

Academic Calendar 2017 - 2018

Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic School

(This calendar is subject to change)



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Summer

Say a prayer to Mary for a safe, happy, and healthy summer. Please remember to ask God to shed His mercy on Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church and School.

Summer Math, Summer Reading Lists, and Supply Lists are available in the School Office.

August

Say a prayer to St. John Bosco in honor of our new students.

Please note Stepping Up Program will be under review by Father Longenecker and Mr. Curtin. It will be listed in all areas as TBD.

- 14-18 Teacher workdays – Schedule TBD
- 15 Testing for Students seeking enrollment for the 2017 - 2018 School Year
- 17 MAP Testing Workshop at St. Mary's School
- 18 Meet Your Teacher (Grades K4-8) ~ 9:00 - 10:00am ~ classrooms
- 18 Parent meeting/workshop ~ cafeteria ~ 9:00 - 10:00am—importance of homework, coming to school prepared, student responsibilities, attendance, etc. ~ PTO welcome and information - TBD
- 18 Meet your Arrowsmith Teacher (Parents & Students) ~ 10:00 - 12:00pm
- 19 Campus clean-up ~ 8:00am - 12:00pm
- 21 First day of School ~ noon dismissal ~ NO AFTER CARE
- 21 Boo-Hoo Parent drop-off ~ K4 and K5 parents ~ Please stop by the office for a treat.
- 21 Get Organized with the MS Teachers ~ (Students only) ~ Students will meet with all MS teachers on this day and learn class expectations, weekly newsletter, homework policy, lockers, etc.
- 23 Arrowsmith assessment begins

- 24 Mass, Rosary, or Prayer Service ~ 8:15am
- 28 Free Student “Welcome Back” hot dog lunch, chips, and cookie
- 28 Arrowsmith Classes begin
- 29 Open House ~ Parents only ~ 6:00pm ~cafeteria ~ Refreshments will be served in the School Office.
- 28-Sep. 1 Student Government Election Week
- 30 SGA Speeches ~ Time TBD ~ Gym ~ Parents are welcome to attend.
- 31 TBD Club Day at 2:00pm ~ Teachers will discuss club choices within his/her classroom K4 – Grade 5 ~ No Arrowsmith Classes
- 31-Sep. 1 Middle School Camp – Look Up Lodge
- 31 Family Mass – 8:15am

September *Say a prayer to your Guardian Angel in honor of our K4, K5, and grade one students.*

The first Mass of each new month is dedicated to our families. Please join us for Mass and sit with your child. Please also join us for all School Masses whenever possible. You are most welcome to sit with your child at all Masses.

- 1 Adoration ~ Benediction 2:45pm
- 4 Labor Day ~ SCHOOL HOLIDAY
- 5 SGA Elections ~ Vote!
- 5 – 15 MAP Testing – Grades for MAP Testing TBD
- 6 Arrowsmith Parent Night ~ 6:00 - 8:00pm
- Date TBD K5 Testing TBD
- 7 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 11 Arrowsmith homework begins
- 14 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 9 - 18 Arrowsmith conferences ~ Student assessment results
- 18-21 Parent Teacher Conferences upon request... FULL DAYS OF SCHOOL
- 21 Progress report #1
- 21 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 21 Smile! School/Class/Group Picture Day
- 28 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 29TBD Club Day ~ 2:00pm TBD ~ Stepping Up Day TBD ~ no Arrowsmith classes

October *Say a prayer to Our Lady of the Rosary in honor of our students in grades two and three.*

- 5 Mass in honor of Our Lady of the Rosary ~ 8:15am ~ Parents invited
- 6 Adoration ~ Benediction 11:45pm ~ 12:00 noon dismissal ~ Teacher
workday ~ 12:30-3:30pm ~ After Care open 12:00-6:00pm
Students please bring lunch if you are staying After Care.
- 9 SCHOOL HOLIDAY ~ Enjoy your day off!
- 12 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 16 - 20 OLR Spirit Week
- 19 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 24 First marking period ends
- 26 Mass ~ 8:15am ~ Make-up Picture Day ~ Sports Picture Day
- 31 Club Day 2:00pm TBD ~ Stepping Up Day TBD ~ no Arrowsmith classes
- 31 Living Rosary ~ Church ~ 12:45pm

