



# Newsletter #9

October 12, 2018

## **Server Schedule:**

10-13-18 – Kaitlyn D. and Mary M.

10-14-18 – Adult Servers

10-14-18 – Keegan D. and Senan R.

Recess/Lunchroom Monitor Duty this year will be from 11:50 until 12:30pm. **Recess/Lunchroom Monitoring is a great way to earn a \$5 tuition credit for every shift you work!** Click on this link:

<https://www.helpcounterweb.com/ci/signup/13b69dfb224>

## **Recess/Lunchroom Monitor Duty:**

Monday: Janet McKemie and Lisa Donovan

Tuesday: Oliver Moss and Lisa Donovan

Wednesday: Anna Carrigan and Lisa Donovan

Thursday: Laura McWilliams and Lisa Donovan

Friday: Oliver Moss and Laura McWilliams and Lisa Donovan

## **Calendar**

### **October**

13 Cornhole Tournament

13-14 8th Grade Bake Sale at all Masses

18 School Pictures

19 End of First Quarter

24 First Reconciliation Parent Meeting 6:30p

25 NO SCHOOL/Parent-Teacher Conferences 1:30-7p

26 NO SCHOOL

28 Trunk or Treat

31 Halloween/Mission Carnival

## **A Note from the Principal**

A special "thank you" is extended to all of those who attended last Saturday's Trivia Night. Your support of these events that are sponsored by the Home and School Association are of great importance in funding of many of our school's programs.

Parents of our eighth grade students are reminded that applications to Archdiocesan and private secondary schools must be completed online and will open on October 15. Please contact our school office if you have any questions about this application process.

School pictures are scheduled for this Thursday, October 18. Students, if they wish, may be out of uniform that day.

Here's another reminder about the October 21 Open House (12:00 noon-3:00 p.m.). If you know of any families who have elementary school age children please encourage them to tour the school and learn about the many educational opportunities available at Saint James the Greater.

Parents of our second graders are reminded that October 24, beginning at 6:30 p.m., there will be a meeting to discuss the reception of the sacrament of Reconciliation.

An understanding of the importance of this sacrament is the initial step as the children prepare for their first Holy Communion.

Don't forget "Trunk or Treat", scheduled for Sunday, October 28. Parents and children are all invited to attend this event which is great fun and a wonderful opportunity to meet new families.

Michael Biggs  
Principal

### **Weekly Prayer**

Take, O Lord, and receive my entire liberty, my memory, my understanding and my whole will. All that I am and all that I possess You have given me: I surrender it all to You to be disposed of according to Your will. Give me only Your love and Your grace; with these I will be rich enough, and will desire nothing more. Amen.

### **Sweatshirts**

The St. James Sweatshirt is the only one that students can wear with their uniform in the building. Today is the last day to order a sweatshirt. Orders are due by 3:00pm. If you need to order one, please use this order form: We have samples in the school office that you can try on for size.

### **8th Grade Bake Sale**

The 8th Grade is teaming up with the Ladies Sodality for a free will offering Bake Sale at all Masses on October 13 and 14. Mass times are 4:30pm on October 13, and 8am and 10:30pm on October 14.

### **Cornhole Tournament**

The Keep St. James Cornhole Tournament is on October 13th. Registration begins at 11am and bags fly at 12noon. Please click here for more information:

We are in need of 5 to 6 volunteers to help that day. There are shifts of 11am-2pm and 2pm-5pm. Please contact Holly at 314-520-5989 or [hollycasper20@hotmail.com](mailto:hollycasper20@hotmail.com) to sign up.

### **Pizza Day 8th Grade Fundraiser**

The 8th grade class is holding a fundraiser for their graduation trip. Instead of a school lunch or lunch from home, once a month, the 8th grade is giving students the opportunity to purchase pizza and a drink. **If students don't purchase pizza, they need to bring a lunch from home on that day.**

For our PreK students, they will have 1 slice of pizza and a Capri Sun. For grades K-4 they will have 2 slices of pizza and a caffeine free soda. For grades 5-8, they will have 3 slices of pizza and a caffeine free soda. If students want any additional food to supplement the pizza, they will need to bring it from home.

The prices are: \$3.50 for PreK, \$4.50 for K-4, \$6.50 for 5-8.

Your oldest child brought home an order form yesterday for all the students in your family. Please fill out the order form and return it by November 16. You have the opportunity to order for the whole year or month-to-month. You can also find the order form here:

The following dates are scheduled for Pizza Day:

November 30, 2018

December 20, 2018

January 25, 2019

February 22, 2019

March 29, 2019

April 26, 2019

Thank you for supporting the 8th grade class!

