**Mary, Queen of Peace**

**School Calendar 2019-2020**

**(updated: 2/10/20)**

**August**

Wednesday, August 7: Faculty Meeting

**Thursday, August 8:  Faculty Retreat and Meeting**

Friday, August 9: Faculty Meeting

**Friday, August 9: New Family Pizza Party, Cafeteria and Playground, 5:30 - 7:30 pm**

Sunday, August 11: Blessings of the Backpacks and Ice Cream Social, 11:45 am - 1:30 pm

**Wednesday, August 14: First Day of School, Half Day, Noon Dismissal**

Thursday, August 15: Assumption of Mary, Full Day of School, All School Mass, 9:15 am

**Sunday, August 18:  Signup Genius open for Parent Volunteers**

Thursday, August 22: Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Center
**Thursday, August 22: Home and School Meeting, Holy Family Room, 7:00 pm**

Friday, August 30: Picture Day, Gym, 8:15 am - 12:30 pm

**September**

Monday, September 2: Labor Day, No School

**Thursday, September 5: Palmer Music Parent Presentation, Gym, 6:30 - 7:00 pm**

Thursday, September 5: Back to School Night for All Grades, Classrooms 7:00 - 8:30 pm

**Monday, September 16:  Friday, September 20: 2nd - 8th Grade IOWA Assessment, 8:00 am - 11:00 am**

Tuesday, September 17: Confirmation Parent Meeting, Church, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

**Friday, September 20: Half Day, Teacher Professional Development, Noon Dismissal**

Tuesday, Sept, 24: Progress Reports Sent Home

**Wednesday, Sept. 25: Deadline: Signed Progress Reports Returned to School**

Wednesday, September 25: Stewardship Mass, 9:15 am

**Thursday, September 26: Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Center**

Sunday, September 29: Brat Fest, 4:00 - 7:00 pm

**October**

Tuesday, October 1: Reconciliation Parent Meeting, Church, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

**Wednesday, October 2: 6th Grade Parent Meeting Regarding Camp, Cafeteria, 7:00 - 8:30 pm**

Thursday, October 10: Right Start Program for 8th Grade, 8:15 am - 2:30 pm

**Friday, October 11: First Stewardship Activity Day & 8th Grade Day of Service, 9:15 - 10:15 am**

Tuesday, October 15 - Friday, October 18: 6th Grade Camp, Lakewood

**Thursday, October 17:  Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Center**Thursday, October 17: Home and School Meeting, Holy Family Room, 7:00 pm

**Friday, October 18: End of 1st Quarter**

Saturday, October 19: Confirmation Retreat, Gym

**Wednesday, October 23: Picture Retakes, Holy Family Room, 8:15 am**

Thursday, October 24: Parent Teacher Student Conferences, 8:00 am - 8:00 pm, 4th - 8th graders should attend conferences, No School

**Friday, October 25: Teacher Professional Day, No School**

Friday, October 25: Trunk or Treat, Back Parking Lot, 6 pm – 8 pm

**Friday, October 28: Fifth Grade REAP Retreat, 8:15 am – 2:30 pm**

Wednesday, October 30: Living Rosary, Church, 2:10 pm

**Thursday, October 31: Halloween Parade, 1:15 pm, followed by Classroom Parties**

**November**

Friday, November 1: Feast of All Saints, No School

**Tuesday, November 5: Confessions (Grades 6, 7, 8), Church, 9:00 am**

Wednesday, November 6: 7th Grade REAP Retreat, 10:15 am - 2:30 pm

**Monday, November 11: Veteran’s & Grandparents’ Day**

Monday, November 11 - 14: Scholastic Book Fair (Open on Grandparents’ Day), Library

**Tuesday, November 12: Confessions (Grades 3, 4, 5), Church, 9:00 am**

Thursday, November 14:  Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Center

**Monday, November 18: Sixth Grade REAP Retreat, 8:15 am – 2:30 pm**

Wednesday, November 20: First Reconciliation for 2nd Grade, Church, 7:00 pm

**Tuesday, November 26: Thanksgiving Mass, 9:15 am**

Wednesday, November 27 - Friday, November 29: Thanksgiving Break

**December**

Monday, December 2: Winter Uniform

**Monday, December 2: Open House for Prospective Preschool and Kindergarten through 5th grades, Cafeteria & Classrooms, 7:00 - 8:00 pm**

Tuesday, December 3: Hearing & Vision Screening, 9:00 am - 11:00 pm, Library

**Tuesday, December 3: Open House for Prospective Middle School, Gym, 7:00 - 8:00 pm**

Thursday, December 19: Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Center

