

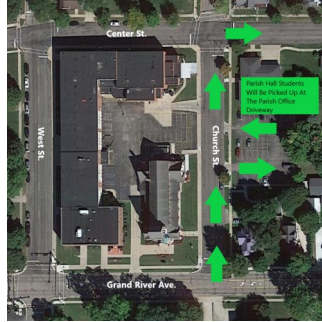


Shamrock News

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

2/14/25

Dismissal on Feb. 21: Please be aware that there will be a funeral taking place during our half day dismissal on Friday, February 21. There will be extra vehicles in the area due to the funeral. Elementary gym steps dismissal will remain the same. Elementary parish hall dismissal will change to the parish office garage on Center Street. Turn north onto Church Street from Grand River Ave. and line up through the parish office parking lot then continue on Church Street turning right onto Center Street. Students will load into cars beginning at the parish office garage on Center Street.



Progress Reports: Progress reports for the third quarter for grades 3-12 are available on the Infinite Campus Parent/Student Portal.

Wine and Wills: St. Patrick School is sponsoring Wine and Wills! Join Madarang Hoort & Associates to learn the basics of estate planning, so you can best plan for, protect, and prioritize your loved ones. We will discuss Wills, Trusts, Power of Attorneys (Financial and Medical) and Deeds. Monday, March 10th at 6:30 pm at The Port.

Save the Date: St. Patrick School Open House will take place on Wednesday, March 19 from 4:30pm - 6:00pm. All are welcome!

Shamrock Auction: The Shamrock Auction is fast approaching! Be sure to mark your calendars for April 25th. Do you have a special skill, valuable item, or some time to spare? The auction committee is always on the lookout for volunteers to join the team or assist on the night of the event. If you have any items or talents you'd like to donate or interested in sponsoring the event, please drop them off at the school office or get in touch with Michelle Trierweiler.

Monday, February 17
No busing - PPS not in session

Friday, February 21
1/2 day of school - No preschool, no afterschool childcare
6-12 dismissed at 11:25a, DK-5 dismissed at 11:40a
No busing at dismissal
**Parish hall pick-up change

Friday, March 7
No School - Staff Professional Development

You and your spouse are cordially invited to attend



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ST. PATRICK MARRIAGE GALA

KNIGHTS HALL
Portland, MI

\$50/couple ♦ Suits & Ties for Men & Dresses for Women Encouraged
Drinks, Meal & a Night of Dancing Included with Ticket



Full event details and to purchase your tickets please visit <https://one.bidpal.net/marriagegala2025>



Calendar of Events



- 2/14 Middle School Winter Dance in Parish Hall 6-8p
JV & Var. Boys BB vs. Saranac @ PMS 6p
Var. Girls BB @ Saranac 7p
- 2/17 No Busing - PPS not in session
Var. Bowling (Boys only) vs. Carson City-Crystal in Sheridan 3p
- 2/18 7/8 gr. Girls BB @ P-W 5p
JV & Var. Boys BB @ Bellevue 5:30p
5/6 gr. Girls BB @ St. Thomas 6p
- 2/19 All School Mass 9:30a
JV & Var. Girls BB @ Bellevue 5:30p
- 2/20 No School Mass
Var. Bowling MHSAA Team Regionals @ Mt. Pleasant
Ionia County Career Center Open House 4-6p

- 8th gr. Girls BB @ Saranac 5:30p
JV & Var. Boys BB vs. Dansville @ PMS 6p
PTO Meeting in Parish Hall 6p
- 2/21 1/2 day of school - see above
Mass for grades 9-12 8a
Var. Bowling MHSAA Individual Regionals @ Mt. Pleasant
Parent/Teacher Conferences by appointment
Var. Girls BB vs. Dansville @ PMS 7p
- 2/22 5th gr. Girls BB vs. St. Mary (Williamston) @ SPS 10a
6th gr. Girls BB vs. St. Joseph (SJ) @ SPS 11:10a
Marriage Gala @ Knights Hall 5:45p
Var. Girls BB vs. Ovid Elsie @ PMS 7p

ALL ARE WELCOME!

