Faith, Knowledge, Stewardship

God provides us with another wonderful example of a Catholic life to model with St. Margaret. She is the Patroness of mothers, large families, learning and was able to elevate those around her to greater faith and reform. She thought of others and was especially generous to the poor.

St. Margaret of Scotland, Pray for us.

--- Very Important --- Change in school calendar!

Last Friday, administrators of our diocese were notified of a recently scheduled professional development opportunity that will benefit all of our diocesan teachers. The scheduled date is during the afternoon of Friday, November 17th. Superintendent Margaret Erich has not made this a mandatory training, but is strongly encouraging administrators to send teachers.

After much discussion, Mr. Kosmerick, Dr. Zommers, and Mrs. Reits concluded that the benefits of this training will outweigh the challenge of reworking that day's schedule, and we therefore plan to

dismiss students at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, November 17.

St. Augustine Cathedral School will offer after-school care, immediately following dismissal through 6:00 p.m. Students staying for ASC will need to bring a brown-bagged lunch and afternoon snack. In order to ensure that we meet licensing regulations regarding supervisor-to-student ratios, please confirm with the school office if your child will be attending any portion of after-school care on November 17th.

We know how unsettling mid-year scheduling changes can be and appreciate in advance, your understanding.

Sincerely, Brian Kosmerick, Becky Reits, Andra Zommers

Mid-Month Muchies

The third grade classes will be collecting "Mid-Month Munchies" for the Eleanor House again this Friday. Please consider donating a store-packaged snack or piece of fruit to the Eleanor House. This is a wonderful way to practice the Virtues and Catholic Social Teachings. We appreciate your participation in this mission!

Legacy Celebration 2017

Check out the wonderful video that we watched at Legacy Celebreation 2017. It's on our school's website: www.stakzoo.org .

PTO

Join the PTO Wednesday at 4pm for their monthly meeting in the Teachers' Lounge. Childcare is available.

PTO is offering Movie Night Friday, November 17, 6:30 in the Crowley Center. Bring your lawn chairs or blankets and enjoy a fun night!

Have you voted yet for the movie you want to see? Head to the survey and help us decide: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Q8JSQMQ

Hackett Catholic Prep's Fall Play

Hackett Catholic Prep present *Our Town* November 17 and 18. Head to their website for tickets: https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/3125834

St. Mary Basketball Camp

Head to our website for more information on the Basketball Camp offered by St. Mary parish. http://images.pcmac.org/SiSFiles/Schools/MI/CatholicSchoolsKalamazoo/StAugustine/Uploads/Publications/2018_Basketball Camp.pdf

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Gearing up for Ski Season

Head to our website to find the information you need to participate in this year's Ski Club: http://www.stakzoo.org/?PageName=%27OrganizationPage%27&OrganizationID=%2735099%27

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