November *Say a prayer to St. Francis of Assisi in honor of our students in grades four and five.*

- 1-2 Daughters of St. Paul Book Fair ~ Gym TBD
- 1 Family Mass ~ 8:15am ~ Dress like your favorite Saint
- 2 Report card #1
- 2 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 3 Adoration only TBD
- 2-16 Knights of Columbus Action Team food drive ~ refer to flyer
- 9 Mass ~ 8:15am ~ Veterans' Day celebration at Mass
- 10 NOON DISMISSAL ~ teacher workday 12:30-3:30pm ~ After Care open
12:00-6:00 ~ Students must bring lunch if staying in After Care.
- 14 Pot Luck Thanksgiving Lunch ~ See flyer ~ TBD
- 16 Knights of Columbus food drive ends today.
- 16 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 20-24 Thanksgiving SCHOOL HOLIDAYS ~ Gobble! Gobble!
- 27 Classes resume
- 27 Advent prayers
- 30 Club Day 2:00pm TBD ~ Stepping Up Day TBD ~ no Arrowsmith classes
- 30 Family Mass ~ 8:15am

December *Say a prayer to St. Nicholas in honor of our students in grades six, seven, and eight.*

- 1 Adoration ~ Benediction 2:45pm
- 4 Advent prayers

- 5 Bring a shoe to fill—St. Nick comes tonight!
- 6 St. Nick’s Day celebration in honor of our own Nicholas Durecki. ~ prayer service at the garden
- 6 Santa’s Workshop open ~ Gym/TBD
- 7 Progress Report #2
- 7 Mass ~ 8:15am ~ Feast of the Immaculate Conception
- 11 Advent prayers
- 14 Christmas Program ~ Band Program ~ 6:15pm ~ Gym
- 14 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 20 No Arrowsmith Classes
- 21 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 21 – Jan 2 Christmas SCHOOL HOLIDAYS begin with noon dismissal ~ We Wish You a Blessed Christmas!

January *Make a New Year’s resolution to pray the rosary*

- 3 Classes resume ~ Happy New Year!
- 4 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 5 Adoration ~ Benediction 2:45pm
- 8-19 MAP Testing
- 11 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 12 Second marking period ends
- 15 SCHOOL HOLIDAY ~ Enjoy your day!
- 18 Report Card #2
- 18 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 18 Make-up/group picture day, 8th Grade cap & gown picture day, class photos
- 25 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 26 Basketball Night ~ dinner 5:30pm ~ cafeteria
Catholic Schools Week begins!
- 28 Parishioner Appreciation Sunday ~ Treats and coffee served in the School Office after the 10:30am Mass ~ School Open House for Parishioners and Friends ~ 11:30am – 12:30pm
- 28-Feb. 3 Catholic Schools Week ~ COMMUNITIES OF FAITH, KNOWLEDGE, AND SERVICE
- 28 Don’t forget to wear your OLR uniform to Mass.
- 29 Living Rosary at 10:00am ~ Church ~ Parents invited
- 29 Arrowsmith Homeroom Class Visits
- 30 Student Appreciation Day

- 30 Arrowsmith Parent Appreciation Day
- 31 Club Day 2:00pm TBD ~ Stepping Up day TBD ~ no Arrowsmith classes
- 31 Parent Appreciation Day

