

February 23, 2025



St. Joseph Parish School Lancer Times

Weekly online school information by Principal Matthews

Important Dates to Remember

- **Monday, February 24: No School**
- **Wednesday, February 26: Teacher Luncheon**
- **Thursday, February 27: Mass at 8:30, Middle School Field Trip to DSHA 9:00-12:45**
- **Friday, February 28: Special Interest Day 1:15-3:00**
- **Wednesday, March 5: Ash Wednesday Mass at 8:30**
- **Friday, March 7th: End of trimester 2, First Fish Fry 4:30-7:30pm**
- **Wednesday, March 12: 1st-4th Grade Family Breakfast 7:45-8:30, Tot Open Gym 8:30-10:00**
- **Thursday, March 13: Mass at 8:30, 2nd grade hosts hospitality after Mass**
- **Friday, March 14: 2nd Fish Fry**
- **Staurday, March 15: Open Gym 9:00-10:30**
- **Monday, March 17: St. Patrick's Day, Wear Green!**

Calendar of Cash Winners Congratulations!

2/17/25 ~ Stephanie Nino De Guzman ~ \$100

2/18/25 ~ Cathy Rinzel ~ \$50

2/19/25 ~ Jennifer Marquardt ~ \$50

2/20/25 ~ Ruth Ann Belknap ~ \$25

A check will be mailed to the winners.

March Extended Care Sign Up

Please click the link below to sign up for morning and afternoon extended care.



Fish Fry season is almost here!
March 7, March 14, March 21, April 4, & April 11

Lent is less than 2 weeks away, which means we need your help! From setting up the kitchen and dining room, to serving food and drinks, bussing tables, and cleaning up afterward, we need many hands! We have opportunities for children and adults, so bring the entire family! Click the link below to sign up to volunteer.

[Fish Fry Volunteer Sign Up](#)

ST. JOSEPH
Feast Day
POTLUCK DINNER

Let's come together to celebrate our patron saint.
We will be providing Italian pasta dishes and drinks.



WEDNESDAY

19
MARCH

5:30 -7:00PM

**PLEASE BRING A SIDE DISH OR DESSERT
TO SHARE!**

**CONSIDER BRINGING A DONATION TO OUR
SVDP FOOD PANTRY**

RSVP by March 9
**Sign up sheet available at the Resource Table in
the Gathering Hall**

Weekly Classroom Highlights

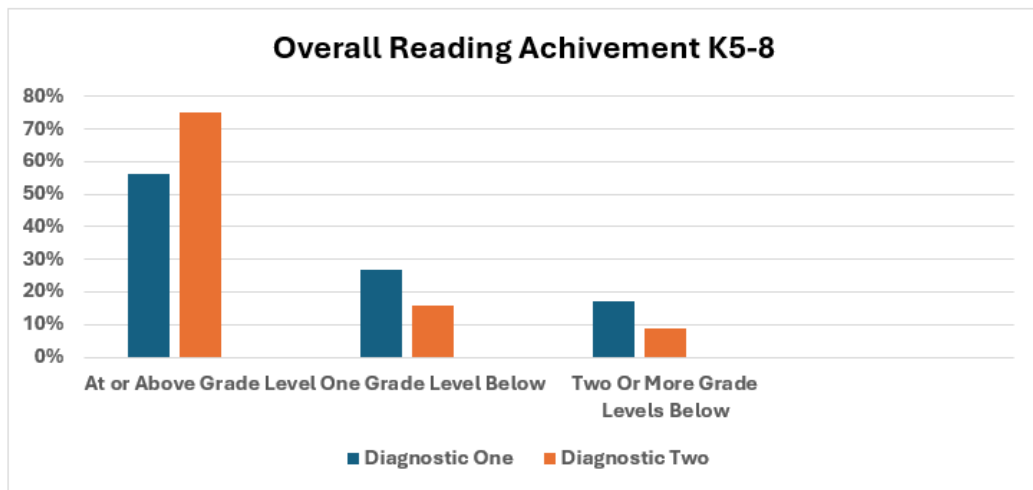
By: Mrs. O'Dell, Interventionist

The K5 through Eighth grade students at St. Joseph Parish School were

recently administered the mid-year I-Ready Diagnostic Assessment. The St. Joseph Parish School students made tremendous gains from the beginning of the year diagnostic until now. All students in K5 through Eighth Grade were assessed. In the area of reading, 75% of the students achieved at or above grade level. This is an increase from the beginning of the year when 56% of students were reading at or above grade level. In math, on the beginning of the year diagnostic, 39% of students were achieving at or above grade level. That has increased to 63%.

Other highlights include 94% of K5-2 grade students are achieving at or above grade level in the area of Phonemic Awareness, with two grades achieving 100%. This is an increase from 73% at the beginning of the year. 93% of all students assessed achieved a rating of at or above grade level in Phonics, this is an increase from 81% on the beginning of the year diagnostic.


Congratulations to all the students and teachers for their hard work!





2025 BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

MARCH 2

 Dominican High School
Crowley Gymnasium
120 E Silver Spring Dr., Whitefish Bay

Visit
dominicanjrknightsteamssnapsites.com
to register!

