



# Kid Mail

## February 22, 2026

### Open Enrollment

Thank you to those of you who have already completed the 2026-27 enrollment! The next opportunity to enroll is March 1 through March 20.

<https://dpi.wi.gov/parental-education-options/choice-programs/student-applications>

Please feel free to contact Mrs. Juanita Jones with any questions at 414-442-7600 x120 or email at: [jones@mgcparish.org](mailto:jones@mgcparish.org)

### Basketball Games

Fourth and Fifth Grade Boys	3:00 at	St. Jude
Sixth and Seventh Grade Boys	12:15 at	St. Joseph's Wakesha
Eighth Grade Boys	9:15 at	Blessed Savior
Girls	8:15 at	St.. Sebastian

### PBIS (Positive Behaviors, Interventions, and Supports) Initiative

Over the past several months, our staff has been working together to thoughtfully review and refine our school-wide behavioral expectations for students. Our goal is to create a consistent, positive environment where all students can learn and thrive.

This week, we are introducing our updated expectations, centered around three core values: **Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Responsible**. Students will participate in activities and discussions to help them understand what these expectations look like throughout the school day.

**Being safe** means that at MGC and in our community, we protect ourselves and others through our actions.

**Being respectful** means that at MGC and in our community, we show we care for others through our choices and behavior.

**Being responsible** means that at MGC and in our community, we take ownership of our actions and do what needs to be done.

Students will also sign a commitment to these expectations, which will be displayed outside their classrooms.

We look forward to partnering with you in reinforcing these values and building a strong, supportive school community.

Proud to BE...MGC! Safe. Respectful. Responsible.

## Black History Month

Students and teachers continue to work on their Black History projects and presentations. Please join us on Friday Mar 6, 2026 at 1:30. Please reserve the date!

**MGC Celebrates BLACK HISTORY MONTH February 2026**

MGC acknowledges and is committed to teaching that Black History contains a whole spectrum of diverse experiences and histories, from Roots in Africa to Slavery to Civil Rights to Current Status to Future Legacies - and everything in between.

Check out what MGC students will be learning!

**Identity Through Story**  
Little tiny bodies are more apt to absorb songs and stories about the depth of Black history than formal lessons.  
K3/K4 - African beats and stories with Black protagonists

**Unearthing Roots**  
Black history stems from the royalty of African kings and queens. Students will learn about the majesty of Africa as a foundation to their understanding of Black history and culture.  
K5 - African folk stories  
3rd - 7 Natural Wonders of Africa  
6th- African Country Research and African Geography

**Understanding Injustice**  
While Black history does not start at the negative eras of slavery, civil rights, and inequity, they are pivotal to the understanding of Black history. Students will study these injustices and the giants who fought against them.  
1st - Introduction to Racism  
4th - Slavery and Its Abolition  
7th - Civil Rights Movement

**Developing a Legacy**  
Black history does not end with Martin Luther King Jr. -- it is still being made! Students will investigate people recently and currently leaving their mark on Black history and will develop a plan for leaving their own legacy.  
2nd - Current Great Black Leaders and Little Black Leaders  
5th - Black Scientists/Artists/Musicians Doctors/Lawyers/Etc  
8th - Current Black Foundations/ Companies/Colleges/CEOs

Ask your students about how Black history is being celebrated in their classes!

## SAC Meeting

Please join us for our next School Advisor Meeting, Tuesday March 10, 2026 at 6 PM. We will be meeting in the Parish Office for this meeting.

## Library Books

Please make sure that all library books are returned. Notices have gone home detailing what books have been checked out to your child. Prompt return of these books allows them to return to circulation.

## Weather

Since winter is upon us, It is our goal to keep you informed of any weather related closures. Here's a reminder of our inclement weather notification procedure. If Milwaukee Public Schools are closed, MGC will also be closed. A message will also be sent by email and text. We have access to WITI Fox 6, WISN ABC 12 to report closures.



## **Menus**

**[Breakfast Menu February](#)**

**[Lunch Menu February](#)**

**[Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Menu February](#)**

All enrolled students at Mother of Good Counsel School are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at no charge to your household each day of the school year. Your child(ren) will be able to participate in these meal programs without having to pay a fee or submit a meal application.