February *Say a prayer to St. Valentine for someone you love*

- 1 Teacher Appreciation Day
- 1 "Fill a Bag ~ Fill a Hungry Heart" brown paper bags sent home.
Please return bags on February 8, 2018 filled to the brim!
- 2 Mass with Grandparents/Special Friends ~ 9:00am
- 2 Grandparents Day activities/brunch /class visit
- 2 NOON DISMISSAL ~ NO After Care
- 2 No Arrowsmith classes ~ Grandparents Day
- 8 Bring in your "Fill a bag ~ Fill a hungry heart" brown paper bag~ food items
will be donated to SVDP ~ Action Team competition
- 8 Mass ~ 8:15am ~ Archery, SGA, Altar Server, Choir, Beta and miscellaneous
picture day
- 14 Mass ~ 8:15am ~ Ash Wednesday ~ Lent Begins
- 15 Progress Report #3
- 15 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 16 NOON DISMISSAL ~ NO After Care ~ Teacher workday
- 19 Presidents' Day Holiday ~ Enjoy your day!
- 22 Mass ~ 8:15am ~ Stations of the Cross 2:30pm
- TBD Diocesan Basketball Tournament
- 28 Club Day 2:00pm TBD ~ Stepping Up Day TBD ~ no Arrowsmith classes

March *St. Patrick, keep us in your care and bless us with the luck of the Irish.*

- 1 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 2 School Holiday ~ Teacher Workday
- 8 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 9 Stations of the Cross 2:30pm
- 10 New student testing ~ 9:00am
- 15 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 16 Stations of the Cross 2:30pm
- 21 Third marking period ends
- 22 Mass ~ 8:15am
- 23 Stations of the Cross 2:30pm
- 28 Report Card #3

28 Club Day TBD ~ Stepping Up Day ~ No Arrowsmith classes
29 No Arrowsmith classes ~ Lenten Retreat
29 – Apr. 6 Mass ~ Lenten Retreat ~ NOON DISMISSAL ~ NO After Care
Wishing you a blessed and holy Easter!

April Say a prayer to St. Francis to keep all of nature in his loving care.

* Middle School Class trip TBD ~ Grades 6, 7, and 8
9 Classes resume
11 – 12 Arrowsmith New Enrolled Student Shadow Day
12 Mass ~ 8:15am
16 Arrowsmith Assessments begin
19 Mass ~ 8:15am
26 Mass ~ 8:15am
26 Spring Concert/Talent Show ~ 6:15pm ~ OLR Gym
27 SCHOOL HOLIDAY ~ Enjoy your day off! Snow Make-up Day #1
30 Club Day 2:00pm TBD ~ SU Day TBD ~ no Arrowsmith class

May Say one Hail Mary in honor of all mothers.

1 Progress report #4
3 Family Mass 8:15am
4 Adoration ~ May Crowning ~ Benediction 2:45pm
4 International Celebration ~ Spanish Club TBD
7 - 11 Teacher Appreciation Week
8 National Teacher's Day!
10 Middle School Oratorical Contest ~ 2:00pm ~ OLR Gym ~ Parents are welcome to attend.
10 Mass with mom and dad ~ 8:15am
12 First Holy Communion Mass 10:00am
15 Last Club day ~ 2:00pm ~ date subject to change
17 8TH Grade Parent Thank-You Dinner ~ 6:30pm ~ Cafeteria
17 Mass ~ 8:15am
18 Field Day (lunch provided) ~ NOON DISMISSAL ~ NO After Care
18 No Arrowsmith classes ~ Field Day
23 Choral Scholar auditions for rising 3rd – 8th Grade Students ~ 3:15pm ~ Church
24 Mass ~ 8:15am
24 Last day for Arrowsmith classes

- 25 Graduation Mass ~ 9:00am
- 25 Graduation Party ~ 7:00-9:30pm ~ cafeteria
- 28 Memorial Day ~ SCHOOL HOLIDAY
- 31 Food/Fellowship/State of the School ~ sponsored by the PTO 6:00pm
TBD
- 31 Family Mass 8:15am

June *Our Father, please bless and keep our students safe during summer vacation*

- 1 Mass 8:15am ~ K5 Graduation, Awards Day ~ 11:00am dismissal.
Report Cards will be mailed home.

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