St. Patrick School Open House



WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 2025

4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

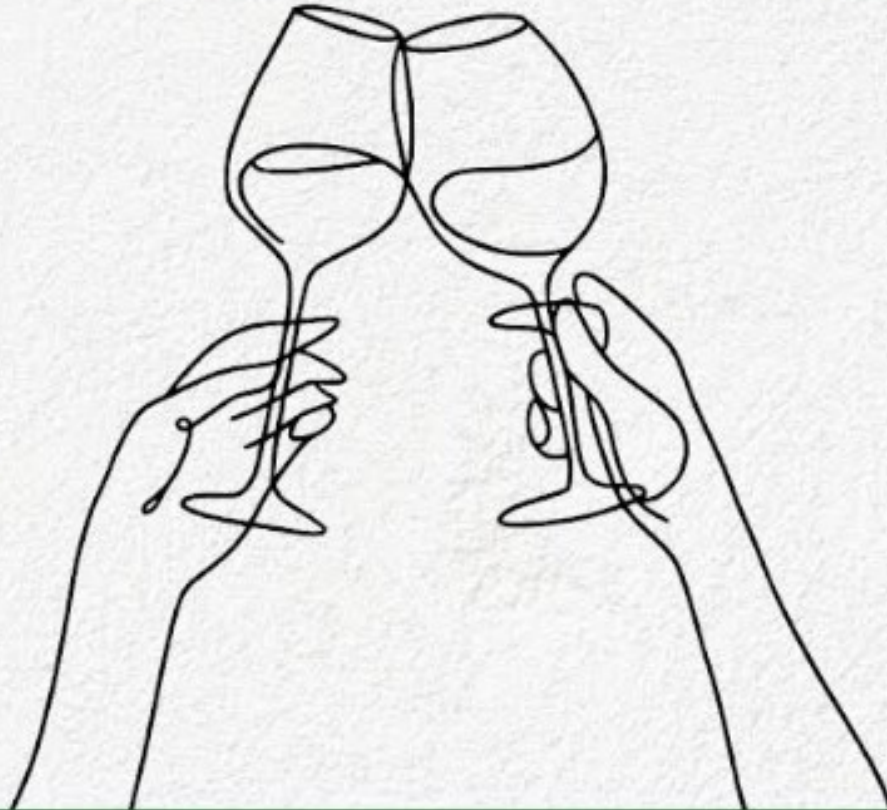
**Daycare
Preschool
DK - 12th grade**



**. Apply now!
. Enrollment opening soon!**

We Pray! We Learn! We Achieve!

Wine & Wills



Join Madarang Hoort & Associates
March 10th | 6:30 pm | The Port

Wills | Trusts | Power of Attorneys | Deeds



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LAW OFFICES





SAVE *the* DATE

SHAMROCK AUCTION

2025

FRIDAY

APRIL 25

*Doors open at 6pm
Knights Hall, Portland*



- DINNER & DRINKS
- RAFFLES & 50/50
- SILENT / LIVE AUCTIONS
- ENTERTAINMENT

A NIGHT AT THE
MASTERS TOURNAMENT

Buy tickets and follow updates on the auction website:
www.bidpal.net/shamrockauction2025



St. Patrick School Shamrock Auction

April 25, 2025

Knights Hall, Portland

Sponsorship Levels and Benefits

PLATINUM	\$5,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ Full page ad in the auction program ★ Company name & logo listed prominently on the auction website (bidpal.net/shamrockauction2025) ★ Featured post on the St. Patrick School & Auction Facebook pages ★ Name prominently displayed on sponsorship banner at the auction ★ Special acknowledgement the night of the event ★ 4 free entry tickets and premium seating for the event
GOLD	\$2,500	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ ½ page ad in the auction program ★ Company name & logo listed on the auction website (bidpal.net/shamrockauction2025) ★ Promotion on the St. Patrick School & Auction Facebook pages ★ Name prominently displayed on sponsorship banner at the auction ★ 4 free entry tickets
SILVER	\$1,250	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ ¼ page ad in the auction program ★ Promotion on the auction website (bidpal.net/shamrockauction2025) ★ Acknowledgement on the St. Patrick School & auction Facebook pages ★ Promotion on the auction website & Facebook page ★ Name prominently displayed on sponsorship banner at the auction ★ 2 free entry tickets
FOOD & DRINK	\$1,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ Company name listed with sponsors in auction program ★ Promotion on the auction website (bidpal.net/shamrockauction2025) ★ Acknowledgement on the St. Patrick School & auction Facebook pages ★ Name displayed on sponsorship banner at the auction ★ 2 free entry tickets
BRONZE	\$500	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ Company name listed with sponsors in auction program ★ Listed on the auction website (bidpal.net/shamrockauction2025) ★ Acknowledgement on the St. Patrick School & auction Facebook pages
SHAMROCK	other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ All donations are appreciated - large or small! All donors will be recognized on Facebook and the auction website

St. Patrick School is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization under the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Federal taxpayer ID # is 38-1390536.

Use one of two convenient methods below to complete your auction sponsorship.

- Mail your donation and the completed registration form to St. Patrick School.
- Complete your donation online using the QR code below or by accessing the auction website via bidpal.net/shamrockauction2025

Sponsorship Registration

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Platinum: \$5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Gold: \$2,500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Silver: \$1,250 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Food & Drink: \$1,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze: \$500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Shamrock: \$_____ |

Name(s) Business/Organization

List Sponsorship Name As

Address

City State & Zip

Daytime Phone Email

*Make checks payable to St. Patrick School and mail to 122 West St, Portland, MI 48875





OPEN House



**NEW DATE:
2/20/2025**

2/6/2025 ↗

4-6 PM

**250 E. TUTTLE RD.,
IONIA, MI 48846**

COMPUTER PROGRAMMING
CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY
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MACHINE TOOL
PLANT & ANIMAL SCIENCE

