



WHAT'S AHEAD WEDNESDAY

March 26, 2025

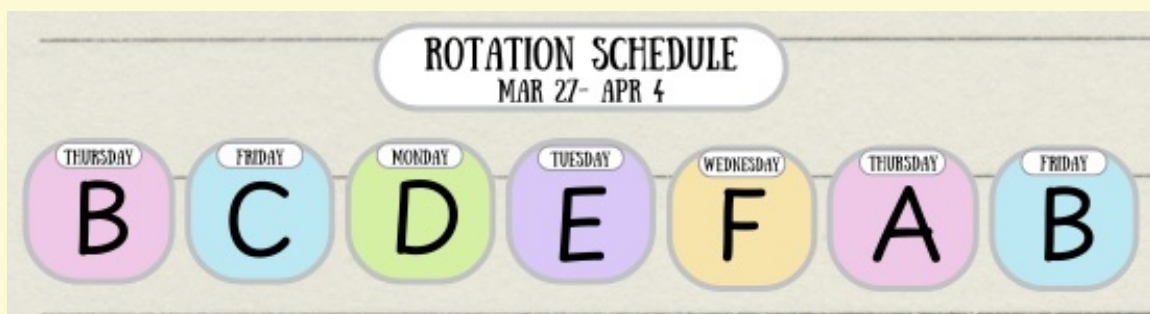
A MESSAGE FROM THE SUS LEADERSHIP

Dear Parents,

Please join our St. Ursula family for soup, salad, and stations on Friday, April 4, 2025. Stations begin at 7:00pm in the church followed by dinner in the SUS spiritual center. This is a great opportunity to grow deeper in faith and fellowship. Students who attend will receive an out of uniform pass for Monday, April 7, 2025. All students must be accompanied by an adult. We hope to see you there!

Faithfully,
Mrs. Jones
Mrs. Marinaro

ROTATION SCHEDULE FOR MAR 27-APR 4



PAY-IT LINKS

LAST CHANCE April Hot & Special Lunch

Hot and special lunches will only be distributed to those who have pre-paid. **Orders will close at 8 a.m. on Thursday, March 27th. No late orders will be accepted.** For more information and to place your order please visit this link: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/u8nYBBdy>

NEW Father Daughter Dance

The St. Ursula Fathers' Club invites you to the Father Daughter Dance. This event is for our students and their paternal caregivers. Enjoy a night out with your daughter(s) with snacks and drinks, photo booth, and DJ! Please register using this link by Thursday, April 10th: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/G2xW66Ax>

NEW Father Daughter Dance Corsages

The Mothers' Club is sponsoring a corsage sale for the Father Daughter Dance. All orders must be in by Thursday, April 10th at 8AM. Pick up will be available Friday evening or Saturday at the dance. For more information please visit the link: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/wMNU9mAE>

NEW Yearbooks

We have 18 yearbooks left to sell for students. They are being sold on a first serve basis, via this Pay-it link: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/L6oSTIzw>. The link will not allow you to order after those 18 have been sold.

If you are unsure if you already ordered, visit www.yearbookordercenter.com and enter the school code 8341. Then, click "Find Your Order" and you can check.

REMINDER Dave & Buster's Power Cards

If you are looking for something fun to do over Easter break, consider purchasing a Dave & Buster's Power Card sold by the PHSA. There are 48 chips on the \$10 card and 100 on the \$20 card. The school will earn 50% of whatever we sell. All orders are due by 8:00 a.m. Thursday, April 10, 2025. Cards will be distributed prior to Easter break. For more information and to order, please visit: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/QEa3TyGe>

UPDATES & REMINDERS

NEW Dollar Day Tomorrow

Students who have pre-paid may dress down tomorrow, Thursday, March 27th. Students can also bring in \$1 to participate if they have not already paid. Please see the [school handbook](#) for out of uniform guidelines.

NEW Fire Drill Thursday

We will have a planned fire drill Thursday, March 27th, weather permitting.

NEW Orioles Add-On Day

On Monday, March 31st, students are invited to wear Orioles shirts and/or colors as an add-on to their uniforms to celebrate Opening Day.

NEW 5th Grade STEAM Activity

On Thursday, April 10, 2025 (F Day), Mrs. Zimmerman and Mrs. Swauger will be hosting a STEAM activity for 10 5th grade students. We will be making

Easter Peep Houses for candy chicks. (Think Gingerbread Houses, but Easter-themed.)

Students will only be able to sign up for 1 STEAM activity for the year. Emails will only go out to those in the grade that have not participated to give all students the opportunity to sign up. The sign up email will go out to 5th grade parents/guardians whose child did not participate in the Thanksgiving Robot Parade STEAM on Thursday, March 27, 2025 at 6:30pm. If you are interested in signing up, you will do so on the sign up genius.

