Lunch Menu November 11 - 15

**Monday** - Chicken fajita, Spanish rice, corn, mixed fruit, milk
**Tuesday** - Meatloaf slices with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, sliced pears, milk
**Wednesday** - Chili 3-way, spaghetti, mixed cheese, oyster crackers, applesauce, milk
**Thursday** - Cheese burgers, pickles, potato wedges, broccoli, pineapple, milk
**Friday** - Pepperoni pizza, mixed green salad, garlic bread, lime jell-o squares, milk

**Important Dates**
- Nov. 8 Teacher In-Service  NO SCHOOL
- Nov. 12 Student Council Mtg. 2:30 - 3:15
- Nov. 13 PTA Board Mtg 7:30 P.M.
- Nov. 14 Picture Retake Day
- Nov. 26 Thanksgiving Prayer Service 9:30 A.M.
- Nov. 26 1st Trimester ends
- Nov. 26 Pancake breakfast 7:00 - 7:40 A.M. and Pajama Day!
- Nov. 27 - Dec. 1 Thanksgiving Break  SCHOOL CLOSED
- Dec. 2 School Resumes

**From the Desk of Mr. Metz**

**Dear St. Catharine Parents,**

**Pumpkin Decorating Contest**

The winning homerooms of this year’s contest are the 3rd and 6th grades. A great big thank you to all those that contributed to this wonderful cause. All donations will go towards filling our pantry needs and supplying holiday baskets for those in need.

**Sacrament of Confirmation**

Many of our 7th and 8th grade students received the sacrament of Confirmation on Tuesday evening. Archbishop Schnurr celebrated the mass and confirmed each candidate. Thank you for keeping these candidates in your prayers as they continue their faith journey.

**Pancake Breakfast**

Our annual Thanksgiving pancake breakfast will be held on Tuesday November 26th, from 7:00am to 7:40am, be sure to mark your calendars, additional details to follow.

**Picture Retake Day**

Thursday November 14th is picture retake day for those students that were absent on picture day and for students whose pictures didn’t turn out well. See article below for more information.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Many of our second-grade students will be receiving the sacrament of reconciliation on Thursday November 21st. I ask that you please keep these young people in your thoughts and prayers.

Mr. Jerry Metz
Principal
**School Pictures**

Many of you received your child's school pictures. If you received the wrong package or have a problem with the pictures other than wanting to get it retaken, you can call customer service at 1-800-736-4753.

Picture retake day is November 14. You will need to bring back the pictures that you have on retake day. If you would like to order a different package or more pictures you can do so online at mylifetouch.com. St. Catharine's school code is EVTTSMJ9F. We also have order forms in the school office.

**Student Council Meeting**

There will be a student Council meeting on Tuesday, November 12th from 2:30 - 3:15. Students should be picked up in the rear parking lot.

**SOCCER COORDINATOR NEEDED**

After over a decade of service, I am stepping down as Soccer Coordinator. The requirements are attending 2 meetings a month, organizing Teams and Coaches and passing out uniforms and equipment. I will work with the next Coordinator as needed. Any questions, please contact me at stcatharinesoccer@gmail.com or 513-708-8371. Thank you. Phil Lambing

**Girls Basketball Sign Up**

Grades 3-8 and High School. No experience needed. Please sign up at: http://stc-athletics.org/athletics/girls-basketball/
Call/email Eric Schmitt with questions. 608-0537 or eschmitt@fuse.net

**Girl Scout Service Project**

As a service project, the 7th grade Girl Scouts are participating in Operation Christmas Child. Boxes will be available in school office. Pack a shoebox to bless children in need around the world. Drop off your filled shoebox, along with $9 for shipping, at St. Catharine by November 22.

Thank you!

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**Snow Days and Emergency Closing**

In the event of inclement weather, St. Catharine School will follow the closing/delay schedule for the Oak Hills School District. However, bus transportation for St. Catharine students is provided by Cincinnati Public Schools. Bus riders need to listen for CPS delays and cancellations for bus transportation during inclement weather.

