



SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC SCHOOL

School Bulletin

November 9, 2017

Upcoming Events



November 6-17
SCA Food Drive

November 12
School Mass 5:30 pm
Students to wear school uniform

November 13
School Color/Spirit Wear Day
Wear Grey, Maroon and White
St. John Student Trivia Day

November 14
SCA DDD, \$1 Min Donation
Assembly/Guest Speaker 1:45pm
Chick-fil-A Spirit Day

November 15
Decades Day
Students dress in assigned decade

November 16
Winter Uniform Begins
K Thanksgiving Feast

November 17
Mass
Winter Sports Pep Rally
Early Dismissal 11:30am
Open House 1-4pm
Trivia Night @ McMahons 6-9pm

November 18
SPARKS Workshop 4-6 Trinity Hall
30th Anniversary Gala 6-10:30pm

November 19
Picnic 1-4pm
Open House 1-3pm

November 21
Grandparents Day with Mass
Early Dismissal 11:30am
NO Extended Day

November 22-24
Thanksgiving Break

November 26
Confirmation Practice 6:30pm

November 27
Confirmation 7pm

Please check the school website for the complete calendar

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK...

Greetings,

Confirmation is quickly approaching. Our 8th grade students and the parish 8th graders will receive the sacrament of Confirmation on Monday, November 27. Mrs. Murphy, Director of Religious Education, and her crew have done an excellent job organizing this event. At the elementary school, we are in the process of preparing our younger students for First Reconciliation and First Communion.

Our school continues to “race” to meet our fundraising goal. Please know that we will continue collecting until the end of November so please help us meet our \$18,000 goal. Many of our current upgrades have been attributed to the generous support of our school community.

The safety of all children during afternoon carpool remains a focus at our school. In that vein, please slow down when you are coming down the hill and always be mindful of our students that are exiting the building.

Construction is underway for our new preschool addition, the addition should be finished in five to six months so stay tuned. We had a nice ground-breaking ceremony on Friday morning and the preschoolers looked great playing with the Tonka trucks and wearing their hard hat. We are blessed; it is an exciting time as we prepare for Discover Catholic Schools Week.

Discover Catholic Schools Week begins on Sunday, November 12 with a 5:30 p.m. Mass. Students are asked to attend if possible and wear their school uniform. We have activities planned for every day next week and next Friday marks our First Open House from 1:00-4:00 p.m. Tell one and all to drop by at some point that afternoon so they can meet our wonderful faculty and staff.

In closing, we are highlighting the virtue of Justice this month. We are asking the students to give additional attention to gratitude and kindness. Our faculty and staff continue to pray for an individual school family each day and we are grateful that you have entrusted us in the faith formation of your children. May we continue to grow in God's grace and wisdom.

God bless,
Temple Macdonald





School and Club News

- Mrs. Kruck is looking for a volunteer to take pictures of student artwork so we can use Artsonia! Please email if interested mkruck@sjesva.org.
- ****IMPORTANT**** Please log into Powerschool and ensure you have filled in a phone number on each of the mother and father sections. School messenger will pull from these fields to inform families of inclement weather, delayed openings and school closures.
- Parents are invited to join the assembly on Tuesday, November 14 at 1:45 pm. Scott Anthony, youth minister, speaker, retreat leader, author and SJES Alumni, will address our students. We hope you can join us!
- Families are invited on Sunday, November 19th for the 30th Anniversary Picnic. There is no charge for the picnic but we are asking for donations from all families. A side dish in a disposable container is requested from families whose last name is A-M and dessert is requested from families with last name beginning with N-Z. If you do not plan to attend the picnic, donations can be dropped off on Friday, November 17. Thank you in advance.
- Grandparents Day is Tuesday, November 21. Please invite all grandparents to join us for mass, reception and to visit the student's class rooms. The schedule follows.
- PTO is looking for someone to lead SJES in the Christmas parade on Main Street (Friday, December 1st). We will be walking with our school banner this year! Anyone interested in getting Hours for Ours please contact Stephanie Lynch at: PTO@stjohntheevangelistschol.org As always, thank you for Steppin Up for SJES!
- PTO has opened bidding for our annual Festival of Wreaths. Come look at the beautiful holiday themed creations hanging in the middle school hallway. We have 2 fall themed wreaths and 1 tablescape up for Fall auction. Auction ends November 20th for the Fall Wreaths. Christmas wreath auction will end at 10am on Saturday, December 9th. Happy Holidays from the PTO board.

Student Council Association

For the weeks of November 6th-17th, the Student Council is partnering up with the St. Vincent de Paul Society to collect canned food for the needy in the community. Your help is needed to assist the parish pantry! We've established a point system for specific-size cans listed below. The Council has also created a bulletin board in the first hallway to indicate the progress of our food drive and the level of contributions from each class. Students and teachers can bring in supplies and place them in the donation bins at each classroom. Student Council members will collect items at each recess and tabulate the items for the student body. On behalf of the SVdP Society and St. John's School, we thank you for your donations and pray for a blessed month of thanks and giving.