**Friday, December 20: Advent Program, 1:15, Church, Followed by Classroom Parties**

Friday, December 20: End of 2nd Quarter

**Monday, December 23 - Friday, January 3: Christmas Break**

**January**

Monday, January 6: School Resumes for Kindergarten - 8th Grade (No School for Preschool - Professional Development for Preschool Teachers)

**Tuesday, January 7: Preschool Resumes**

Thursday, January 16: Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Center

**Friday, January 17: Second Stewardship Activity Day, 9:15 - 10:15 am**

Monday, January 20: Martin Luther King Day, No School

**Thursday, January 23: Home and School Meeting, Holy Family Room, 7:00 pm**

Sunday, January 26 - Friday, January 31: Catholic Schools’ Week, including Boosterthon

**Wednesday, January 29: Teacher of the Year, Hall of Fame Teacher, and Teacher Appreciation Luncheon**

Friday, January 31: Family Luncheon, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

**February**

Friday, February 14: Valentine’s Day, Preschool - 4th Grade Classroom Parties, 5th - 8th Grade Treats

**Friday, February 14-16: Luke 18 Retreat**

Monday, February 17: President’s Day, No School

**Thursday, February 20: Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Center**

Tuesday, February 25: Stewardship Mission Carnival

**Wednesday, February 26: Ash Wednesday, Mass 9:15 am**

**March**

Tuesday, March 3: First Eucharist Parent Meeting; Church, 7:00 pm

**Friday, March 6: End of 3rd Quarter**

Tuesday, March 10: Confessions (Grades 5, 6, 7, 8), 9:00 am

**Monday, March 16 - Friday, March 20:  Spring Break**

Mondy, March 23: Summer Uniform Begins

**Tuesday, March 24: Confessions (Grades 2, 3, 4), 9:00 am**

Thursday, March 26: Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Center

**Thursday, March 26: Home and School Meeting, Holy Family Room, 7:00 pm**

**April**

Friday, April 3: Third Stewardship Activity Day, 9:15 - 10:15 am

**HOLY THURSDAY, April 9: Prayer Service, Church, 2:00 pm, No After School Activities or Sports**

GOOD FRIDAY, April 10: No School, No After School Activities or Sports

**EASTER MONDAY:  April 13, No School**

Tuesday, April 14: Confirmation Practice for 8th Graders, Church, 6:45 pm

**Thursday, April 16: Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Day**

Thursday, April 16: Sacrament of Confirmation, Church, 7:00 pm, followed by a reception in the gym

**Friday, April 17: No School for 8th Grade**

Wednesday, April 22: 7th Grade Parent Meeting (Planning for 2020-2020), Cafeteria, 7:00 pm

**Friday, April 24: Spring Festival Set up, No School**

Saturday, April 25: Spring Festival **Wednesday, April 29: Stewardship Mass and Rally, 9:15 am**

**May**

Saturday, May 2: First Eucharist for Second Grade, Church, 11:00 am

**Monday, May 4: No School for 2nd Grade**

Monday, May 4 - Friday May 8: Teacher Appreciation Week

**Tuesday, May 5: Home and School Meeting, Holy Family Room, 7:00 pm**

Wednesday, May 6: May Crowning, after 9:15 am Mass

**Wednesday, May 13: Rose Mass, Church, 9:15 am**

Thursday, May 14: Dress-out Day for Saint Patrick’s Day
**Thursday, May 14: Eighth Grade Play “High School Musical”, 1 pm and 7 pm**

Friday, May 15: Eighth Grade Play “High School Musical”, 1 pm and 7 pm

**Monday, May 18: Last Regular Class Day for Preschool & Pre-K**

Tuesday, May 19: Kindergarten & 8th Grade Angel Breakfast, Last Regular Class Day for Kindergarten & 8th Grade

**Tuesday, May 19: Eighth Grade Mystery Trip**

Tuesday, May 19: Preschool 3-year old class, Beach Party, 9:00 - 10:00 am

**Tuesday, May 19: Preschool 4 year old class- Teddy Bear Picnic, 10:00 - 11:00 am**

Wednesday, May 20: Graduation Ceremonies for Kindergarten, Church, 9:00 am, followed by a reception in the gym

**Wednesday, May 20: Graduation Ceremonies for 8th Grade, Church, 6:00 pm, followed by a reception in the gym**

Friday, May 22: Last Day of School, Mass at 10:00 am, Dismissal at 11:15 am, End of 4th Quarter