

# This Week at St. Patrick

Greetings St. Patrick family members,

The deadline for receiving the discounted registration fee rate of \$460 is this Thursday, February 28. If you haven't already registered your child for the upcoming school year, plan on registering by Thursday to take advantage of this savings. The registration fee will increase to \$510 on Friday, March 1. Simply click on the following link to complete your child's enrollment. Click here to register for the 2019-20 school year.

Save the date for our twelfth annual Shamrockin' the Coast party and auction to be held **Saturday**, **March 30**, **2019**, at the White House Hotel located on the beach in Biloxi. This casual evening consists of delicious food, music by The Molly Ringwalds, enticing auction items, and lots of fellowship among friends. Proceeds from the event provide necessary technology and curriculum enhancements for our school. Check your email inbox for information on ways to help make this event a success.

St. Patrick Catholic High School will be closed next Monday, March 4, and Tuesday, March 5, for a break over the Mardi Gras holiday. Classes will resume and offices will be open on Ash Wednesday, March 6.

The enclosed calendar provides additional details on all of the weekly events and activities.

Have a safe and happy Mardi Gras!

# **Scripture of the Week**

Isaiah 1:17: Learn to do right! Seek justice, encourage the oppressed.

We find it easy to be incensed when wrong is done to a friend. We are ready to fight injustice when someone we love has been wronged. However, God reminds us that our worship means little if we do not also protect those who are weak, marginalized, oppressed, and forgotten. It's not just our friends who need our help; it's also those who have no friends who need us. "To do right" doesn't just mean being a good person and avoiding evil in our sanctified little enclaves; it also means to care, comfort, and encourage those no one else wants to notice.

## St. Patrick in the News

- The Biloxi-D'Iberville Press: Coach McDaniel earns recognition after leading his teams to a state championship
- Sun Herald: Ocean Springs-Gulfport put two talented juniors on display. One team moves on.
- The Biloxi-D'Iberville Press: Five from SPCHS named National Merit Finalists
- The Biloxi-D'Iberville Press: Mississippi students selected as candidates for U.S. Presidential Scholars
- The Biloxi-D'Iberville Press: Stawarski selected as National Youth Correspondent
- Sun Herald: Meet the Gulf Coast Carnival Association's 2019 Royal Court

- St. Patrick students succeed at MATHCOUNTS
- Robotics Team Tempest Sponsor Debbie Worrel receives FIRST LEGO
   League Volunteer of the Year Award
- WLOX: Lady Irish fall in first-ever home state playoff game
- Gulf Pine Catholic: SPCHS boasts five National Merit Finalists
- Gulf Pine Catholic: Coach McDaniel earns recognition after leading his teams to a state championship

## Fighting Irish Athletic Update

- The men's varsity basketball team defeated Heidelberg to advance to the third round of the MHSAA playoffs. They will travel to North Forrest for a 7 p.m. contest on Tuesday night.
- The men's varsity baseball team went 0-2 on Saturday with losses to West Harrison and Pass Christian. They are back in action on Tuesday night at Bay St. Louis.

## **Happy Birthday**

- Chloe Aschenbach
- Caroline Dellenger
- Bronwyn Galbraith
- Joshua Gautier
- Chelsea Hayes
- Taylor Jernigan
- Leila Ransonet
- Bella Westrop
- Ms. Kaitlyn Norton
- Mr. Tony Gruich

### Calendar

#### Monday, February 25

*Mostly Cloudy* | 64° | 52° | 0%

- 8:30 am: Administration Meeting
- 9:00 am: Logistics Staff Meeting
- 5:00 pm: Quiz Bowl Match at Long Beach
- 5:00 pm: 7th Grade Baseball vs. Pass Christian (Home)
- 6:00 pm: V Softball vs. Ocean Springs (Away)
- 7:00 pm: 8th Grade Baseball vs. Pass Christian (Home)

What's for lunch? Hot Lunch: spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, garlic bread; Irish Subs; Fresh Salad Bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich.

### Tuesday, February 26

*PM Thunderstorms* | 66° | 60° | 50%

- 7:45 am: High School Science Olympiad Meeting
- 1:00 pm: Vocations Presentation
- 3:05 pm: Quiz Bowl Practice
- 3:30 pm: Dance Clinic
- 6:00 pm: Varsity Baseball vs. Bay St. Louis (Away)
- 7:00 pm: Men's Varsity Basketball vs North Forrest (Away MHSAA Playoffs)

What's for lunch? Hot Lunch: country style chicken, rice with gravy, peas, roll; Irish Subs; Fresh Salad Bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich.

### Wednesday, February 27

*Thunderstorms* | 70° | 62° | 80%

- 7:30 am: Science Department Meeting
- 7:45 am: NEHS Tutoring
- 3:05 pm: Math Department Meeting
- 3:30 pm: Dance Clinic

What's for lunch? Hot Lunch: sloppy joes, mac n cheese; Irish subs; fresh salad bar; Grill items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich

## Thursday, February 28

Scattered Thunderstorms | 70° | 61° | 50%

- Today we will follow the liturgy bell schedule
- 7:30 am: Social Studies Department Meeting
- 9:40 am: Adoration
- 3:05 pm: English Department Meeting
- 3:05 pm: Mu Alpha Theta Math Tutoring
- 3:30 pm: Dance Tryouts
- 4:00 pm: JH Track Meet at St. Stanislaus
- 4:00 pm: V Tennis vs. Gulfport (Home)
- 4:00 pm: V Track Meet at St. Stanislaus
- 5:00 pm: 7th Grade Baseball vs. Pass Christian (Away)
- 7:00 pm: 8th Grade Baseball vs. Pass Christian (Away)
- 7:00 pm: V Softball vs. Harrison Central (Away)

What's for lunch? Hot Lunch: chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans; Irish subs; fresh salad bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich.

### Friday, March 1

Scattered Thunderstorms | 70° | 56° | 50%

- 7:30 am: Theology Department Meeting
- 7:45 am: JH Science Olympiad Meeting
- 8:00 am: Mock Trial Statewide Competition in Jackson
- 9:00 am: Administration Meeting
- 5:00 pm: JV Baseball vs. Seminary (Away)
- 7:00 pm: V Baseball vs. Seminary (Away)

What's for lunch? Hot Lunch: meatball sub, chips, green beans; Irish Subs; Fresh Salad Bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich.

#### Saturday, March 2

*AM Showers* | 64° | 48° | 40%

- 8:00 am: Mock Trial Statewide Competition in Jackson
- 10:40 am: V Softball vs. Gulfport (GPT Tournament) at Gulfport Sportsplex
- 11:00 am: JV Baseball vs. Long Beach (Home)
- 1:00 pm: V Baseball vs. Long Beach (Home)
- 3:40 pm: V Softball vs. North Pike (GPT Tournament) at Gulfport Sportsplex

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