



WHAT'S AHEAD WEDNESDAY



September 6, 2023

A MESSAGE FROM THE SUS LEADERSHIP

Hello St. Ursula Families,

What a great first week we have had! The students (and teachers!) continue to settle into their classroom routines, and it is such a joy to walk around the building and see all of the wonderful learning taking place.

Speaking of last week, has your child told you about our incredible PBIS kickoff assembly? Who does your child have for his/her House saint? We are celebrating our Houses this coming Friday with a special House add-on day. Everyone may come to school adding-on a shirt in your House color or an SUS spirit wear shirt. Let's see that spirit!

Mrs. Leslie Jones - Principal
Mrs. Sarah Marinaro - Assistant Principal

UPDATES & REMINDERS

NEW Walking Permission Form

If your child is walking home from school, please complete [this permission form](#) and return it to your child's homeroom teacher.

NEW Mothers' Club Dues

We would love to have you become an official member of the SUS Mothers' Club! Membership is extended to all St. Ursula moms, as well as any female family members and family influencers of our students. Dues are \$20.00 per person. Please use this Pay-it link to pay your dues.

<https://payit.nelnet.net/form/pCN8hHUV>

NEW Mothers' Club Meeting

Join us for our first Mothers' Club meeting of the school year on Monday, September 18th at 6:45pm in the St. Ursula Church Spiritual Center. Drinks and refreshments will be provided. Please RSVP using the link provided to help us prepare for the meeting. We hope to see you there!

<https://forms.gle/u9pbKhjAhop7hHEz5>

NEW October Hot Lunch

We will once again be offering hot lunches. Hot lunches will only be distributed to those who have prepaid. All orders must be placed through the Pay-it link no later than 8:00 a.m., Thursday, September 13. Late orders cannot be accepted. For more information and to place your order please visit this link:

<https://payit.nelnet.net/form/z4UohPID>

NEW Parkville-Carney Festival

Looking for something fun to do this weekend? Stop by the Parkville-Carney Festival on Saturday, September 9th from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The fair is stationed in the St. Ursula Church parking lot.

NEW Basketball Tryouts

Students in grades 4 through 8 are invited to tryout for the St. Ursula parish basketball teams. Please see the flyer for more details.

NEW Dollar Days

We are inviting the students to participate in Dollar Days. On these days all students are permitted to wear casual attire as long as they pay \$1.00 in advance for the day listed on the form. The total for one student for the year is \$9.00. Be sure to see the guidelines in the handbook regarding dress-down days. Please complete this form and make payment by

Wednesday, September 20, 2023: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/I73O0POo>

NEW Catechetical Sunday 17th

Join the faculty at the 11 a.m. Mass on Sunday, September 17 as we celebrate Catechetical Sunday. All of our teachers will receive a blessing during this Mass as they begin another year of faith formation with your children.

REMINDER High School Night Flyer

Please see the attached flyer for dates and locations for the upcoming High School Nights. We will be hosting an evening at St. Ursula on Thursday, September 28.

REMINDER MAP Testing

We will begin the fall session of our MAP Growth testing the week of September 11, continuing through the following week. If at all possible, please try not to schedule any appointments for your child during this time period. We appreciate your support!

REMINDER Fathers' Club Ice Cream Social & Movie Night

The Fathers' Club invites your family to a Movie Night and Ice Cream Party on Friday, September 15, 2023 in the school gym. Doors will open at 5:00. The

price includes pizza, ice cream, water, juice, and a movie. "The Peanuts Movie" will begin at 6:15. The cost is \$3.00 per person and is limited to school families. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Tickets will not be distributed at the door. Payment is due by Wednesday, September 13, 2023. <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/zyLOCPBi>




2023 HIGH SCHOOL FAIRS
6:00 – 6:30 PM | (Meet & Greet with Admissions Representatives)
6:35 – 8:05 PM | (Information Sessions with Admissions Directors)

SEPTEMBER 18, 2023
St. Joseph School, Fullerton

SEPTEMBER 19, 2023
Immaculate Conception School, Towson

SEPTEMBER 20, 2023
Resurrection-St. Paul School, Ellicott City

SEPTEMBER 21, 2023
Sacred Heart School, Glyndon

SEPTEMBER 25, 2023
Monsignor Slade School, Glen Burnie

SEPTEMBER 26, 2023
School of the Incarnation, Gambrills

SEPTEMBER 27, 2023
Cardinal Shehan School, Northeast Baltimore

SEPTEMBER 28, 2023
St. Ursula School, Parkville

OCTOBER 2, 2023
St. Mark School, Catonsville

OCTOBER 5, 2023
St. Margaret Middle School, Bel Air

Registration Not Required. All Are Welcome to Attend!



