



WHAT'S AHEAD WEDNESDAY



May 1, 2024

A MESSAGE FROM THE SUS LEADERSHIP

Good afternoon!

Thank you to all who participated in our Race for Education! We have raised over \$85,000 so far!

SUS Field Day is this Friday, May 3rd. Please see the Field Day section below for more details. Parents who will be attending must have a Raptor badge from the school. If you filled out the online form, you will receive your badge from your child's teacher at check-in on Friday. If you did not fill out the form, please come to the office before Friday to get your badge printed. We are unable to Raptor anyone at the field.

Next week is National Teacher Appreciation Week. We are looking forward to celebrating our educators and their contributions to our students.

Thank you,
Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Marinaro

PAY-IT LINKS

LAST CHANCE May Special Lunch

On Wednesday, May 15th we will have our May Special Lunch. **Orders are due by 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 2nd.** No later orders will be accepted. Please use this form to place your order:

<https://payit.nelnet.net/form/GQm64c8i>

NEW Fathers' Club Golf Tournament

Our annual Fathers' Club Robert C. Jones Memorial Golf Tournament will be held on Friday, May 10, 2024 at Mountain Branch. To pay the entry fee and/or to find out how to become a sponsor, please go to this link: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/Wf0Buynp>

NEW PHSA Paint Night

Join the PHSA on Friday, May 17th for their spring paint night with "The Painted Mermaid!" Cost is \$40 which includes your wood choice of pineapple, sand dollar, or a mermaid. All paint, stencils, and supplies to design your project are included. Some light refreshments and snacks will be provided. For more information and to register, please visit <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/3a0MAVjY>

UPDATES & REMINDERS

NEW Field Day

Field Day will be held this Friday, May 3rd at Belmont Park located at 8701 Walther Blvd, Parkville, MD 21234. All students should arrive at Belmont Park no later than 8:30 a.m.

There will be no Extended Day on May 3rd as long as there is no rain and Field Day takes place at Belmont Park. If there is rain in the forecast and we need to postpone Field Day, an email and text message will be sent. Dismissal will begin at approximately 12:15 p.m. Any children remaining after 12:45 p.m. will stay with assigned teachers. You will be charged Extended Day late fees if you do not pick your child up by 12:45 p.m.

All adult visitors attending Field Day with their child must be Raptored and will need to wear a school-issued identification badge. The badge must be visible at all times or you will be asked to leave. If you have not had your ID scanned, please stop into the school office tomorrow between 7:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. **There will be no Raptor available the day of.**

****Parents/guardians who filled out the badge form will receive their badges from their child's teacher the morning of Field Day.****

REMINDER Kona Ice

Join us after Field Day on Friday, May 3rd from 12-3 p.m. at Kona Ice on E. Joppa Road for a sweet treat!

KONA ICE

Kona Ice Day For St. Ursula School!



When: Friday, May 3 from 12 to 3 pm

Where: 3326 E. Joppa Rd.

Why: Have fun and help raise money for your school!

Present this flyer or show your phone and Kona Ice will give
back 20 percent of the sales!



Kona Ice | p. 443.652.2600 | e. info@kona-ice.com | kona-ice.com | follow us on Facebook

NEW Interim Reports

Interim reports were sent via email on Monday for students in grades 3-8. If you did not receive an email, please check your spam folder before responding to this email to let us know.

NEW Christmas Door Decorating Contest

Students in 7 Faith, 4 Love, and 2 Hope were our door decorating contest winners, so they will have an out of uniform day on Tuesday, May 7th.

NEW Hearing and Vision Screening

Students in grades PK, 1, 4, and 8 are eligible for free hearing and vision screenings on May 8th and 9th. Students who fall outside of the grades listed above may be screened if there is a suspected hearing and/or vision problem and they are not currently under medical care. Please sign and return this [consent form](#), if you are interested in having your child screened, no later than Monday, May 6th. Only students who have a signed consent form by their parent/guardian are eligible for screening services. Please use one consent form per child.

NEW Chick-fil-A Spirit Night

Join us for a Chick-fil-A Spirit Night on Tuesday, May 7th from 5-8 pm at the Perry Hall location. 20% of the proceeds will be donated to SUS. Carry-out and drive through orders apply.

NEW Archdiocese Logo Design Contest

The Department of Catholic Schools is seeking logo design submissions for the 2024-2025 School Year theme – “Give thanks with a grateful heart” (Thessalonians 5:18). The contest is open to students in grades 4 through 11, currently attending an Archdiocesan Catholic school. The winning design will be used as the official logo for the 2024-25 School Year theme and will be used for marketing and promotion purposes. The logo can be digital, or hand drawn and should illustrate/reflect the theme. All entries must be submitted to Alex Herzberg (alex.herzberg@archbalt.org) by Monday, June 3rd. The winner of the logo design contest will be recognized at the Catholic Schools

Convocation on August 22 and receive a \$50 Amazon gift card. [Click Here](#) for the flyer.