If school is cancelled for the day, the Latch Key program is cancelled. All St. Catharine related activities are also cancelled such as sports, clubs, dances and scout meetings.

**Notification of Snow Days and Other School Emergencies**

When school is closed due to inclement weather or due to another emergency, all parents will be notified using the ONE CALL system. This is an automated telephone system and a service provided to all Saint Catharine School families.

**Scholarship Opportunities for Incoming Freshmen at Mercy McAuley**

Mercy McAuley invites 8th grade girls to apply for their Catherine McAuley Scholarships. These one-time $1,000 scholarships for incoming freshmen recognize students who demonstrate a passion in one of the five Core Values inspired by Catherine McAuley: Faith, Compassion, Service, Leadership, and Excellence (in Arts). Applications and essays/requirements are due by November 23, 2019. Finalists will be asked to come to Mercy McAuley on the evening of December 11, 2019, to interview with Mercy McAuley faculty and/or school leaders. Scholarship winners will be notified of their award in the admissions acceptance packets, which will be mailed on January 15, 2020. Details can be found at www.mercymcauley.org/catherinemcauleyscholarships. Questions? Contact Alli Miazga, Admissions & Recruitment Coordinator, at miazgaa@mercymcauley.org or 681-1800 x2272.
Mercy McAuley Admissions & Financial Aid
Application Deadline is November 23

Incoming freshmen must submit applications for admission to Mercy McAuley by November 23, 2019 (the same date as the High School Placement Test). This is also the deadline to submit the FACTS Financial Aid application, as well as applications for the Catherine McAuley scholarships. Links to all of these important applications can be found at www.mercymcauley.org/Classof2024. Questions? Contact Alli Miazga, Admissions & Recruitment Coordinator, at miazgaa@mercymcauley.org or 681-1800 x2272.

Seton Honor Roll
First Honors - Lilly Angel, Alex Hammann, Anna Hammann
Second Honors - Noel Watkins

Elder Honor Roll
First Honors - Simon Feist

La Salle Craft Show
Our La Salle Parent Council is hosting their annual holiday craft fair at La Salle High School on Saturday, November 30 from 9am - 2:30 pm. Admissions just $3 and children 12 and under are free. With over 100 crafters there’s something for everyone! We’ll have concessions, baked goods and raffle items as well as student performances and split-the-pot.
St Catharine Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts

Christmas Wreath Sale

These fresh-made Fir wreaths are sure to brighten your holiday spirits throughout the Christmas Season with their natural pine scent, frosted pinecones, and festive red bow.

choose from
two sizes

24" WREATH
$25.00

30" WREATH
$30.00

choose from
two delivery dates

ORDER BY 12-1 FOR DELIVERY ON 12-8

ORDER BY 12-8 FOR DELIVERY ON 12-15

BRING THIS RECEIPT TO PRESENT AT TIME OF PICK UP
Troop 177 Contact: Andy Melchers (amelchers@fuse.net / 513-377-8947)
Pack 188 Contact: Charlie Ulrich (culrich@fuse.net / 513-481-8434 or 513-503-7853 after 5pm) with questions

MY PICKUP DATE IS:
☐ Sunday, December 8 (4-6 pm) at St. Catharine Breezeway
☐ Sunday, December 15 (4-6 pm) at St. Catharine Breezeway

ORDER FORM

Customer Name ____________________________
Address ____________________________
Phone ____________________________
Seller’s Name ____________________________

seller’s name

Enter quantity of each wreath size purchased

24" ______ 30" ______

Total Amount Due AND Collected $ ______

* Make checks payable to Troop 177 or Pack 188. Return this portion with payment. Thank You!

1. Complete the customer’s receipt above to verify the customer’s order and payment.
2. Complete the order form below with the customer’s address and phone number.
3. Cut on the dotted line, customer keeps the top section; Return this bottom order form to Andy Melchers c/o St Catharine Scouts, 3023 Hull Avenue, Cinci, OH 45211 with payment on or before the order deadlines.

Order Date ____________________________
Delivery Date ☐ Sunday, December 8

Enter quantity of each wreath size purchased

24" ______ 30" ______