## Mission Carnival

Mission Carnival will be held in the gymnasium on Halloween, October 31st. Our first carnival will be for Preschool and Kindergarten from 12:30p.m.-1:15p.m., and the second carnival will be for grades 1-8 from 1:30p.m.-2:30p.m. Please consider volunteering for one or both shifts. Click here:

<https://www.helpcounterweb.com/ci/signup/13b69f40621>

We will be selling carnival tickets and jeans passes on the school blacktop on the following days:

10/22--in the afternoon only

10/23--morning and afternoon

10/24--morning and afternoon

10/29--morning and afternoon

10/30--morning and afternoon

10/31--in the morning only

## Clayton Tamm Neighborhood Association Meeting

The Clayton Tamm Neighborhood Association will have a bi-monthly meeting on Thursday, October 18th at 7:30 pm in the St James the Greater Cafeteria. This is a great way to find out what is going on in the neighborhood and meet others.

## Special Visitor

On Monday, October 8, 2018, businessman, Tony White, owner of Family Farms, came to talk to the students of St. James about farming and business. Students got an opportunity to experience the business of selling produce. Students got to play the role of a farmer, farmer partner, or a restaurant owner. Fun was had by all.



# CORNHOLE

## Tournament

Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup> *Play rain or shine*  
 11am Registration...Bags Fly at 12pm

This weekend is the first "Keep St. James" Cornhole Tournament. We are in need of 5-6 volunteers. Shifts available are from 11am-2pm and 2pm-5pm. Please contact Holly Heubner 314-520-5989 to sign up.

If you cannot make the event and would like to purchase raffle tickets please send an envelope in your child's folder with a description of what raffle items you would like a ticket for and include cash or a check made payable to **KEEP ST. JAMES**.

### Kid's Basket (\$210 value)

Rockin' Jump: 4 - 1 hour passes  
 Magic House: 4 - general admission passes  
 Incredible Pizza: 4 buffets and \$40 gift card  
 Swing-A-Round Fun Town: 2 - \$15 gift cards



### Ladies' Basket (\$275 value)

Yoga Six: One month of unlimited classes  
 Catholic Supply: 2 - \$15 gift cards  
 Massage Luxe: \$50 gift card  
 Coach: Wristlet (metallic purple)



**Raffle basket tickets:**  
**\$1/each, 6 for \$5 or an**  
**arms length for \$20**

### Theater & Dinner Basket (\$250 value)

The Rep: 2 tickets to Alabama Story  
 Stone Turtle: 2 - \$50 gift cards



### Men's Basket (\$211 value)

Coates Brothers: 4 Oil change certificates  
 Boogaloo: \$40 gift card and beer glass  
 Lowes: \$50 gift card



### St. Louis Basket (\$211 value)

St. Louis Arch: 4 passes  
 Michael's: \$25 gift card  
 Joey B's on the Hill: 2 - \$25 gift cards



**Stan Musial 3,000<sup>th</sup> hit autographed**  
**11x14 photo collage.**  
**Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20**

# Pizza Day Order Form

The prices are: \$3.50 for PreK, \$4.50 for grades K-4, \$6.50 for grades 5-8.  
Checks/Cash accepted. Please make your check payable to St. James the Greater.

**Return this form by November 16.**

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- I am paying for the year.
- I am paying month to month.

Pepperoni	Cheese	Student Name	Grade	Price

Total Price: \_\_\_\_\_

My student(s) would like pizza on the following dates:

- November 30, 2018
- December 20, 2018
- January 25, 2019
- February 22, 2019
- March 29, 2019
- April 26, 2019



# St. James Sweatshirt Order Form

Family Name:

Phone Number:

SIZE	PRICE	QUANTITY	SUBTOTAL
Youth XS	\$25.00		
Youth S	\$25.00		
Youth M	\$25.00		
Youth L	\$25.00		
Youth XL	\$25.00		
Adult XS	\$26.00		
Adult S	\$26.00		
Adult M	\$26.00		
Adult L	\$26.00		
Adult XL	\$26.00		
Adult 2XL	\$26.00		
Adult 3XL	\$26.00		
			TOTAL ↓

- ***Completed order forms (with payment) are due in the school office by October 12, 2018. Only complete orders will be processed. No late orders will be accepted! Make checks payable to St. James the Greater School.***
- ***No exchanges can be made – to determine the correct size, please see the samples that are available in the school office.***