

# St. Anne's School

**News Letter**  
**May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

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Dear Families,

The calendar for next year is ready. We will post it on the website and google calendars. A big change for next year is that we will NOT be following the district calendar for late Wednesday starts. On the days the district has these late starts we are asking parents to drive their children or use the transit service. This decision was made based on faculty and parental feedback. Many parents expressed concerns about child care- who watches their children on these late starts? As a staff it is hard to do much work on curriculum or other topics in a two hour block of time. Trainers do not usually come for this type of time. We are also taking several other days off the district is NOT taking one is Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> which is an all archdiocesan teacher meeting in St. Paul sponsored by CSCOE (Catholic School Center of Excellence.) The other is Good Thursday and Easter Monday.

We had some more exciting news. CSCOE has given us \$14,000 for the start-up of our Pre-K room. This will include new carpet and Smart board. We still have openings in Pre-K 4 and 3 so if you or know of someone else interested send them our way!

We also have several spaces in grades K, 2,3 and 4. Interested families can call me or email me for a tour. We just added a new family in kindergarten yesterday! Spread the good news about St. Anne's!

Peace,

Diane



# School Mass

The school Mass is at **10:30** every Tuesday and will be held at the Church unless announced. Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> Mass will be led by the Fourth Grade Class.

**May 12<sup>th</sup>-Mother's Day Sale**

**May 23<sup>rd</sup>- Spring Program 6:30m @H.S. Auditorium**

**May 29<sup>th</sup>- NO SCHOOL Memorial Day**

**May 30<sup>th</sup>-June 1<sup>st</sup>- Student may be out of uniform**

**May 30<sup>th</sup>-Field Day**

**May 31<sup>st</sup>-Talent Show**

**June 1<sup>st</sup>- Last day of school, Awards program @ 10am, Graduation Mass @ 1pm**

## Softener Salt For Sale:

Left over from fundraiser

2-Bags for \$10

Contact School Office if you would like to purchase

## Playground Supervision Schedule

**May 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>**

### Volunteer

<b>Monday</b>	Sarah Straub
<b>Tuesday</b>	Denise Hogan
<b>Wednesday</b>	Denise Hogan
<b>Thursday</b>	Crystal Genelin
<b>Friday</b>	Jenny Cummins

**\*\*\*Full Month Calendar can be found on our website!**

Please arrive at school at 11:20 and check in with the office. Recess ends at 11:55.



**May 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>**

**Monday: Chicken ala King, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Peaches**

**Tuesday: BBQ Rib in a Bun, Baked Beans, French Fries, Strawberry Cup**

**Wednesday: Oven Chow Mein, Green Beans, Apple Crisp**

**Thursday: Stromboli, Peas, Blueberry Parfait**

**Friday: Tomato Soup, Grilled Cheese, California Veggies**

**If you would like to join us for lunch, please let the school office know by 9:30am.**

Pop Can Trailer is being moved from the school parking lot to the church parking lot.

Spread the word!!

Remember the past with fondness; Look to the future with Eagerness; Live each moment to the fullest. Colossians 3:17

On behalf of everyone here at St. Anne's, we wish Karen Wolf best wishes with her future endeavors, as she has decided to step back from teaching.

Thank you, Karen, for your dedication and compassion throughout your 20 years here at

St. Anne's!



**MISF Awards STEM Grant valued at \$1500 to St. Anne's School at the 2017 MN Private & Independent Education Awards Event.**

**31 STEAM Grants were awarded, valued at nearly \$130,000**

**This will be used for the start of our STEM program in grade 4 & 5!**



Shop Online @

[www.donaldsuniform.com](http://www.donaldsuniform.com)

Or visit two locations:

Donald's St. Paul - 972 Payne Avenue - St. Paul, MN 55130 - Phone: 651-776-2723 or 1-800-728-8082 Ext. 0

Donald's WEST - 6407 City West Pkwy - Eden Prairie, MN 55344 - Phone: 651-776-2723 Ext. 1

Donald's does have the St. Anne's plaid uniform print.

**This is not a required place to shop!**

**All library books need to be returned by**

**Thursday, May 11<sup>th</sup>.**

**Thanks,**

**Norma Nuessmeier**

**St. Anne's Golf Tournament planning meeting**

**Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup> 7pm @ The Bar**

**We need volunteers!!**

**This will count for your Fair Share Hours**

**Silent Auction donations needed. Items can be dropped off at the school during school hours. Email Jenny Miller [jmiller1730@hotmail.com](mailto:jmiller1730@hotmail.com) with questions.**

Dear friends of St. Anne's School

We're writing to share some great news that could be a major benefit for students across Minnesota and for our school -- and to ask you to make an importance difference by contacting your elected officials TODAY.

Legislation that would be a major breakthrough for school choice in Minnesota is on the doorstep of becoming law. A provision called the **Opportunity Scholarship Tax Credit** has been included in the House and Senate tax bills that have passed both legislative bodies. The Opportunity Scholarship Tax Credit allows for individuals or corporations to make a donation to a non-profit that would grant scholarships for students to attend a private school of their family's choice. The donations would be eligible for a 70% state tax credit. This will make a big difference in eliminating financial barriers that prevent some families from having their children attend the best school for them.

**We need to encourage legislators to continue to support this important provision and urge Governor Dayton to sign the Opportunity Scholarship tax credit into law once it reaches his desk.**

Please take a minute to go to our Action Center - CLICK HERE:

<https://www.votervoice.net/OAK/campaigns/51482/respond>.

On the Action Center page, please enter in your email address and ZIP code. It will automatically populate the page with your State Senator and State Representative and easily allows you to send both, and Governor Dayton, an email expressing your support for this important legislation.

We encourage you to visit the Action Center right now -

<https://www.votervoice.net/OAK/campaigns/51482/respond>. After you've sent your emails, please take a minute to forward this email to other friends and family who share our passion for making sure more Minnesota students have access to an exceptional school.

To stay connected with this effort, please also follow Opportunity for All Kids on Twitter at [@MinnOAK](https://twitter.com/MinnOAK), like the Facebook page at [facebook.com/opportunityforallkids](https://facebook.com/opportunityforallkids); and visit the website at [oakmn.org](http://oakmn.org).

This is a critical moment for school choice in Minnesota. Thank you for your support!

Calling all

- Beethovens and Mozarts
- future members of the LeSueur-Henderson Giants Band:
- potential Rock Stars

Register for piano lessons for the 2017-2018 school year!

These lessons take place at **St. Anne's** during the school day.

For more information,

Contact Jeanne Bruss

[jeannepiano88@gmail.com](mailto:jeannepiano88@gmail.com)

or 507-317-1965 (call after 7 pm)



**Anne Lewis & Brittane Simonson**

**took on St. Louis!**

As part of CSCOE, Anne and Brittane were able to be a part of the National Catholic Educational Association. The weekend led off with Mass led by Archbishop, Justin Rigali of St. Louis. There were 8,000 Teachers, Principles, Sisters, and Priests who attended the Mass & NCEA conference. During their time there, they joined professional development classes which included Technology Training and Special Education courses. They were also able to enjoy St. Louis a bit with a trip to the Arch and to the Cardinal Stadium. The overall experience was wonderful and they have brought back new ideas for their classrooms next fall. A big Thank You to CSCOE for helping rejuvenate their excitement for teaching.