1 point – cans 8 oz or below

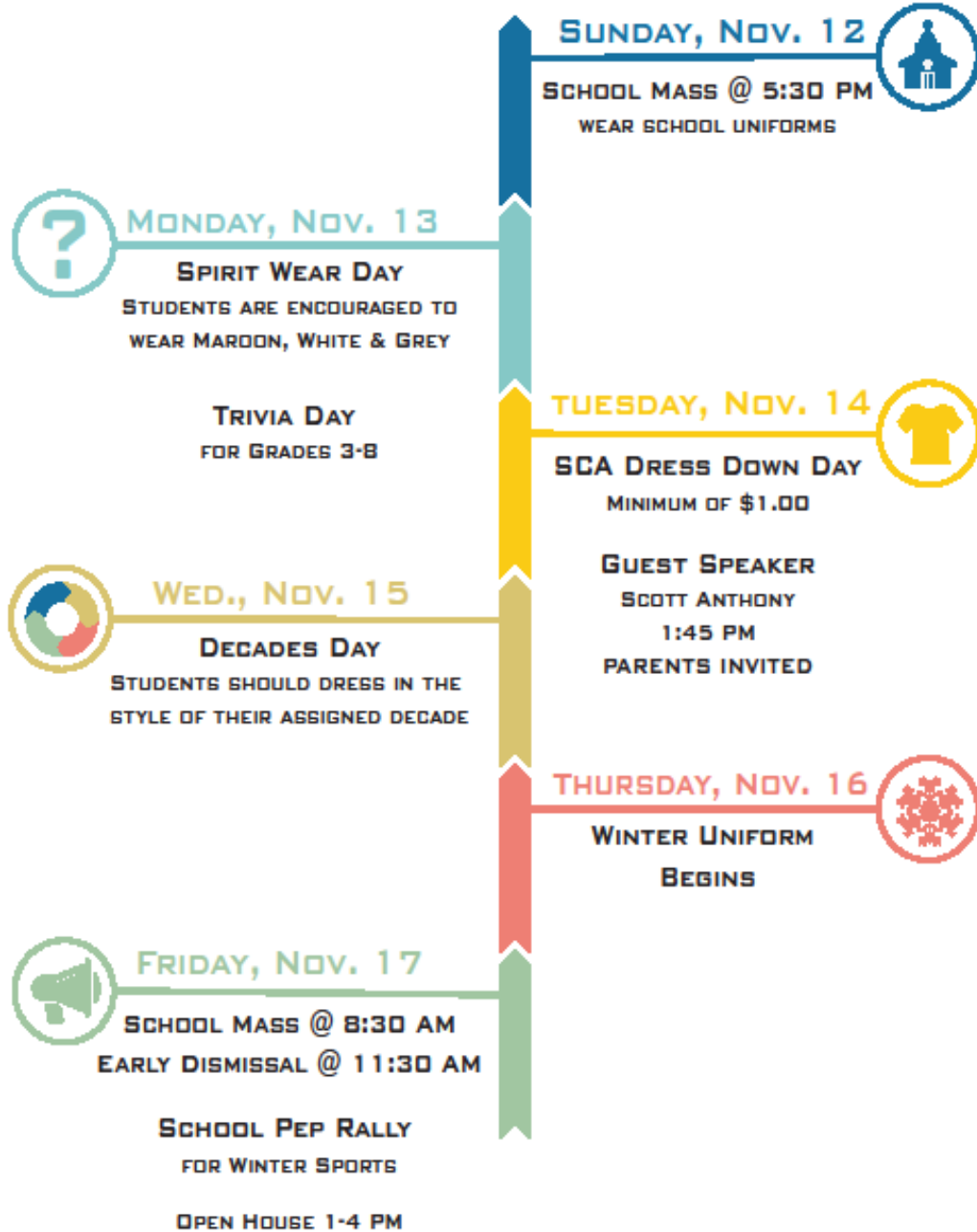
2 points – 9 to 24 oz.

3 points – 25 to 38 oz.

Please, no cans over 38 oz.



DISCOVER CATHOLIC SCHOOL WEEK



ASSIGNED DECADES

GRADES K, 1 & 2 - 2010's

GRADE 5 - 1990's

GRADE 7 - 1970's

GRADES 3 & 4 - 2000's

GRADE 6 - 1960's

GRADE 8 - 1980's

Scott M. Anthony
Youth Minister, Speaker, Retreat Leader and Author
Personal and Professional Bio

Revised August 2017

Scott is a 46-year-old native of Cleveland, OH and has been involved with Catholic youth and family ministry for 26 years. He is now in his 25th year of professional ministry and is in his 23rd year as the Director of Youth & Young Adult Ministries at St. Joseph Parish in York, PA. He holds a BA in History from New Mexico State University and attended Franciscan University of Steubenville for two years after 12 years of parochial schools in Warrenton, Virginia and Steubenville, Ohio.

