



# Shamrock News

The yearly St. Patrick School Calendar is [here](#).

10/27/23

**2024-25 Financial Aid Applications:** The [application](#) and [instructions](#) were emailed to all families. The deadline for round one is December 3, 2023. This applies for students in grades K-12. **A new application must be filled out each year.** This information can also be found on the school website under Prospective Families, Tuition/Scholarships. Please contact the office for assistance. The sooner you apply, the better!

**K-5 Arrival and Dismissal next week:** Because of the ongoing church roof project, the alternate arrival and dismissal procedures for K-5 will remain the same for next week. We will notify you as soon as we can resume to regular procedures.

**Report Cards:** An email was sent out this week informing you that report cards for the first quarter (grades K-12) are available on the Infinite Campus Parent/Student Portal.

**Last day for shorts:** The last day that students can wear school uniform shorts to school is Tuesday, October 31st.

**Veterans Day:** Do you know a Veteran? Please invite them to attend our Veterans Day Observance on Friday, November 10 at 10 am in the gym. Cookies and Coffee Reception to follow in the Parish Hall.

**Halloween Parties and Parade:** Halloween parties will take place on Tuesday, October 31. Please see your child's classroom newsletter for the time. The elementary Halloween parade will take place at 3:15pm. You can watch the parade in the gym. Students may be signed out from their classroom at dismissal if parents would like to take them home.

**Halloween Costumes:** As you are buying/making Halloween costumes, please remember that we have a **NO** weapons (real or pretend), gore, blood, or make-up policy.

**Young Adults Dinner & Speaker:** Young adults of the Parish (married and single, 18-35) are invited to share a dinner together as we kick off our young adult ministry with guest presenters, Aaron Thelen and Lori Perrie on Tuesday, November 21, 7-9pm. Topic of discussion will be "building community". Dinner provided, no cost to attend, but please RSVP to Carolyn: [carolynheckman@portlandstpats.org](mailto:carolynheckman@portlandstpats.org). Meet in the teacher's lounge (room 203) and use door #8 (corner of Center and West Streets).

## Friday, Nov. 3

No School - Diocesan Professional Development Day  
No Preschool, Daycare open

## Wednesday, Nov. 15

No School - Opening Day  
No Preschool, Daycare open

## Wednesday - Friday, November 22-24

Thanksgiving Break  
Daycare open on Nov. 22

## Wednesday, December 20 - Tuesday, January 2

Christmas Break  
December 20 = 1/2 day no PS, School resumes on January 3  
Daycare closed December 25-29

**Shamrock Apparel Pre-Order at Fabricated Customs:** Shamrock jackets, sweatshirts, hoodies, t-shirts and hats are now available for pre-order from Fabricated Customs. The orders will arrive in time for Christmas! <https://fabricatedcustoms.com/collections/st-patrick-schools-fall-winter>



This pre-order will close on **November 5th, 2023 at 8pm**. Please make sure all orders are submitted before then. All garments will print and distribute within 2-3 weeks of the pre-order close date.



## Calendar of Events



10/27 Var. Cross Country Regionals @ Webberville 4p  
10/28 Var. FB Regional Semifinal vs. Fulton @ PHS 7p  
10/30 5th gr. Boys BB @ St. Mary 6p  
10/31 Last day for uniform shorts  
Elementary Halloween Parties - see class newsletters  
PS-5 Halloween Parade in gym 3:15p  
11/1 All Saints Day Mass - all school 9:30a

Quiz Bowl @ SPS 4:30p  
11/2 Mass for K-8 9:30a  
Var. VB MHSAA District @ Fruitport Calvary Christian 7p  
11/3 No School, Daycare Open  
11/4 Cross Country State Finals @ MIS 9a  
5/6 gr. Boys BB vs. St. Thomas @ SPS 9a  
11/5 Daylight Saving Time Ends

# St. Patrick High School and Middle School

## Honor Roll for First Quarter 2023-2024

### 12th Grade

Devin Cook  
Janelle Dugan  
Alaina Forist  
Arianna FoxElster  
Shawn Frawley  
Tyler Groothuis  
Kyra Kinsman  
Isabelle Kissane  
Emily Luna  
Ellayna Meredith  
Nevaeh Miller  
Riley Mosser  
Olivia Pung  
Victoria Sandborn  
Addison Scheurer  
Rylee Scheurer  
Sophia Schrauben  
Lucas Simon  
Emily Snitgen  
Marley Weems  
Nicole Weems  
Hannah Weller