REMINDER High School Placement Test Prep Course

Student Achievement Associates is offering a High school Placement Test Prep Program for **students entering 8th grade**. Please see the flyer linked below for more information:

<https://www.stursula.org/assets/imgs/featured/hspt-prep.png>

REMINDER MAP Testing

Students in grades 2 through 8 will be taking the MAP standardized tests through May 8th. Please see the [calendar](#) on our school website for the schedule. If at all possible, please try not to schedule any appointments for your child during this time period. We appreciate your support!

REMINDER Lucky 1500

The grand prize drawing will be held on May 6th. 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/hL4f2kkJ>.

Unless you have opted out of fundraising, families are responsible for buying or selling a total of four for the school year. If you did not buy/sell the four required tickets, you will be billed for them.

REMINDER BOOST Scholarships

The Maryland State Department of Education is now accepting applications for 2024-25 BOOST scholarship for students in grades K-12. Each year, the BOOST Program grants millions in scholarships to eligible students to attend nonpublic schools. **The application deadline has been extended to Friday, May 10, 2024.** For more information and to apply, please visit: <https://marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/boost/index.aspx>

SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITIES

REMINDER May & June Lunch Volunteers

****Help is especially needed on Wednesdays for hot lunch.**** We are looking for volunteers to help in the lunchroom in May & June. Volunteers are needed from 11:00 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. If you have any questions feel free to contact Laurie Currens at 410-665-3533.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0444AAA62EA5FE3-49307937-lunch>

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.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

REMINDER Catholic High Summer Workshops

Join Catholic High for a summer of fun! We are offering a number of summer workshops in STEM, Visual and Performing Arts, Sports, and HSPT Prep for

rising middle school students and 9th graders. For more information and to register, please visit:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSccRKcG_OYHqgn1zJn7_RR29NvE2pYFgkDY4oXHCXpfFdHRJQ/viewform

REMINDER Calvert Hall Football Camp

Calvert Hall is offering a weeklong youth camp for ages 6-14 in both June and July. This is not tackle football, just skills and drills! For more information and to register, please visit:

<https://calverthall.myschoolapp.com/page/event-detail?siteId=1732&ssl=1@ister=3583>

REMINDER Mercy High School Summer Camps

This year, Mercy is hosting basketball, volleyball, dance, field hockey, cheer, lacrosse, and soccer camps. Camps are open to girls entering grades 6-9 in fall 2024. For more information and to register, please visit:

<https://www.mercyhighschool.com/a-magical-summer-at-mercy>

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.

REMINDER Vacation Bible School

Registration is now open for participants and volunteers! <https://vbspro.events/p/events/stursulaparkville>

REMINDER Summer Service

Summer service will be June 15th through June 21st, June 29th, and August 7th through 11th! This is great opportunity for high school and Confirmation service hours!

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeMUn5legaHPHhVaHRkquhFff0F3aeDeUH8DYRKxSS2QhnRzw/viewform>

Thursday, May 9th 6pm - 7:30pm
A pizza dinner from 6pm-7pm behind the Rectory followed by the Rosary from 7 to 7:30.

The St. Ursula Community is invited to
come together for a **ROSARY TAILGATE**

R.S.V.P. by May 7th to
Deacon David:
david.glassman@archbalt.org

Sponsored by: Knights of Columbus

B.Y.O.Chair

Join us for Pregnancy Center North's
7th Annual Walk for Life

Walk for THEM BOTH

Saturday, May 11 • Walk for Life 2024

Check-in: 8:30 AM • Location: Cathedral of Mary Our Queen

St. Ursula will be joining many other local churches to Walk for Life! This family-friendly event will include a short walk on the Cathedral grounds, light refreshments, kids' games, fun prizes and more.

We are asking our parishioners to consider becoming sponsored walkers to help support this pro-life pregnancy center. Brochures will be available starting next weekend or scan the QR code to donate or sign up to walk for the St. Ursula team!

For more information, contact our church champion, Liz Walz, at ajwalz2@verizon.net.

May Crowning of Our Blessed Mother

To Jesus
Through Mary

Sunday, May 12th
following the 11am Mass

All are invited to bring
fresh cut flowers to
place around the Blessed
Mother Statue.



DISMISSAL SCHEDULE

2:55 pm

Group 1: A - Dr

SUS Lot

3:05 pm

Group 2: Du - Sc

SJ Lot

3:15pm

Group 3: Se - Z

SUS Lot





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