

# Shamrock News

The yearly St. Patrick School Calendar is here.

10/23/25

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

Handbook Update: The School Board members have been updated in the handbook. The handbook is located on the website under the About Us tab, documents/forms.

**Veterans Day**: St. Patrick School will have a ceremony to honor local Veterans on Nov. 11 at 10 am. The ceremony and reception is open to Veterans and their families. Students may wear a red, white, and blue shirt with dress code bottoms.

**2026-27 Financial Aid Applications**: The application and instructions were emailed to all families. The deadline for round one is December 1, 2025. This applies for students in grades DK-11. 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!

Picture Retake Day: If you didn't like your picture or were absent, picture retake day is on Tuesday, October 28 from 10:30 am - 1:00 pm. For those students who would like to get their picture retaken and bought a package, they **MUST** bring their package to the photographer for an even exchange, as pictures will not be reprinted unless those are returned.

Last day for shorts: The last day students can wear school uniform shorts to school is Friday, October 31st. Shorts can only be worn by using an out of dress code slip.

City of Portland Scheduled Power Outage: This power outage is scheduled for Saturday, November 1 at 11:00 pm and should conclude by Sunday, November 2 at 8:00 am. Because of the power outage, the heating system in the Church will not be running during the night so the morning Masses may be chilly. Please dress appropriately.

#### Friday, October 24

No School

### Monday & Tuesday, November 24 & 25

No Busing - PPS not in session

#### Wednesday-Friday, November 26-28

No School - Thanksgiving Break

Halloween Parties and Parade: Halloween parties will take place in the afternoon on Friday, 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 early.

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.

**Pay it Forward Day**: This is a day of service where our students do community service such as raking leaves or small service projects in our community. It will take place on Friday, October 31. Students in grades 6-12 are asked to bring rakes and tarps to school (please put names on them). Rakes are not allowed on the bus so make plans to drop them off in advance. Students in grades DK-5 will be working on tidying the school/parish campus. It will also be an out of dress code day. If you know someone within walking distance of the school that needs their yard raked or have a small project, please contact the school by October 29 at 3:00





### **Calendar of Events**



10/24 No School

Var. FB vs. Montabella @ PHS 7p

10/25 Var. VB CMAC Championship @ Perry 8a

Var. CC MHSAA Regional Meet @ Allendale HS 8a

HS Homecoming Dance 7-9p

10/28 School Picture Retake Day 10:30a-1:00p

JV & Var. VB vs. Vestaburg @ SPS 5:30p

10/29 Esports Club in room 211 4p

Var. Quiz Bowl @ Fowler 4:30p

10/30 JV VB Quad @ Ionia 5p

Var. VB Quad @ Hastings 5p

10/31 Last day for uniform shorts

Out of dress code day

Pay it Forward Day

Elementary Halloween parties & parade in the afternoon

11/1 Var. CC MHSAA Finals @ MIS 8a

5/6 Boys BB vs. St. Mary @ SPS 10a

11/2 Daylight Saving Time ends

## Virtue Corner

### Virtue of the Week: Gratitude

This falls under the cardinal virtue of justice, which enables us to give to each, beginning with God, what is due to them.

**Definition**: Thankful disposition of mind and heart.

### **Opposing Trait:**

Not expressing appreciation; taking other people and things for granted.

### Scripture: Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem he was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. And as he entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance and lifted up their voices and said, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." When he saw them he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; and he fell on his face at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. Then said Jesus, "Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" And he said to him, "Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

### **Family Discussion Challenge:**

Each day tell one another three things that you are grateful for!

