



True Story

ST. MARY HAPPENINGS - FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2024

Upcoming St. Mary Events:

<u>Event:</u>	<u>Date:</u>	<u>Time:</u>	<u>Location:</u>
Nativity Play (Grades 1 & 2)	12/13	9:15a.m.	SM Café
High School Youth Group	12/15	6-7:30pm	SM Social Hall
NHS Members Volunteer at LCN Christmas Store	12/16	School Day	LL VFW
BPA regional Competition (13 Students)	12/17	School Day	CMU Campus
Rehearsal for Advent Program- <i>Lessons & Carols</i>	12/18	1:00pm-end of Day	SM Church
All School Mass	12/19	8:30am	SM Church
<i>Lessons & Carols</i> / School Advent Program	12/19	6:30pm	SM Church
Christmas Break	12/23-1/3	----	----
Live Nativity	12/28	3-4pm	St. Mary Campus
School Resumes	1/6	----	----

St. Mary Class of 2025 will be hosting a talent show on 1/26/25. The theme is SML (St. Mary Live) They will be taking pitches for possible acts before Christmas break. Students, if you want to be in the show, but do not know your talent, they are here to help you create an act. Thank you in advance from the Class of 2025.

Lunch Menu Dec. 16-20				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Tacos	Sloppy Joes w/ Chips	Christmas Lunch Baked Ham, Au gratin Potatoes w/ Assorted Desserts	Broccoli Cheddar Soup w/ ½ Sandwich	Fish Sandwich w/ Fries
<i>All meals served with Fruit, Vegetable & Milk / Cost for Hot Lunch K-5 \$3.85, 6-12 \$4.25, Adults \$5.10</i>				

Athletics-Good Luck Athletes

Saturday 12/14-Come and enjoy a day of basketball in the St. Mary gym:

The JV girls basketball team kicks off the U.P. Quad at noon; followed by varsity girls at 1:30, JV boys at 3:00pm, varsity boys at 4:30

****REMINDER: All St. Mary students get in **FREE** to all home games, for all sports, unless it is a MHSAA sponsored tournament.****

Friends,

It has been a tradition that the members of St. Mary National Honor Society have volunteered at the Leelanau Holiday Program which will be held at the VFW Hall next week. In the past, we have collected items for donation to that program but this year, in the wake of your generosity during our Boxes of Joy Campaign, we did not advertise our participation or ask for the school and parish community to donate. However, it has come to our attention that some families, with knowledge from past years, have already prepared a donation for our NHS members to bring to the Leelanau Holiday Program program. If you have something that you would like to donate, please drop it by the school or please email Mrs. Paulson (kpaulson@stmarysll.org), NHS advisor, and she will arrange a time and place to connect items from you. Thank you for all you do to support our NHS chapter.

The St. Mary Spirit Store is stocked and ready for Christmas giving!

Purchase 3 or more items for a
10% Discount!



Purchases of \$50 or
more- receive a FREE
decal of your choice.



-Great gift idea for Alumni-



Decals \$5

Canvas Tote w/ Embroidery \$20

Canvas Tote w/ Screen Print \$15

Pom Beanie \$15

Youth Short Sleeve Shirt \$15

Coffee Cup / Two Color \$15

Coffee Mug / White \$10

Playing Cards \$12

Adult Long Sleeve T-shirt \$20

Seat Cushion \$15

Water Bottle \$20

Faith First Shirt \$10

Shop the Spirit Store during school hours: 8:00am-3:30pm

Live Nativity

Saturday, December 28th from 3:00 to 4:00 PM

St Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church, Lake Leelanau



Participate or Attend

Please reach out to Sarah Morio by Monday, December 16th, at 231-883-4407 or scan the QR code to participate. Sarah will follow up with you later that week.

It's Easy! There's no need to memorize any lines or buy costumes! All required items will be supplied, and a brief costume fitting along with a walkthrough on December 27th will prepare you or your child for your role. All students from elementary through high school are invited to join and the event is not limited to parishioners only.

Ways to Participate: You can participate by caroling, being part of the Nativity cast, serving hot chocolate, or bringing animals for the Nativity scene. Last year, we had two casts featuring both high school and elementary students, and we are excited for this year's event!



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St. Mary School Advent Program “Lessons & Carols” will take place on Thursday, December 19, 2024.

Come and listen to choral performances by students in grades PK-5, our high school choir and Reflection readings throughout the evening by students. The concert begins at 6:30p.m. in the Church. Students should plan to arrive by 6:15p.m. and meet their teacher in the Parish Social Hall. They will leave their jackets there and process up to the church with their classmates. Students please dress in your Sunday Christmas Best. We hope you can join us for this beautiful evening as we reflect on Advent.

