

# Virtue

## Industriousness

**Diligence, especially in work that leads to natural and supernatural maturity**

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**Monday, August 26, 2019**

## Dates to Remember

Aug. 26 – Monday

- Baseball at OLMC at 4:30 p.m.
- Softball at OLMC at 4:30 p.m.

Aug. 27 -Tuesday

Aug. 28 - Wednesday

- Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Aug. 29 – Thursday

Aug. 30 – Friday – *Noon Dismissal*

- Faculty In-service
- Baseball at DeSoto at 4:00 p.m.
- Softball at DeSoto at 4:00 p.m.

Aug. 31 – Saturday

Sept. 1 – Sunday

Sept. 2 – Monday – *No School*

## Upcoming Events

Grandparents Day Mass – September 8:30 a.m.

School Pictures - September 9

2 p.m. dismissal – September 13

Apple Festival Pet & Hobby Parade – September 13

Apple Festival Grand Parade – September 14

Catechist Sunday – September 15

IOWA Assessments – September 23 – Oct. 4

## NOW ENROLLING

It's not too late! We still have openings, and that includes Pre-K!

If you know of someone that is looking for a GREAT school tell them to come and see us.

Please “Like” and “Share” our Facebook posts in order to share with people what is happening at Saint Andrew School.

<https://www.facebook.com/SaintAndrewSchool/?ref=bookmarks>.

## Grandparents Day

Grandparent's Day is Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>. Grandparents hold a very special place in hearts and in our community. They are the keepers of knowledge, holding a wealth of wisdom gained through their experiences.

One of the greatest gifts that grandparents give us is the sharing of their knowledge, wisdom and stories. It is in that sharing that we learn and become better people because of it.

We are inviting our Grandparents to Mass on Tuesday, September 4<sup>th</sup>. We would also like to invite them to share in refreshments after Mass.

This is a way for us to say, “Thank you grandparents for everything you do for the children, the parents, the school faculty & staff and the community. It is because of you, all of us have an opportunity to be better people.”

## School Pictures

Lifetouch will do individual and class group pictures on Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup>. While picture day is a free dress day, students still have to comply with the structure of the dress code. Shoulders are to be covered, no open toed and/or open heeled shoes, etc.

They will begin the pictures at approximately 9:30 a.m. If you have not ordered online and you want pictures please bring your individual order form and/or group order form with payment that day.



**Don't forget to use Scrip!!!!**

## Child Protection Class

There is an Initial Child Protection Class being offered in the annex of SAS on Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. If you have not had this training, I would encourage you to have it. It will enable you to volunteer at the school, on a field trip or at a school function with the students.

You will need to call 618-687-2013, to register for the event. You must also fill out a volunteer application, a CANTS form and a criminal background check form. These forms can be sent home to you or picked up at the school office.



**Don't forget to bring in your Box Tops. It's free money for the school!!!**

## Community Rewards and Shoparoo

Don't forget to make sure that you are enrolled with Kroger Community Rewards and your organization name is Saint Andrew School and the organization number is NC590. We have opportunities to receive additional funding for the school and offset your tuition.

Scrip, Shoparoo and Kroger Community Rewards are programs that allow you to create additional funding for the school. The purchase of Scrip will not only generate funding for the school, it will also help offset your tuition.

This additional funding for the school will provide opportunities for the students. There will be more information given out about these programs at the Parent Orientation Nights.

## Option C

Option C is our new school management program.

What does that mean?

It is the program that you can use to check your child's grades, attendance, lunch calendar, conduct, assignments, and more.

It is a program we use for emergency contacts, medical issues/concerns, medications and more.

If you have not gone into Option C to update your profile, your child's profile, please do so as soon as you can.

## School Books!

Parents, please help us help your children by reminding them that they do not have to carry their entire set of books home every night. It will be on very rare occasions that they would have homework in all of their subjects.

## Festival Float

It is our tradition to have a float in the Apple Festival parade. We are looking for a place to store it and for parents and their children to help decorate it. If you can help us out please contact the school office and let us know.

## Friday Note is moving!

In order to continue to communicate things out of the office or about the school in general, the Friday note will now be the Monday note. This is an accommodation I need to make at this time considering the duality of the roles I have this year as principal and jr. high Math and Science teacher. I apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you.