## Invite a Veteran to attend!







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

## **Veterans Day**







## **Observance**

Tuesday, November 11, 2025 10:00 AM School Gymnasium





St. Patrick Catholic School, 122 West St Portland, Michigan 48875 (517)647-7551

### St. Patrick High School and Middle School

### Honor Roll for First Quarter 2025-2026

### 12th Grade

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

#### 11th Grade

Lillian Anthony Francis Austen Brandsen Brown Kaeden Brown Katrina Chen Marian Davlin Sean Fedewa Naomi Hass Logan Howe Alexis Knoop Emma Martin Caleb Pline **Gracelyn Rockey** Isaiah Rockey Siena Schafer Jerryd Scheurer Tyler Schneider Mason Simon Macie Smith Tyler Thelen Benjamin White

### 10th Grade

Maria Austen **Charles Bozung** Theodore Brown Reese Chamberlain Ivan Chen **Gavin Darling** Kennedy Drake Joanna Dugan Charlotte Frazee Darren Hengesbach Aislynn King Levi Knoop Morgan Krieger Olivia Martin Alice Newman **Peyton Schafer** Shane Smith Julia White

### 9th Grade

**Isabel Anthony** Patrick Austen Reed Boyd Simon Fedewa Amelia Lansdell Jordyn Lansdell Olivia Lansdell Macie Leonard Augustus Lewanski Adelle Martin Maci Morris Liam Mosser Caleb Mulford Kerrigan Newman **Ethan Nickols Tanner Owen** Vivian Rockey Nolan Schafer Benjamin Smith Olivia Stahl

Donovan Tirado

### 8th Grade

Bianca Bretschneider Billy Brown **Emerson Brown** Bree Chamberlain Hallie Davis Ian Fandel Jackson Geissler **Layton Gross** Kiley Hengesbach Bella Hinds Rhett Honsowitz Kinsley King Addison Knoop Mary Kwiecinski Elliott Lafler Morgan Miller Josie Pung **Titus Rockey** Joesie Russman Olivia Schafer **Easton Scheurer** Lucian VanderMey

### 7th Grade

Maeve Dailey Mason Forist Lawson Graszler Claire Haskin Faith Higbee **Blair Lafferty** Owen Leik Ignatius Lewanski Ainsley Martin **Audrey Martin** Jameson Miller Josephine Nickols **Gentry Rockey** Noah Schneider Westin Schrauben Harper Smith Henry Smith **Brooke Thelen** Jane Tichvon Aiden Trierweiler **Brody Trierweiler** David White Elizabeth Wight

### 6th Grade

Daniel-Jaymes Allen Benedict Austen Nicholas Brown Ethan Chamberlain Natalie Cote Rilev Davis Sadie Easlick Wyatt Fox Cameron Geissler Roman Keusch Cora Kissane Ava Klein Sarah Kwiecinski Evan Lansdell Carter Lenneman Gabriel McCormack **Hudson Newman** Easton O'Neill Gracelyn Pung Isaac Pung Oliver Schneider **Avery Smith** Natalie Woodman

ST. PATRICK APPAREL FROM FABRICATED CUSTOMS

# New White Apparel Collection

ST. PATRICK SHAMROCKS

PURITY, JOY, GLORY,









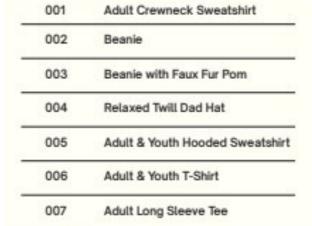
THEY THAT OVERCOME SHALL BE CLOTHED IN WHITE AND WILL BE IN THE BOOK OF LIFE.

Keep warm this winter and show Catholic pride all year long at games and on spirit days.





In case you missed it...





Alumni shirts available too!



SHOP THE COLLECTION NOW. SCAN QR CODE TO ACCESS ONLINE STORE. CLOSES 8PM 11/2/25.

### **HAPPY SOCK-TOBER!!**

St. Patrick School will be partnering with The Michigan State
Police Training Division to collect brand NEW socks of all sizes
and colors from October 1 - October 28, 2025.

Delivery date 10/29/25.

This Corporal Work of Mercy will make a huge difference!

All donations will go to Homeless Angels.

What a great way for our community to help those in need!

Warm Feet!! Warm Hearts!!!



