ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Our mission at St. Mary Magdalen Catholic School is to educate model and inspire faith, academic excellence, integrity, respect a service within ourselves and the global community.

Weekly Calendar

Nov. 6th - No School; Teacher In-Service Day

Nov. 10th - Veteran's Day Assembly @ 2:15pm Led by 6th Grade

Nov. 11th - Veteran's Day - No School/Office closed

Nov. 13th - 7B Field Trip; SCRIP Office Open @ 8:15am

Action Items

☐ **Shop the Online Book Fair** The Literati Online Book Fair is now open! Don't forget to browse our Teacher Wishlists and help add new books to classroom libraries. Families are welcome to shop the online fair, the in-person fair after Thanksgiving Break, or both. Each fair features a unique selection of titles.

Message from Dr. Mahar



Veterans Day gives us a special opportunity to honor the veterans and service members within our SMM community. I warmly invite parents, grandparents, relatives, alumni, and parishioners who have served to join us for our **Veterans Day Assembly on Nov. 10th at 2:15pm**. Led by our 6th grade class, this special assembly will feature a special Color Guard presentation as we recognize and celebrate those who have served our nation. We would be honored to celebrate and thank you for your service.

School News & Events

Congratulations to our Be I.R.I.S.H. winners!

Elementary - Samantha K

Middle - Naomi L



PC Turkey Bingo - Nov. 18th

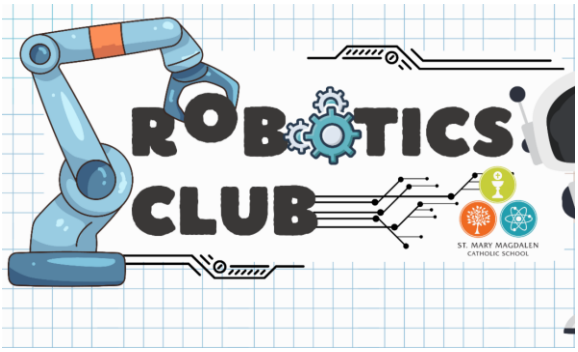
Join us on Wednesday, Nov.18th for one of SMM's favorite family traditions! Enjoy an evening of bingo, prizes, food, and community fun as we gather to celebrate the season together. Doors open at 5:30pm, with bingo beginning at 6pm. Pre-order your bingo kits and meals here.



Teacher & Staff's Favorite Day!

Help us show our gratitude to the incredible SMM teachers and staff by contributing to our November Teacher Appreciation Lunch. Thank you for helping us celebrate and support our amazing faculty and staff!

Sign Up Today!



Calling All Middle School Innovators!

Students in grades 6-8 are invited to join our Robotics Club! Through hands-on projects and exciting challenges, participants will develop skills in engineering, coding, problem-solving, and teamwork while exploring the world of robotics.

Whether your student is new to robotics or already loves technology, this is a great opportunity to build, create, compete, and have fun with friends. Questions? Please contact Marc Buenvenida

Due to high demand, registration will now close early on Nov. 7th.

Register today!



Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive

Our 4th graders have kicked off their annual Thanksgiving Food Drive to help provide holiday meals for families in need. Donations will be collected through Nov. 20th, and every contribution helps our students put their faith into action through service to others.

View the class donation list and additional details here.

The class with the most donations will win a gift card!





Celebrating 25 Years of Partnership with Fulcrum Foundation

We recently welcomed Connor Kelly from the Fulcrum Foundation to SMM as they shared the incredible impact of their support over the past 25 years. Through tuition assistance grants, Fulcrum has helped make Catholic education more affordable and accessible for countless families in our community.

As you plan for the 2027-28 school year, the Fulcrum Foundation Tuition Assistance Program is now accepting applications. Families seeking financial assistance are encouraged to apply early and review eligibility requirements and

Thank You, Trunk or Treat Volunteers!

On behalf of the Parents Club, thank you to everyone who helped make this year's Trunk or Treat such a memorable evening for our students and families. From our creative booths and generous donors to the volunteers who helped plan, set up, clean up, and keep the event running smoothly, your time, talents, and dedication made all the difference. Thank you for sharing your gifts and helping make SMM such a special place for our families.

deadlines. Learn more here: Tuition Assistance

Mass Moments

Daily Readings for Wednesday, November 4th 2026

Reading 1, Philippians 2:12-18

Responsorial Psalm, Psalms 27:1, 4, 13-14

Gospel, Luke 14:25-33

Conversation Starter Questions

1. What did the disciples have to carry in order to be a disciple?
2. What did the disciples have to renounce in order to be a disciple?

Athletics



CYO Volleyball Referees Wanted!

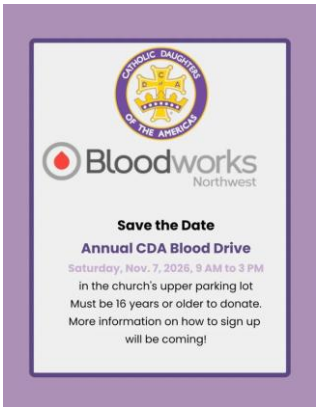
Seattle CYO Athletics is seeking referees for the upcoming volleyball season. This is a great opportunity for high school students and adults to support youth athletics while earning extra income.

Referee Training Dates (attend one session):

- Saturday, January 9 | 10:30 AM-12:30 PM | Our Lady of the Lake Gym
- Tuesday, January 12 | 6:30 PM-8:30 PM | Sacred Heart Gym
- Saturday, January 23 | 10:00 AM-12:00 PM | St. Anthony Gym
- Saturday, February 6 | 10:00 AM-12:00 PM | St. John Gym

Applicants must be at least 14 years old and in high school or older. The volleyball season runs Feb. 20th through May 2nd, with games primarily held on weekends. Interested? Complete the referee interest form or contact Will Woodworth for more information.

Community



CDA Blood Drive - Nov. 7th

Save the Date! The Catholic Daughters of the Americas Annual Blood Drive returns on Saturday, Nov. 7th, from 9:00 am-3:00 pm in the church's upper parking lot. Help make a difference in our community by donating blood. More information and sign-up details will be available soon!

Looking Ahead



For all dates, visit the Calender section on our school website.

For all volunteer opportunities, visit the Volunteering on our school website.

Nov. 17th - Peace Day; Pizza Lunch Order Deadline @ 12Noon

Nov. 18th - PC Turkey Bingo @ 5:30pm

Nov. 19th - Pre-ordered Pizza Lunch

Nov. 20th - Noon Dismissal - PM Extension Open; SCRIP Office Open @ 8:15am

Nov. 23rd-27th - Thanksgiving Break; Parent/Teacher Conferences