St. Ursula Basketball 2023-2024 Registration for Tryouts BOYS AND GIRLS - Grades 4 thru 8

Dates: September 1st-October 1st

Fee: online only
\$90 per player
\$160 - two children, \$; 225-three children
[TO BE PAID AFTER TEAMS ARE SELECTED]
Link: tshq.bluesombrero.com/stursulabk

DO NOT SEND REGISTRATION THROUGH SCHOOL!
Online registration will be held on dates listed above. "MUST REGISTER IN ORDER TO TRYOUT"
Tryouts will start in early October.
Conflicts with other teams/sports will be considered when selecting teams.
Teams will be finalized by late October.
An email will be sent confirming your status, and then proceed with payment if selected.
League games will be played on weekends (Friday - Sunday) from December to February.
All teams will play in two leagues. Possibly same day.
Teams will be eligible for tournaments from November through March including the St Ursula tournament
A tournament fee will be added for each player for certain tournaments.
If you have any questions, please email or text:

Gordon Maki

propaint37@yahoo.com
410-458-3241

SAVE THE DATES

Friday, September 8

- House color / SUS shirt add-on

Saturday, September 9

- Parkville-Carney Festival, St. Ursula Church lot, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 12

- HSPT Registration opens (8th grade). A separate email with details will be sent to parents/guardians of 8th graders.
- Grades 6-8 MAP testing (math)

Wednesday, September 13

- Grades 2-5 MAP testing (math)

Thursday, September 14

- Band Demo for grades 4-8

Friday, September 15

- Grades 6-8 MAP testing (reading)

SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITIES

REMINDER September Lunch Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help in the lunchroom in August & September.

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 the school office.
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0444aaa62ea5fe3-lunch9#/>

PARISH NEWS



JOIN OUR GREEN TEAM

The Green Team joins Pope Francis & the World in praying for and taking action to care for our common home as outlined in Pope Francis' May 2023 encyclical *Laus Dei: Care for the Common Home*.

"All of us can cooperate as instruments of God for the care of creation, each according to his or her own culture, experience, involvements, and talents." (Laus Dei SF 34)

stursulaparis.org/greenteam

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INTERESTED?? Please email Tanya Ray at greenteamsucc@gmail.com

Family Liturgy every 3rd Sunday of the Month at the 11am Mass!



"Donut Days" every 4th Sunday of the month after the 9am Mass!

Children's Liturgy of the Word every 4th Sunday of the month during the 11am Mass!



Parish Ministry Weekend
September 16th and 17th

WE ARE THE LIFE OF OUR PARISH AND YOUR VOLUNTEER EFFORTS AND TIME ARE WHAT WE NEED TO CONTINUE THRIVING!



Come to the Spiritual Center and see the magnificent showcase of the many volunteer ministries within our parish community!

COME AND JOIN OUR **ROSARY GUILD**

EVERY SECOND FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH STARTING SEPTEMBER 8TH! 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!



SCRIPTURE STUDY




TUESDAYS, 7PM IN THE SPIRITUAL CENTER
SEPTEMBER 19TH - NOVEMBER 28TH

Lectio: Salvation New Life in Christ

At every Sunday Mass, Catholics confess that Jesus came down from heaven "for us men and for our salvation." But what does "salvation" mean? In this remarkable 10-part video series, Scripture scholar and theologian Michael Patrick Barber provides a thorough, deeply Catholic, and deeply biblical, answer.

To register:
Click here or stop by the Parish Office!
\$15 per person
Questions? Please contact Bernie Miller via email: bernadine.miller@archbalt.org



Come as you are.

YOU ARE WELCOME HERE

Make authentic connections with other women
Refresh and refresh | Learn more about God

The *Walking the Divine* Bible study focuses on qualities of Jesus revealed through the Gospel of John. This study draws us into a deeper, loving relationship with Jesus as we reflect on his life and personality.

Saint John referred to himself as "the disciple whom Jesus loved" and so the study, John will teach us how much Jesus loves us and how His love is the true satisfaction of our souls.

ST. URSULA SPIRITUAL CENTER
TUESDAYS, 9:30 - 12:00 PM
8300 W. 120th

Questions? Contact Linda: 410-681-8888, email: linda@stursula.com
or Kathy at 410-318-8752, email: kathy@stursula.com



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YOUTH MINISTRY



EDGE is our Middle School Ministry program for 6th - 8th graders and meets 1x a month. EDGE helps middle schoolers encounter Jesus through monthly events and activities. As they play games, laugh, and enjoy each other's company, teens will learn more about their faith and come to know Jesus in a deeper, personal way. Small groups help teens build each other up through friendship and encouragement.

SCAN QR CODE FOR
EDGE SCHEDULE



**ST. URSULA YOUTH MINISTRY
VISIT US @ THE PARKVILLE FAIR!!
SEPT 9 10A-3P**



**Dunking Times
Fr. Jason 11a-11:30a
Mrs. Jones 12-12:30p**



MASS TIMES

For those who are planning to worship as part of our St. Ursula Catholic Community, please be reminded of the Mass times: Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. and Sundays at 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 11:00 a.m.



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