



Your Weekly Connection to St. Mary's

September 2, 2025

Guided by the virtue of **prudence**—the ability to rightly discern the true good and choose the right means—we commit to nurturing our children's minds and souls.

Believe, Achieve, Succeed with Christ

The Principal's Pew

We hope you all enjoyed a restful and joyful holiday weekend with your loved ones. As we step into September, we are reminded that it is devoted to the Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a time to reflect on Our Lady's deep love and sacrifice, and to draw closer to her compassionate heart.

September is filled with many meaningful moments for our school community including, Grandparents Day, the Ordination and Installation of our new Bishop, and our biggest fundraiser of the year: The Fete!

We look forward to walking this month with you, as we continue to grow in virtue, down by the bayou.

Blessings, Mrs. Pertuit

Thank You!

Thank you to all who ordered Domino's Pizza last Tuesday to support SMNS!

Upcoming Dates:

Tuesday, September 2

Beacon Make-Up

Wednesday, September 3

Grandparent's Day (See additional info below.)

Friday, September 5

Snack Sale

Tuesday, September 9

Mother Mary's Birthday (See additional info below.)

Saturday, September 27

The Fete (See additional info below.)

Click here to access our Google Calendar!

2025-2026 School Calendar

For the most accurate and up-to-date information, always refer to the official school calendar linked above. The Google calendar and Plus Portals are synced.



The Fete

Don't Miss Out!
Music by: Good Feelin'
Silent & Live Auction items
Delicious Food & Drinks

✓ Tickets are on sale now!

Purchase online OR cash/check in the front office.







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Grandparent's Day Celebration Wednesday, September 3 8:30 am – 9:30 am

St. Mary's Nativity School joyfully invites all grandparents to join us in the cafeteria for a special welcome from our principal and pastor, accompanied by light refreshments. Following the gathering, grandparents will be invited to visit their grandchild's classroom to share in the joy of their learning environment.



A prepaid photo opportunity will be available through Romaguera to capture this cherished moment!

St. Mary's Nativity Preordering will be available until Noon Tuesday September 2nd. Packages can also be purchased at the event. Group packages can only be purchased at the event.

Info to Know:

<u>Absentee on Test Day</u> – Per handbook policy, if your child is absent on a test day, you must fill out the <u>"Test Make-Up Request Form"</u> and inform the teacher of which method is selected.

Lunch Menus will be posted on Plus Portals (under school links & files)

Extracurriculars:

Volleyball- Our girls will compete at St. Joseph and Lockport this week. Good Luck!

Cross Country - Practice will resume this Wednesday after school.

4H – If you have not sent in dues, please do so soon. Students will have their first meeting on Sept. 8th during school.

Quiz Bowl – Our team is busy studying to prepare for their first game scheduled in October.

NEW PlusPortals App



The new PlusPortals Mobile App is now available in the iOS and Android app stores.

This all-in-one app combines features for both parents and students — replacing the previous ParentPlus and StudentPlus apps.

⚠ Note: Logins to the old StudentPlus and ParentPlus apps will be disabled on October 1, 2025. ⚠

Why the New App?

- Unified experience for parents and students
- Simplified navigation
- Colorful displays
- © Combined feeds for quick access to essential information
- **&** Easy switching between multiple students



HOLY COW



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Two beef patties,
layered with our
house made bacon cheddar spread,
fried jalapenos,
sauteed onions,
lettuce, and
tomatoes topped
with alumni sauce.

BENEFITS:

St. Mary's Nativity
School PTC