Contact Basketball Director, Vinnie Murray, for questions:
vmurray@dominicanhighschool.com

Current Grade

5th/6th Grade Boys

11 AM - NOON

7th/8th Grade Boys

12:15-1:15 PM

5th/6th Grade Girls

1:30-2:30 PM

7th/8th Grade Girls

2:45-3:45 PM

~Important Information from Previous Lancer Times~



March 7, 14, 21
April 4, 11

Dine-In or Carry-Out
4:30pm to 7:30pm
1619 Washington St., Grafton

Scan QR
Code to
pre-order
meals



Support Christian Schools
Proceeds from the fish fry go to St. Joseph
grade school and are used to help with tuition,
enhance learning, retain quality teachers,
upgrade/purchase equipment and more!

All Meals \$15.00

½ lb Beer Battered Cod 4 pc Gourmet Breaded Lake Perch
½ lb Baked Icelandic Cod 6 pc Jumbo Fried Shrimp

Meals include the following...

Cole Slaw • Potatoes • Rye Bread & Butter • Coffee and Milk*
*drinks are not included in Carry-Out

Desserts included while they last

Traditional Potato Pancakes Served!

\$3.00 Ala Carte or \$2 as a substitute for potatoes

St. Joe's Platter \$17.00

1-Fried Perch • 2-Fried Cod • 3-Fried Shrimp
Includes all side dishes

Kids Meals \$7.00

Fish - Shrimp - Hot Dog - Mac & Cheese

Fish Fry Sponsorship Form

FISH FRY HELP NEEDED!

Do you want to help with fish fry but just can't seem to be there? We have the solution for you!

LAUNDRY DUTY

One to five families are needed to launder the towels after each fish fry. Laundry would need to be picked up Saturday and returned the morning of the next fish fry.

Each week is the equivalent of working one shift of fish fry.

Please contact the school office if you are interested in helping in either of these positions.



School T-Shirts Available

The following yellow 2024-25 T-Shirts are still available. \$10 each. These can be worn in place of a uniform shirt any day of the week. Please contact the school office to purchase.

- 3 - Adult Large
- 1- Adult Medium
- 6 - Adult Small
- 1 - Youth Small
- 4 - Youth X-Small



Teacher Luncheon Sign Up



St. Joseph Parish School Fish Fry Dessert Schedule

(Please Save for reference)

School families are asked to provide a dessert:
 Pies, Tortes, Cheesecakes, Cakes, and Bars
 Enough to Serve 36 - Please label "FISH FRY"
 Refrigeration will be provided if needed.

Fish Fry Dessert Date School Family Name

March 7, 2025 ~ Ament - Fischer

March 14, 2025 ~ Gilbert-Domoe - Krogmann

March 21, 2025 ~ Krombach - Nemcheck

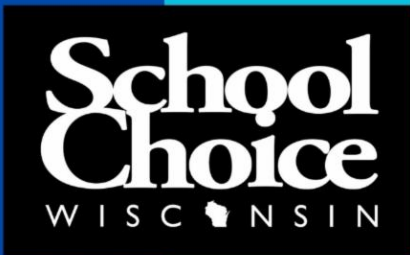
April 4, 2025 ~ Nguyen - Schweisthal

April 11, 2025 ~ Shipley - Zozakiewicz

You will get a reminder via email on Wednesday just prior to your dessert date. If you have any questions, please call the school office.

Thank You for supporting St. Joseph Parish School!

Does Your Family Qualify For FREE Tuition?



Enrollment is Open!
Feb. 3rd - Apr. 17th

Qualifying Incomes for Statewide Wisconsin Parental School Choice

Family Size	Single Income	Married Income
2	\$44,968	
3	\$56,804	\$63,804
4	\$68,640	\$75,640
5	\$80,476	\$87,476
6	\$92,312	\$99,312

- What is School Choice?**
 Families with qualifying income can send their child(ren) to SJPS tuition free!
- Who Qualifies?**
 Current students entering K4, K5, or 1st grade, or a new student in K4-8th may qualify.
- What if my income changes?**
 Students approved at SJPS remain in the program, regardless of income changes. Once In, Always In!
- More Information or to Apply**
chooseyourschoolwi.org

APPLY HERE

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2025-26 School Year Registration Is Now OPEN!

[Click Here to Register](#)

[Click Here to Pay Registration Fee By Credit/Debit Card](#)

In order to secure your spot, the \$250 registration fee must either be sent via cash or check to the school office or paid online using credit/debit through our online giving portal.

SAVE THE DATE!

*St. Joseph Parish School
presents*

A Night of

GAMES

AND

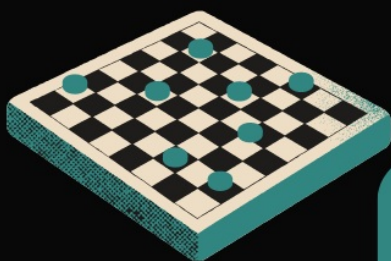
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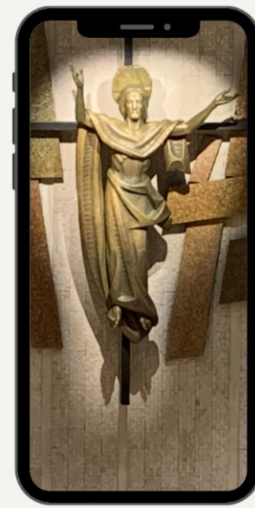
MAY 3 2025 5pm

DOHERTY HALL
1619 WASHINGTON ST.
GRAFTON



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