IT IS THE POLICY OF IONIA COUNTY INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT NO PERSON ON THE BASIS OF RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN OR ANCESTRY, AGE, GENDER, HEIGHT, WEIGHT, MATERNAL STATUS, OR DISABILITY SHALL BE SUBJECTED TO DISCRIMINATION IN ANY PROGRAM, SERVICE, ACTIVITY OR IN EMPLOYMENT FOR WHICH IT IS RESPONSIBLE. INQUIRIES RELATED TO DISCRIMINATION SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO: PLANNER/MONITOR, 2191 HARWOOD ROAD, IONIA, MI 48846 (616-527-4900)



FEBRUARY 2025 NEWSLETTER



SPRING SPORTS REGISTRATION

Registration is now open for the following spring sports. For more information, visit portland-michigan.org. Sign up online at portlandmi.recdesk.com. **Deadline: March 31, 2025**

- **DK/KINDERGARTEN COACH PITCH:** \$50 Res/\$60 NR
- **1ST/2ND GRADE SOFTBALL:** \$50 Res/\$60 NR
- **4/5 YEAR OLD FLAG FOOTBALL:** \$50 Res/\$60 NR
- **MEN'S SOFTBALL:** Team Fee (\$500) + Player Fees (\$200/10 players or \$20 Res/\$30 NR)
- **COED SOFTBALL:** Team Fee (\$400) + Player Fees (\$200/10 players or \$20 Res/\$30 NR)



	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Notes
Aug 2025	11	12	13	14	15	August 2025 18 Welcome Back Open House (5:30-7:00p) 20 First Day of School: Grades DK-12 (full day) 25-26 First Day of School: Preschool 29 No School - Labor Day Break
	18	19	20	21	22	
	25	26	27	28	29	
Sep 2025	1	2	3	4	5	September 2025 1 No School - Labor Day Break
	8	9	10	11	12	
	15	16	17	18	19	
Oct 2025	22	23	24	25	26	October 2025 3 No School - Diocesan PD Day 17 End of 1st Quarter 23 Half Day (grades 6-12: 7:30-11:25a grades DK-5: 8:40-11:40a) 23 Parent/Teacher Conferences (gr 6-12: 12:00-3:00p and 4:00-7:00p gr DK-5: 12:30-3:30p and 4:30-7:30p) 24 No School
	29	30	1	2	3	
	6	7	8	9	10	
Nov 2025	13	14	15	16	17	November 2025 26-28 No School - Thanksgiving Break
	20	21	22	23	24	
	27	28	29	30	31	
Dec 2025	3	4	5	6	7	December 2025 19 Half Day - Christmas Break begins (7:30-11:30a/8:40-11:30a) End of 1st Semester 22-2JAN No School - Christmas Break
	10	11	12	13	14	
	17	18	19	20	21	
Jan 2026	24	25	26	27	28	January 2026 5 School Resumes 19 No School - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
	1	2	3	4	5	
	8	9	10	11	12	
Feb 2026	15	16	17	18	19	February 2026 6 Half Day (7:30-11:25a/8:40-11:40a) 6 Parent/Teacher Conferences (gr 6-12: 12:00-3:00p gr DK-5: 12:30-3:30p all by appointment only) 9 No School - Mid-Winter Break
	22	23	24	25	26	
	29	30	31	1	2	
Mar 2026	[5	6	7	8	9	March 2026 6 No School - Staff PD 20 End of 3rd Quarter
	12	13	14	15	16	
	19	20	21	22	23	
Apr 2026	26	27	28	29	30	April 2026 3 No School - Good Friday 6-10 No School - Spring Break
	2	3	4	5	6	
	9	10	11	12	13	
May 2026	16	17	18	19	20	May 2026 15 Last Day for Seniors (full day) 17 Class of 2026 Graduation Ceremony 18-19 Last Day for Preschool (PS Promotion Ceremony on May 20) 25 No School - Memorial Day
	23	24	25	26	27	
	30	31	1	2	3	
Jun 2026	6	7	8	9	10	June 2026 4 Half day - Last Day for Students DK-11 (7:30-11:30a/8:40-11:30a) End of 2nd Semester
	13	14	15	16	17	
	20	21	22	23	24	

no school half day

Daily Schedule	
Preschool:	8:30a-11:30a and 12:30p-3:30p
Grades KG-5:	8:40a-3:45p (lunch 11:50a-12:35p)
Grades 6-12:	7:30a-2:20p (lunch 11:06/09-11:37/39)
Mass DK-8:	Thursday at 9:30a
Mass 9-12:	Wednesday at 9:30a

- St. Patrick School reserves the right to make calendar changes as necessary. Q1: 40
- This calendar contains 180 days of student instruction. Q2: 41
- Up to 4 half days are allowed. Diocesan and State of Michigan criteria have been met. Q3: 52
- Inclement weather days beyond statutory limit of six (6) days will be virtual/remote learning days. Q4: 47