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# ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

## **This Week at St. Patrick**

Good morning St. Patrick families,

Happy New Year! Welcome to a new decade, and welcome to a new semester of educating scholars, training disciples, and supporting champions. We hope that all St. Patrick students and families enjoyed your Christmas. We look forward to an exciting spring full of academics and activities.

We ask that you remember our seniors in your prayers as they travel to New Orleans on Wednesday for their final St. Patrick class spiritual retreat. This retreat is an important part of their transition from high school years to the next chapter of their lives. We also invite St. Patrick family members to celebrate Mass with us this Thursday in our school cafeteria beginning at 9:40 a.m.

A detailed listing of school events is provided with the enclosed calendar.

Thanks for all you do! Let's make it a great week!

## **Scripture of the Week**

2 Peter 1: 5-7: Make every effort to add to your faith goodness; and to goodness, knowledge; and to knowledge, self-control; and to self-control, perseverance; and to perseverance, godliness; and to godliness, brotherly kindness; and to brotherly kindness, love.

Sometimes we get so frightened by the thought of "works-won" salvation that we forget that love and grace ultimately call us to action, and not just reflection. Action means effort. That's exactly what Peter is calling us to make — "every effort." Peter explains why this effort is important in the next few verses. "If we possess these qualities in increasing measure," they help us be productive in our knowledge of Jesus! Let's be productive! As we make "every effort," we can be assured that the Holy Spirit is the power at work

producing the fruit that makes effectiveness possible!

*Mold me and make me, Father, more perfectly conformed to your will and more perfectly consistent with your character. I do not pray this for my glory, but so that you can more effectively use me to share your blessings and grace with those around me.*

## Happy Birthday

Baker, Abigail  
Bratton, Blake  
Casey, Taryn  
Centanni, Carsen  
Fitzpatrick, Christopher  
Gillam, Ellie  
Hartery, Ben  
Moran, Molly  
Turner, Jadon  
Ms. Jenna Farragut

## Calendar

### Monday, January 6

*Sunny* | 66° | 52° | 10%

Second Semester Begins

9am Logistics Staff Meeting

3:05pm Robotics Meeting

4pm JH Girls (7th Grade) Basketball vs. Pass Christian (home)

5pm JH Boys (7th Grade) Basketball vs. Pass Christian (home)

6pm JH Girls (8th Grade) Basketball vs. Pass Christian (home)

7pm JH Boys (8th Grade) Basketball vs. Pass Christian (home)

*What's for lunch? Hot lunch: chicken spaghetti, green beans, garlic bread; fresh salad bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich*

### Tuesday, January 7

*Partly Cloudy* | 62° | 39° | 20%

7:30am Bible Study

7:30am Student Council Meeting

12pm Alumni Advisory Committee Meeting

5pm JV Men's Basketball vs. Collins (home)

5:30pm Varsity Women's Soccer vs. Columbia (away)

6pm Varsity Women's Basketball vs. Collins (home)  
7pm Varsity Men's Soccer vs. Columbia (away)  
7:30pm Varsity Men's Basketball vs. Collins (home)

*What's for lunch? Hot Lunch: hamburger steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed veggies, roll; fresh salad bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich*

### **Wednesday, January 8**

*Mostly Sunny | 60° | 52° | 0%*

Senior Retreat  
7:45am National Honor Society Meeting  
3:05pm ACT Practice Session  
5:30pm Softball Parent Meeting

*What's for Lunch? Hot Lunch: chicken cheesy rice, peas, roll; fresh salad bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich*

### **Thursday, January 9**

*PM Showers | 70° | 65° | 40%*

9:40am Mass  
3:05pm Mu Alpha Theta Math Tutoring  
4pm JH Girls (7th Grade) Basketball vs. Bay (away)  
5pm JH Boys (7th Grade) Basketball vs. Bay (away)  
5:30pm Varsity Women's Soccer vs. Perry Central (away)  
5:30pm JH Girls Soccer vs. D'Iberville (away)  
6pm JH Girls (8th Grade) Basketball vs. Bay (away)  
6:30pm JH Boys Soccer vs. D'Iberville (away)  
7pm Varsity Men's Soccer vs. Perry Central (away)  
7pm JH Boys (8th Grade) Basketball vs. Bay (away)

*What's for Lunch? Hot Lunch: chicken quesadillas, refried beans, Mexi-corn; fresh salad bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich*

### **Friday, January 10**

*Scattered Thunderstorms | 72° | 68° | 50%*

7:45am HS Science Olympiad Meeting  
9am Leadership Team Meeting  
4pm FIRST LEGO League Regional Qualifiers (Lighthouse and Schooner)  
5pm JV Men's Basketball vs. East Marion (away)  
5:30pm Varsity Women's Soccer vs. Resurrection (home)

6pm Varsity Women's Basketball vs. East Marion (away)

7pm Varsity Men's Soccer vs. Resurrection (home)

7:30pm Varsity Men's Basketball vs. East Marion (away)

*What's for Lunch? Hot Lunch: meatball sub, chips, salad; fresh salad bar; Grill Items: pizza, french fries, hamburger, chicken sandwich*

## **Saturday, January 11**

*Scattered Thunderstorms | 71° | 53° | 60%*

8am FIRST LEGO League Regional Qualifiers (Lighthouse and Schooner)



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