Scott envisioned and developed the Fan the Fire® Youth Rallies (www.fanthefirerally.com): Eucharistic-centered, day-long events for high school students. Fan the Fire ® Youth rallies have been held in York, PA, Newtown, CT, Philadelphia, PA and Marlton, NJ. Over 17,000 participants have experienced a Fan the Fire ® event in the last 19 years. Scott has been published several times in *Shalom Tidings* magazine and he is a regular contributor at www.anygivensunday.com. In September of 2012, Scott was featured on the EWTN show *Life on the Rock* and he has done several Catholic and Christian radio interviews. He led workshops on youth ministry at National Conference on Catholic Youth Ministry (NCCYM) in December 2014 in San Antonio, TX and in San Jose, CA in December 2016. In November 2017 he will be leading a workshop at the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) in Indianapolis, IN.

Scott has conducted thousands of retreats, presentations, parish missions and youth ministry trainings at more than 30 arch/dioceses across the United States.

Scott has been married for 24 years to his beautiful bride Teresa and they have eight children on earth: Mary Kate, Cecilia, John Paul, Max, Rose, Benedict, Joseph and Lucy (and three in heaven: Dominic, Regina and Sebastian). In 2003, Scott was selected as the “Most Unique Dad of York County (PA)”, the only award he’s ever received that meant anything to him. Scott loves teens and will do almost anything to bring them closer to Jesus including "chunky" ballet dancing, box beating (NOT beat boxing), British Slam Poetry and/or playing sports to the point of chaffing or injury, whichever comes first. His favorite cheese is Swiss because it is Catholic (it’s “holey”). He has been described as both the “Chuck Norris of youth ministry” and a “youth ministry ninja” by people way more funny and talented than himself.

For more info on Scott and his ministry, please visit his web site at: www.scottmanthony.net

St. John the Evangelist Catholic School
Uniform Dress Code
Purchased from Flynn & O'Hara

GIRLS' UNIFORMS, GRADES K-4

1. Maroon and grey uniform jumper
2. White peter pan collar blouse
3. White knee socks (no low cut socks or socks with logos or writing)
4. Black sturdy mary-janes, saddle or dress shoes. No ballet slippers, heels, crocs, sandals, open toe, boots, booties, clogs (without backs) or wheelies.
5. Maroon crew neck cardigan sweater with school shield (optional)
6. Maroon fleece with school shield (optional, may be worn with PE and school uniform in the classroom)
7. White tights (optional with winter uniform)

BOYS' UNIFORMS, GRADES K-4

1. Grey uniform slacks
2. White three button knit polo with school shield
3. Black belt
4. Black crew socks (no low cut socks or socks with logos or writing)
5. Solid black sturdy dress or tie shoes with matching laces. No crocs or wheelies.
6. Maroon sweater vest with school logo (optional with winter uniform)
7. Maroon fleece with school shield (optional, may be worn with PE and school uniform in the classroom)
8. Grey uniform walking shorts (optional with fall and spring uniform)

GIRLS' UNIFORM, GRADES 5-8

1. Maroon and grey uniform skirt
2. White ¾ sleeve blouse (winter uniform)
3. Maroon v-neck sweater vest with school logo (winter uniform)
4. White knee socks (no low cut socks or socks with logos or writing)
5. Black sturdy mary-janes, saddle or dress shoes. No ballet slippers, heels, crocs, sandals, open toe, boots, booties, clogs (without backs) or wheelies.
6. Maroon fleece with school shield (optional, may be worn with PE and school uniform in the classroom)

BOYS' UNIFORM, GRADES 5-8

1. Grey uniform slacks
2. White oxford button down collar shirt (winter uniform)
3. Maroon v-neck sweater vest with school shield (winter uniform)
4. Navy, maroon and white striped uniform tie (winter uniform)
5. Black belt
6. Black crew socks (no low cut socks or socks with logos or writing)
7. Black sturdy dress or tie shoes with matching laces. No crocs or wheelies.
8. Maroon fleece with school shield (optional, may be worn with PE and school uniform in the classroom)

* During winter uniform season the sweatpant is required PE. Shorts may be worn under the sweatpant and may be removed for PE class only. The optional grey sweatshirt or maroon fleece from the designated uniform companies may be worn in the classroom on the assigned PE days.*



St. John's School Spirit Day At



In Warrenton
Tuesday November 14th
From 6am-9pm
Make sure to mention St. Johns at the register
See you there!





