



September Birthdays

- 24-Mason Sallin (4)
- 24-Genna Haslag (8)
- 26-Lillie Lutes (4)
- 27-Anna Brandt (6)
- 29-Mylee Smith (3)

October Birthdays

- 1- Marshal Kuschel (PK)
- 5-Calvin Orscheln (1)
- 6-Henry Brandt (6)
- 11-Hayden Jaegers (6)
- 12-Madison Lumpkin (PK)
- 13-Chloe Loethen (6)
- 14-Gatlin Deeken (3)
- 16-Addisyn Smith (8)
- 19-Owen Jaegers (7)
- 20- Maya Frank (5)
- 22-Elyse Koenigsfeld (2)
- 22-Archer Jaegers (PK)
- 24-Harlie Duncan (2)
- 24-Jocelyn Bish (4)
- 29-Lillian Foster (5)

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Protecting young eyes: Oct 18 we will be having a Protecting Young Eyes presentation. Grades 3-5 will be in one session then 6-8 will be in the second. Both will be in Westphalia. More information as far as time will be coming once those details are ironed out. This program will be diocesan wide. The Protecting Young Eyes team teaches kids how to use technology awesomely with age-appropriate language, engaging conversation, interactive activities, and videos. This presentation talks about screens, confusing pics and videos, predators, privacy, secrets, and the power of our words (typically around 25-30 minutes).

- For faith-based, Scripture covered includes: John 10:10, Proverbs 6:6, Psalm 119:37, and James 3:6.
- Although the main bullets are the same, the presentation decks are different between K-2 and 3-5, using age-appropriate images, illustrations, and videos.

There will also be a parent session that evening. More information will be coming out on that as well.

Important Dates:

September 22, 2023

ATTENTION ALL ST. GEORGE PARENTS

******On Tuesday, Oct. 3rd there will be a mandatory parent meeting in church at 6:00. The regular Tuesday night Mass will follow at 6:30. If you can't attend you must call the rectory and talk to Fr. Franklin.*******

Servers for Weekend Mass:

Sep 23, Sat Anna Peters, Riley Kay, Jaxon Davis

Sep 24, Sun Izabella Backes, Genna Haslag, Allie Steinbeck

Our new website is up and running. Please go to <https://stgeorgelinn.diojeffcity.org/> and click on the school.

Picture Retakes will be on September 25. In order for your child to get his or her picture retook, you must send in the original packet.

October 2-6 is the standardized testing for 3-8. Please try to keep all doctors' appointments scheduled in the afternoon.

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If your child is absent, or there is a change of afterschool plans, please call the office rather than individual teachers.

September

25-Picture Retakes

26-Grandparents' Day program

27-Flu clinic

29-4 D Day sponsored by 7th grade

October

1-St. George Fall Festival

2-6 Achievement testing

13-Raffle sales end

17-Electrical presentations for grades 3-8

18-Protecting Young Eyes presentation for grades 3-8

20-last day of first quarter

20-last day to wear shorts

20-4 D Day sponsored by 6th

24-Home and School Meeting

26-Parent/teacher Conferences

26-12:30 Dismissal

27-No School

27-Trunk- or- treat

31-Halloween parties

31-Students may wear Halloween shirts with uniform pants

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The Difference

I got up early one morning and rushed right into the day. I had so much to accomplish that I didn't have time to pray. Problems just tumbled about me, and heavier came each task. "Why doesn't God help me?" I wondered. He answered, "You didn't ask." I wanted to see joy and beauty, but the day toiled on, gray and bleak. I wondered why God didn't show me. He said, "But you didn't seek." I tried to come into God's presence. I used all my keys at the lock. God gently and lovingly chided, "My child, you didn't knock." I woke up early this morning and paused before entering the day. I had so much to accomplish that I had to take time to pray. Author: Alan Grant

Please note the following change on sports eligibility to reflect the change in the Diocese grading scale. The following change will be in the Student Handbook:

Eligibility in Co-Curricular Activities (LSR 6603)

Unless special arrangements are made with the pastor or principal, any student/family who has delinquent lunch, bus, registration or any other fees from the previous school year, will not be allowed to participate in extracurricular activities during the current school year until those fees have been paid in full.

Students must be in attendance for 1/2 of the school day, to include lunch, to attend or participate in extra-curricular activities held that day or evening. Special cases may warrant the principal's discretion and may receive permission - i.e. funeral leave, delays in appointments, etc.

All participants must have a 67% or above in every subject area in order to be able to play. Parents and coaches will receive a notice that a student is not allowed to participate until the grades are above 67% or at the discretion of the administration.

All participants in athletic programs must have a completed physical form on file with the Athletic Committee before participating in practices or games. Additionally, all participants in the athletic program must have fees paid and verification and release of liability forms on file before participating in practices or games.