### 11th Grade

Maggie Bengel  
Charlotte Bergsma  
Ashlyn Clay  
Clara Corbeil  
Nathan Fears  
Kenzie Fedewa  
Olivia Rockey  
Isabella Russman  
Brayden Simon  
Landon Simpson  
Gabriel Wernet  
Simon White

### 10th Grade

Brody Beckhold  
Braden Bozung  
TJ Chamberlain  
Isaac FoxElster  
Gavin Groothuis  
Mattie Honsowitz  
Hudson King  
Logan Krieger  
Brady Leonard  
Amalia Lobato  
Aiden Mosser  
Maizie Pelc  
Nicholas Pung  
Lily Sandborn  
Augustus Teachworth  
Charles Thelen  
Eden Zimmerman

### 9th Grade

Lillian Anthony  
Francis Austen  
Sophia Bergsma  
Kaeden Brown  
Katrina Chen  
David Clay  
Marian Davlin  
Sean Fedewa  
Naomi Hass  
Logan Howe  
Alexis Knoop  
Jorja McCall  
James Miller  
Caleb Pline  
Gracelyn Rockey  
Isaiah Rockey  
Siena Schafer  
Jerryd Scheurer  
Tyler Schneider  
Mason Simon  
Macie Smith  
Tyler Thelen  
Benjamin White

### 8th Grade

Maria Austen  
Charles Bozung  
Theodore Brown  
Reese Chamberlain  
Ivan Chen  
Gavin Darling  
Kennedy Drake  
Joanna Dugan  
Emmet Fandel  
Charlotte Frazee  
Levi Knoop  
Morgan Krieger  
Lily Kwiecinski  
Olivia Martin  
Alice Newman  
Eloise Nichols  
Peyton Schafer  
Maximus Schellberg  
Shane Smith  
Julia White

### 7th Grade

Isabel Anthony  
Patrick Austen  
Reed Boyd  
Simon Fedewa  
Evelyn Hager  
Amelia Lansdell  
Jordyn Lansdell  
Olivia Lansdell  
Macie Leonard  
Adelle Martin  
Maci Morris  
Kerrigan Newman  
Tanner Owen  
Vivian Rockey  
Evan Ryder  
Benjamin Smith  
Olivia Stahl  
Trevor Tichvon

### 6th Grade

Madelyn Bergsma  
Billy Brown  
Emerson Brown  
Bree Chamberlain  
Hallie Davis  
Ian Fandel  
Kiley Hengesbach  
Bella Hinds  
Rhett Honsowitz  
Addison Knoop  
Mary Kwiecinski  
Morgan Miller  
Josie Pung  
Titus Rockey  
Joesie Russman  
Olivia Schafer  
Easton Scheurer  
Lucian VanderMey

# CHRISTMAS CHOIR



## ALL Singers Grade 4 thru College

**Christmas Choir rehearsal begins Saturday - Nov 4th**

Rehearsals will be held in the Music Room at St. Patrick School  
(Enter thru the doors at the corner of West & Center Streets)

Please reserve the following dates and times:

**11/4, 11/11, 11/18, 12/2, 12/9 from 10:00am - 11:30am**

**12/16 and 12/22 from 10:00am - NOON**

**We will be singing at the 6:00pm Christmas Eve Mass**

Registration NOT required

Questions? Call Mr. James Tavadze at 647-6505 ext. 423

**NOTE: College Age Singers must have attended a  
Protecting God's Children Awareness Session**





*St. Patrick Catholic School*  
*Faculty, Staff, and Students*  
*Cordially Invite You to our annual ...*  
**Veterans Day**

**Observance**

*Friday, November 10, 2023*

*10:00 AM*

*School Gymnasium*

*Cookies and Coffee reception*

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**We Pray! We Learn! We Achieve!**

**Mission Effectiveness Committee:** Please consider participating on the school board to represent Mission Effectiveness. Responsibilities include policies, planning, and enhancing the Catholic identity of the school. You would collaborate with staff and work with programs already in place. There are always opportunities for new ideas too!

On the practical side, we meet six times a year on Tuesdays after the 6pm Mass in August, October, December, February, April, and May. Meetings last about two hours. Subject work is done independently of the board meetings and varies in time commitment.

Meet the team and learn more about us: [Administration/School Board - St. Patrick School \(portlandstpats.com\)](https://portlandstpats.com)

Please reach out to Connie Vallier (517-647-2225), Mr. Hodge, Mrs. Smith, or any of the board members if you have any questions or would like to learn more. I look forward to hearing from you and hope that you can share your time and talents to serve the students, families, and St. Patrick School.

**Portland Community Fund:** Christmas Giving Program Applications are available in the school office. The form is due on Monday, November 13th at City Hall. This is available to residents within the Portland School District.