

# ST. MARY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

## WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2023

Upcoming St. Mary Events:						
Event:	Date:	Time:	Location:			
All School Mass (Wednesday)	11/22	10am	SM Church			
Half Day	11/22	Car line 11:20/Final Dismissal	11:30am			
Happy Thanksgiving / No School	11/23					
No School	11/24					
Gymboree Play Group (age 0-6 More info pg.3)	11/27	9-10am	SM Gymnasium			
All School Mass	11/30	2pm	SM Church			
Open House/Discover St. Mary Night	11/30	6:30pm	SM School			
No School (Calendar Change to Prof. Work Day)	12/4					
(Please refer to email sent last week from Mrs. Glynn regarding the calendar change to Day Off on 12/4)						
All School Mass (Friday-Holy Day)	12/8	2pm	SM Church			
Women's Retreat	12/9	8-2:30am	SM Church/Social Hall			
All School Mass (Tuesday)	12/12	2pm	SM Church			
Student Advent Christmas Concert & Reflection	ns 12/20	6:30pm	SM Church			

The St. Mary Spirit Wear store is NOW open. Deadline to place an order is Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 11:59pm. This is a firm deadline to ensure that items will be here prior to Christmas Break. Click on the link below to visit the store, make a purchase & pay for your items.

https://www.threadscustomgear.com/your-store/st-mary-cath-school-fw/

On behalf of the National Honor Society, I send greetings and a heartfelt "thank you!" When we added the Cross Catholic Outreach **Boxes of Joy** project to our chapter service work, we set a lofty goal of providing 50 Boxes of Joy for impoverished children in Haiti, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Grenada. *In our wildest dreams, we never imagined that last week we prepared and sent 76 Boxes of Joy from St. Mary school and parish.* Your generosity and willingness to give will warm hearts and has made a lasting impression on the NHS members who packaged our collective donations. One member said, "Packaging these boxes and the spirit of giving that is alive at St. Mary brought joy to me!" Love, Kate Paulson and (student leader) Cathryn Mikowski

Discover St. Mary School information session and campus tour takes place on Thursday, November 30 for prospective families. Current school families please consider sharing the flyer on page 2 of Happenings with prospective school families and perhaps joining them for the evening. Thank you for helping to spread the good news!

Lunch Menu November 27-December 1							
<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>			
** Menu will be updated and available on the St. Mary website this weekend**							
All meal	ls served with Fruit, Vegetab	le & Milk / Cost for Hot Lu	ınch K-5 \$3.75, 6-12 \$4	4.10, Adults \$4.90			



#### Retreat Agenda and Registration on page 4 of Happenings

### Leelanau Women's Advent Retreat

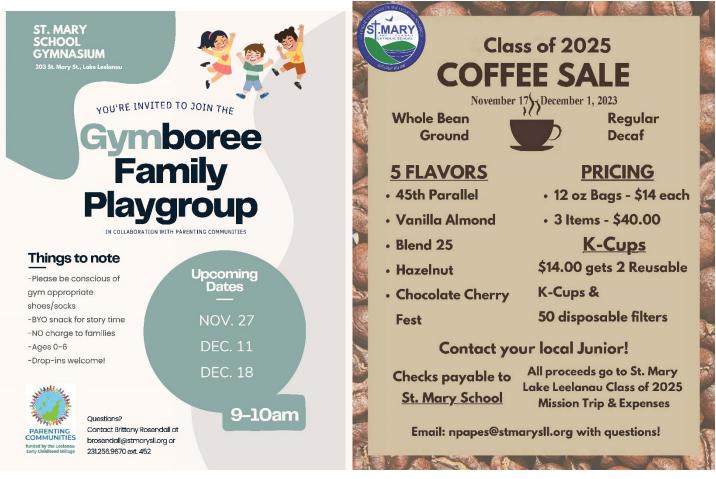
Saturday, December 9, 2023 8:00am to 2:30pm

> Jesus Source of Lífe Fount of Lífe Bread of Lífe

"Know my daughter that when I come to a human heart in Holy Communion, My hands are full of all kinds of graces which I want to give to the soul." Saint Faustina's Diary-1385 Special Guest Speakers Sister Basil Marie and Sister Maria Kolbe from Dominican Sisters of Mary Mother of the Eucharist, Ann Arbor, MI

St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church, 307 S St. Mary Street, Lake Leelanau

See back side for Retreat Agenda & Registration





SAVE THE DATE

Live Nativity

Saturday, December 30th from 2:00 to 3:00 PM St Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church, Lake Leelanau



"Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people." Luke 2:10

Celebrate by Attending or Volunteering All ages, parishioners, and school families are welcome

If you would like to celebrate by caroling, joining the Nativity cast, serving hot chocolate, helping with costume creation, or bringing some animals to be part of the Nativity, please let Sarah Morio know at 231-883-4407 or by scanning the QR code and completing the form. **The volunteer deadline is December 11th.** 



#### **Retreat Agenda**

8:00-8:30	Saturday Morning Mass	Church
8:30-9:00	Continental Breakfast	Social Hall
9:00-9:15	Welcome and Opening Prayer	Social Hall
9:15-9:30	Music by Luke Woltanski	Social Hall
9:30-10:45	Speaker-Sister Maria Kolbe	Social Hall
10:45-12:00	Adoration and Confession	Church
10:45-12:00 12:00-12:45	Adoration and Confession Lunch	Church Social Hall
12:00-12:45	Lunch	Social Hall

If you have any questions or would like more information regarding the retreat, please contact Maria Putt-517.388.6152 or Sue Wright -231.256.9581.

Registration and payment are due by December 4th: mail registration to St. Mary Parish, PO Box 340, Lake Leelanau, MI 49653, drop in the St. Mary weekend collection basket or send in to Patti at the school office.

Name:			2) 90		
Phone Number:	,				
Address:					

\$20 per person

Checks made payable to St. Mary Parish

St. Mary of the Assumption Parish, 403 S St. Mary Street, Lake Leelanau 231.256.9676