30TH ANNIVERSARY GALA WEEKEND RESERVATION FORM

For all current and former families of St. John the Evangelist School

Join us for three days of festivities in celebrating St. John the Evangelist Catholic School as we gather to celebrate our past, present, and look forward to our future.

Special events are planned each day, so don't miss out!

Friday, November 17

St. John Trivia Night 6-9 p.m. Hosted at McMahons Irish Pub

Teams will be formed to answer trivia questions about St. John School. Reserve your spot at this time.

Names of those who plan to attend: _____

Saturday, November 18

Alumni Mass at 5:00 pm St. John the Evangelist Church

Celebration Gala 6:00– 10:30 Hosted in Mercy Hall (age 21 and older only) Black Tie Optional:
Cost \$30.00/person

Appetizers, Buffet Dinner, open bar 6-7p.m. , followed by cash bar, desserts, guest speakers and dancing. Special Guests include former principal, Sister Joanne Bonczek, and former 8th grade teacher, Sister Roseanna Mellert Sisters of Notre Dame and both were here when the current building opened. Come meet these dynamic ladies who helped to mold our school culture.

Name: _____ Email _____

Phone: _____ Number of Tickets @ \$30.00 Each _____

Please enclose a check or login to www.sjesva.org and click on the invitation to order and pay for tickets using PAYPAL.

Sunday, November 19

Family Picnic and Open House 1:00-4:00 p.m. Hosted at Bernie Reagan Pavilion. School Tours provided by current students. All ages welcome! (No fees)

Name: _____ Number attending _____

We would like to sincerely thank our faculty, staff, Father Gould and the many volunteers who have put in countless hours to make this celebration a success.

Thank you to our alumni for coming back and participating as we are all still ONE Family at St. John the Evangelist Catholic School.

God Bless,
The Anniversary Committee

Grandparent's Day Schedule

8:00 - 8:15 a.m.
Arrival

8:30 - 9:30 a.m.
Mass

9:40 - 10:00 a.m.
Principals Address
Trinity Hall

10:00 - 11:00 a.m.
Activities in the Classrooms

11:30 a.m.
Announcements and Dismissal

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St. John's TORCH Drama Club
Presents
the EMBERS in ~

The Frog Prince!



St. John's Trinity Hall
111 John E. Mann Street
Ticket Information: torchtickets@gmail.com
Or School Office (540) 347-2458

Friday, December 1st

Regular Performance at 7 PM

\$6/person

Saturday, December 2nd

A Dinner Theater Experience!

Dinner and Variety Show Entertainment by the

EMBERS & TORCH players **at 6 PM!**

\$15/person (\$20 priority table)

Reservations Required

**TORCH Drama Club invites you
to their THEATER WORKSHOPS!!**



Saturday, November ~~10~~th 18th in Trinity Hall!

SPARKS (ages 11-14) at 4-6 PM

Audition Practice and Script Review for *Dancing on Glass*.

TORCH (ages 15-19) at 7-10 PM!

Preparations for Improv Entertainment and
Wait-staff for **EMBERS** dinner-theater production in December!

Contact: egalvin4030@gmail.com to RSVP!

St. John the Evangelist Cup Order Form



Customer Name	Phone Number	Quantity (4 Pack)	Total
		Balance Due	



In celebration of the 30th Anniversary of the installation of our present day Elementary School we've designed our own school spirit cup! The cup features our new logo for this year!

These are one of a kind and won't last long!

St. John Spirit Cups are 22-ounce, dishwasher safe, BPA-free, plastic cups with our custom school design. The cups are proudly made in the USA and sold in packs containing four cups of the same school design. **Sell to your friends, neighbors and family. Spirit Cups make great Christmas gifts!**

Get Yours Today!

4 pack for \$20.00



SAINT JOHN the EVANGELIST CATHOLIC SCHOOL PTO

111 John E. Mann Street, WARRENTON, VA 20186

Grocery Store Savings

Dear Parents,

One of the easiest ways to help contribute to our school is by using your local supermarket bonus card. This requires NO ADDITIONAL spending on your part. Each supermarket allocates a percentage of your sales back to the school you designate. Below is of our local supermarkets that participate in a school rewards program. St. John School has an account with each store. Please, on your next visit to the super-market, present your bonus card or telephone number to the Customer Service desk and ask to have St. John School assigned to your card. You may also visit each supermarket website and do it online at your convenience using the numbers below.

<u>SUPERMARKET</u>	<u>PROGRAM NAME</u>	<u>SJS ACCT #</u>
Giant	A+ School Rewards	02142
Harris Teeter	TIE – Together In Education	6937
Martins	A+ School Rewards	02142

If you have any questions please call the school at (540) 347-2458.

Thank you in advance for your help all year long!

