TH Grade Liturgy		
	2	Class Pictures <i>(Mass uniform required)</i>		
	2	Stations of the Cross	2:00pm	Church
	7	Read-A-Thon Celebration	During the school day	
	7	Early Release	1:00pm	<i>(Afternoon Care provided)</i>
	8	St. Mary on Stage Rehearsal	Grades 6-8	2:30pm
	8	St. Mary on Stage	Grades 6-8	6:30pm
	8	End of 3 rd Quarter <i>(grades available online March 22nd)</i>		
	9	Staff Development	NO SCHOOL	
	12-16	Spring Break	NO SCHOOL	
	20	Open House	9:00am-3:00pm	
	22	Parent/Teacher Conferences	5:00pm-8:00pm	
	23	Parent/Teacher Conferences	11:00am-4:00pm <i>(School not in session but students must accompany parents/guardians to conferences)</i>	
	29	Holy Thursday	NOON DISMISSAL	<i>(NO Afternoon Care provided)</i>
	30	Good Friday	NO SCHOOL <i>(3:00pm Passion of the Lord; 7:00pm Stations of the Cross)</i>	
April	2	Easter Monday	NO SCHOOL	
	4	NO Early Release	1:00pm	<i>(Afternoon Care provided)</i>
	4	Kindergarten Roundup	9:00am – 12:30pm	Parish Building
	14	Cork & Barrel	6:00pm	Parish Hall
	21	Solo Ensemble	8:00am-2:00pm	
	21	First Confession	1:00pm	Church
May	1	May Crowning (Service only)	8:30am	Church
	2	NO Early Release		
	4	Jog-A-Thon	NOON DISMISSAL	<i>(NO Mass or Afternoon Care provided)</i>
	10	Spring Concert Rehearsal	Grades K-2, Band, Orchestra	2:30pm
	10	Spring Concert	Grades K-2, Band, Orchestra	6:30pm
	11	Staff Development	NO SCHOOL	
	12	Golf Tournament	8:00am Shotgun	FAMILY BBQ to follow
	23	Preschool Continuation	8:00am-10:00am	Parish Hall
	24	8 th Grade Graduation Mass	6:00pm	<i>(Reception to follow in Parish Hall)</i>
	28	Memorial Day	NO SCHOOL	
	31	Field Day		
June	1	Last Day of School	10:00am Dismissal	
	1	End of 4 th Quarter <i>(grades available online June 6th)</i>		
	TBD	Confirmation		