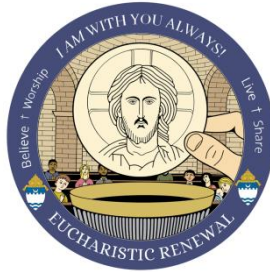


Cougar Connection

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August 12, 2022



Mission: *St. James School provides faith formation and a holistic educational experience which enables students to become self-confident, contributing members of society.*

UPCOMING DATES:

August 16- Open House!
6:30 – 7:30

August 17- 3-day preschool begins.

-8:30 Mass with Fr. Andrew

August 18- 2-day preschool begins

August 18th – Free Dress

August 19 – 8:30 Mass with Fr. Betz



WELCOME TO THE 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR!

Welcome back to school for the 2022-23 year, where our diocesan theme is "Eucharistic Renewal." It was so nice to start placing student and family names to faces. Thank you all for such a warm welcome to St. James.

We would also like to welcome a few new faces here at St. James this year. First we welcome Father Andrew Thomas to St. James. The students and staff are so excited to be joining Fr. Andrew every Wednesday for 8:30 Mass. We are also welcoming Mrs. Erica Elpers. Many may remember her for her student teaching experience last school year, and now she will be our 1st grade teacher. Joining us as the new Youth First Counselor is Emily Sommers. We are also excited to announce that Karen Adler will be our new 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade resource aide.

SPIRIT WEAR IS HERE!

Please check out the following links for Spirit Wear all online. Hurry! Orders must be submitted by SUNDAY, AUG. 21

Volleyball <https://institchesemblc.squarespace.com/st-james-volleyball-2022/>

Soccer <https://institchesemblc.squarespace.com/st-james/>

Cross country <https://institchesemblc.squarespace.com/st-james-cross-country-2022/>

Spiritwear (2 designs) <https://institchesemblc.squarespace.com/st-james-spiritwear-2-designs-2022/>

REMINDER:

Please turn in all Voucher, Green Emergency Cards, and all other Registration Packet Information on Monday, August 15th.

SCHOOL LUNCH: This year, students will be charged \$2.75 for school lunch. If your child is bringing a lunch box, they still have the option to get a school lunch or extras, but please talk with your child if you do not want them to be charged for school lunch. Please send in all student lunch money in clearly labeled envelopes as needed. Students in grades 3-8 may still purchase an extra entrée or healthy snack at lunch time. Please contact our cafeteria manager, Tamrun Sokeland, at tsokeland@evdio.org if you have questions about school lunches.

7TH AND 8TH GRADE FEEDER SCHOOL DANCES

7th and 8th graders received the dance directives and a permission slip to attend the dances this year on Thursday. Students who return their signed permission slips will receive their dance ID's for the westside feeder school dances. Students will not be admitted into the dances without a current yellow ID and \$5. Please make a special note of the strict dress code guidelines at the dances. Please see the first dance flyer at Corpus Christi attached!

Lunch Menu
August 15-19, 2022

August 15
BBQ Pork Sandwich
Potato Wedges
Baked Beans
Fruit
Milk
National Creamsicle Day

August 16
Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce
Caesar Salad
Garlic Toast
Fruit
Milk

August 17
Hamburger/Cheeseburger
French Fries
Corn
Fruit
Milk

August 18
Chicken Fried Steak
Mashed Potatoes
Green Beans
Roll
Fruit
Milk

August 19
Hot Dog/Chili Dog
Garden Salad
Crunchy Carrots
Fresh Fruit Friday
Milk

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EIGHTH GRADE MUM FUNDRAISER

The eighth grade class is selling mums to raise money for their class trip to Camp Ondessonk. The mums are from Rexing's Blumenhaus and are \$10 each. Orders are due August 26. To place an order, contact a St. James 8th grader or call the school office at 812-867-2661. Delivery will be Sept. 23.

FACEBOOK:

Check out our first 2 days back to school on Facebook!

Please like and share everything you see! We have wonderful things going on at St. James and we could use your help to get our message and story out to the community.

<https://www.facebook.com/stjameshaubstadt/>

PE, and uniform orders were due today. If you still have an order, please send it to school by Monday, August 15, so we can get things ordered soon.

Future Wildcat forms are due Monday, Aug 15th. If you still have an order please send it in. They will be picking them up Monday

Our first "Free Dress" of the year will be this coming Thursday, August 18. Please see the Parent/Teacher Handbook for free dress guidelines, including no sleeveless shirts or torn jeans, etc... The handbook may be found at <https://www.stjameshaubstadt.com> along with any other questions you may have.

Don't Forget to come see us at Open House on Tuesday, August 16th from 6:30p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

You will have the opportunity to meet Fr. Andrew, the teachers, and get to explore your student's classroom!

Volunteer Opportunity!

We are in need of some volunteer library helpers. Only needed on Monday mornings from 8-10:30 and you may work as often or little as you like. Please contact Eric Chamberlain at echamberlain@evdio.org

Digital Attachments:

- St. Philip Bidy Ball for K,1,2
- Dance Flyer

Interested in Chess Club? Please reach out to Logan Stalions at @coachloganchess@gmail.com
All ages welcome!

Hard Copies in Folder:

- Dance Directives – 7th and 8th grade only (Sent home Thurs.)
- Faith Sharing with Sr. Irma
- Mum's Fundraiser
- Weekday Server Request Form
- Boys 6-8 Middle School Tennis
- PTA Sign-up Sheet
- Gibson County Soccer