We are also in need of two parents to donate materials needed for the project for 1 service hour each. If you are interested in donating materials, please sign up on the sign up genius.

REMINDER PHSA Survey

The PHSA is interested in your event feedback. Please fill out this survey to provide any ideas, comments, or suggestions:

<https://forms.gle/yEu3xTcEhLwudBU4A>

REMINDER Service Hour Cards

Please be reminded that families who opted in to service hours, must have their 25 hours completed by April 30th. There are only a few opportunities left to get your hours. If you have not had your service hour card recorded by the office, please send it in with your child.

REMINDER Lucky 1500 Tickets

Don't forget to turn in your tickets! Unless you opted out of all fundraising, you must buy or sell a total of 4 tickets for the school year. You will be billed for any tickets that have not been returned. Please send in your service hour card with your tickets so that we can record the hours. You may send in cash or check, made payable to St. Ursula School or you may use this Pay-it link to make payment: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/DLWr0k29> If you would like additional tickets or have any questions, please email Ms. Sampson at asampson@stursula.org.

REMINDER MAP Testing

We will begin the spring session of our MAP Growth testing on Tuesday, April 1st. If at all possible, please try not to schedule any appointments for your child during this time period. This schedule is as follows:

- April 1 - Language Arts 2-8
- April 2 (**New Date**) - Reading 2-8
- April 8 - Math 2-8
- April 10 - Science 3, 5, 7

REMINDER BOOST Scholarships

Applications for the Maryland State Department of Education 2025-26 BOOST scholarship for students in grades K-12 are now open. Each year, the BOOST Program grants millions in scholarships to eligible students to attend nonpublic schools. The application deadline is Friday, May 9, 2025. For more information and to apply, please visit:

<https://marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/boost/index.aspx>

UPCOMING EVENTS

NEW Fathers' Club Skateland Night

The SUFC invites our students and their families to Skateland on Tuesday, April 22nd 5PM to 8PM for a night of family fun! Skate rentals available for \$3, cash only, scooters and hoverboards welcome. No RSVP necessary.

NEW School Play- Alice in Wonderland



St. Ursula School Invites you to attend our 2025 play!

When: Friday, April 5th at 7 p.m. & Saturday, April 6th at 1 p.m.

Where: St. Ursula School Gym

Who: All friends and family that would like to enjoy a night of fun and wonderland!

Admission: \$1 or a small donation

Concessions: Drinks and snacks will be available for purchase (Cash Only)

For friends and family of cast members:

On the night of the play, there will be an option to purchase candy grams and/or flowers for cast members.

Options:

- Candy grams for \$2
- Flowers for \$10

Purchase Options for Tickets/Donations, Candy Grams, and Flowers :

Pre-purchase with the Pay-it link - <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/lqktHOWI>

Cash Only at the door (limited tickets)

SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITIES

NEW Father Daughter Dance Volunteers

Volunteers are needed for the Father Daughter Dance on Saturday, April 12th. Help make this a memorable night for our dads and students. Service hours apply. All volunteers must be VIRTUS approved. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080444A5A822A2FD0-55790798-father#/>

REMINDER April Lunch Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help in the lunchroom in April. Volunteers are needed from 11:20 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. each day. Please use the Sign-up Genius link below to register for the date(s) you are available. Service hours do apply. All volunteers need to be Virtus approved. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0444AAA62EA5FE3-55799252-lunch>

REMINDER Race for Education Donations

We are seeking the following donation item for the *Race for Education* that will be eligible for service hours: 2 Books of Forever Stamps (1 Hour)

REMINDER Paper Donations

We are now accepting paper donations for service hours. Three reams of 8 1/2x 11 paper will earn 1 service hour.

SPIRITUAL CORNER

Have you planned a local pilgrimage for the holy year yet? If not, here are four steps: <https://catholicreview.org/4-steps-for-making-a-local-pilgrimage-during-the-jubilee-year/>

PARISH NEWS



**EXPERIENCING THE SACRAMENTS TOGETHER
STRENGTHENS FAMILY BONDS IN FAITH**

Join your St. Ursula Family for Mass:

Saturdays at 5:00 p.m.

Sundays at 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 11:00 a.m.

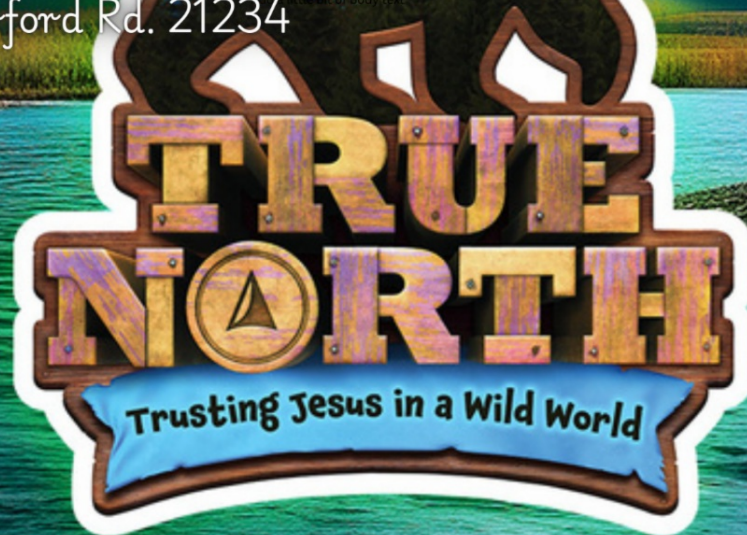
If you celebrate your anniversary in April and would like to receive a blessing at the 9am Mass on Sunday, April 6th, please call the Parish Office by March 31st, to be added to our list!

Vacation Bible School

JULY 21ST - JULY 25TH

9:30am - 12:30pm

8801 Harford Rd. 21234



To volunteer or register for VBS, please visit:
<https://www.vbspro.events/p/stursulaparkville>

Please join us for VBS Building Days! We will meet on Monday, April 21st from 9am-2pm in the Parish Office to begin creating props and decorations for VBS! For questions and to RSVP, please email Laura Weatherington at laura.weatherington@archbalt.org.

8th graders
too!

HIGH SCHOOLERS,
YOU'RE INVITED!

XLT Night

DINNER – GAMES – FAITH & FELLOWSHIP

at St. Joseph Fullerton

Saturday, March 29th

from 6-8pm

6-7PM: DINNER & GAMES – PARISH CENTER

THIS PORTION OF THE EVENING IS JUST FOR HS STUDENTS

7-7:30PM: ADORATION IN THE CHURCH

PARENTS ARE INVITED TO JOIN

7:30-8PM: DESSERT IN THE PARISH CENTER

PARENTS ARE INVITED TO JOIN



To RSVP Contact

Tanya Ray

SUYouthMinistry@gmail.com



Sacrament
of
Reconciliation

Fridays from
6PM - 6:45PM

Stations of
the Cross

Fridays at 7PM



Soup and Salad Dinner in the Spiritual Center
following Stations of the Cross



COME AND JOIN OUR
ROSARY GUILD

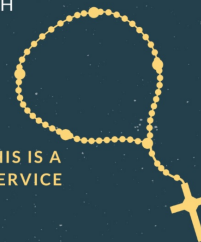
EVERY SECOND FRIDAY OF EACH
MONTH!

6:30PM-8PM IN THE SPIRITUAL
CENTER

OPEN TO AGES 10YRS AND UP! THIS IS A
GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO EARN SERVICE
HOURS FOR HIGH SCHOOL AND
CONFIRMATION!

Questions? Contact Tanya Ray: tanya.ray@archbalt.org

Our Rosary Guild is a member of Our Lady's Rosary Makers.
We make rosaries for the St. Paul Street Evangelization in
Warren, MI. The missionaries give the rosaries to people
experiencing homelessness and pray the rosary with them!



Holy Week

Palm Sunday, April 13

Mass Times:
Saturday 5pm
Sunday 7:30am, 9am, 11am



Holy Thursday, April 17

Morning Prayer 8:30am
Celebration of the Lord's Supper 7pm
Adoration until 10pm

Good Friday, April 18



Morning Prayer 8:30am
Ecumenical Stations of the Cross 12pm
Mass of the Lord's Passion 3pm
Stations of the Cross 7pm

Holy Saturday, April 19

Morning Prayer 8:30am
Blessing of the Easter Foods 12pm
Easter Vigil 8pm

Easter Sunday, April 20

Easter Mass Times:
7:30am, 9am, and 11am



What does "celebrate life" mean to you?

Write a poem...draw a picture...write an essay...a song. Be creative! Prize winners will be chosen from each category.

Category: Elementary (3-5), Middle School (6-8), and High School (9-12)
Prizes: 1st place-\$100 2nd place-\$50 3rd place-\$25

Participants can reflect on the following scripture verses for inspiration
Matthew 25:40 - And the King will answer them, "Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me."

Mark 9:37 - Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me.

Psalms 139:13,15,16 - You formed my inward parts; you knitted me together in my mother's womb. I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made...

"Let us respect and love every possible life today." St. Teresa of Calcutta

**Submissions are due to
Tanya Ray by
April 11, 2024
suyouthministry@gmail.com**



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