

Important Dates

* Wednesday November 13th *

Veteran's Day Mass
World Kindness Day
Reconciliation Retreat-Grade 2

*Wednesday November 20th *

Dads & Donuts

1st Reconciliation- Grade 2

* November 27th-29th *

No School-Thanksgiving Break

Veteran's Day Mass

Our Veteran's Day Mass will be Wednesday November 13th.
Veterans and their families are welcome to join us for mass and/or light refreshments after mass.

<u>Christmas Concert</u> <u>Rehearsal</u>

We will be having our Christmas
Concert at the Defiance
Auditorium this year! We are
excited to offer everyone a
more spacious experience!
We will need to travel to the
Auditorium on Thursday
December 12th to rehearse.
Please sign and return the
enclosed permission form.
Thanks!



Please follow the QR code under "Enclosures" for a creative way to show our staff your appreciation!

A message from Mrs. Reinhart



Mass on Wednesday November 13th will be planned by Grade 6.

(Mass begins at 9:30am)

GCOdDeeds Corner

* Abram Cantrell *

<u>CEO Award</u> (Chief Example for Others)

- * Liliana Miles *
- * Owen Donaldson *
- * Graham Shindler *

Emergency Evacuation Drill

HCCS will have a full scale evacuation exercise this school year in partnership with local first responders, as required by the ODE. Please make sure that we have a current working cell phone number on file in option C.



Santa Shop

Santa Shop is coming to HCCS! Please see

the enclosed flyer for details!!

Second Grade Sacraments

1st Reconciliation is Wednesday November 20th. Students must complete Reconciliation prior to 1st Communion. Please contact your church Parish or Mrs. Reinhart for more information.

Dads & Donuts

Registration end date is Monday
November 18th!!
Our annual "Dads & Donuts"
event will be held on Wednesday
November 20th in the school
cafeteria. Dads, or any other
special male friend or relative,
are welcome to join us for mass
and then for refreshments and
donuts afterwards.

World Kindness Day

Just like last year, Holy Cross students in grades 1-6 will be travelling out into the community to offer a bit of kindness. Please return your permission slips ASAP and let us know if you would like to chaperone.

Pre K Cookie Walk

The HCCS Vendor Fair is coming soon! Once again the Pre-K will be doing a cookie walk during this event. If you would like to sign up to donate cookies or another sweet treat, please fill out the enclosed form and return to office by December 6th.

Thank you!

Enclosures: Tuition Invoices St. Mary Christmas Choir Form Pre K Cookie Donation Form Auditorium Permission Form Thankful QR Code



SARTA SHOP COMING SOON!

This year we will be hosting a Santa Shop! This will be for the students to shop for their family members. It will take place during school hours! Forms are being sent home with this flyer. Fill out who your child is allowed to shop for and how much they are allowed to spend, then enclose the correct amount (Cash or Check) and we will take care of the rest! Items will come home the last week of school, wrapped and ready to be placed under the tree!

> GIFT'S RANGE FROM:

\$.25 - \$9

DEC. 16 - DEC. 20

Forms must be turned in to the office by December 9!!





It's that time of the year...

The 2024 Preschool Cookie Walk!

The FLOCK group, (parish members from St. John and St. Marys catholic churches), have graciously volunteered to host this annual fundraiser.

If you enjoy baking sweet treats and would like to donate. Please bring your goodies to H.C.C.S. office by 10 am on Dec.12th. Orders will be prepaid and available for pickup during the Vendor Fair Dec. 14th -Holy Cross school

Thank you for your continued support. God Bless, Preschool staff & students of H.C.C.S.

> Cookie Walk Boxes- prepaid order form (\$10 per box)

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NAME & PHONE #	

Enclose cash or check-make checks payable to H.C.C.S.

Pick up-Saturday Dec.14th 9-3:00

St. Mary's Children's Choir Christmas Eve 4:00 pm Mass

Children's Choir (Grades 2-6)

On Christmas Eve at the 4:00 pm Mass, we would love to give the children of St. Mary Parish the opportunity to participate. Children may sing before Mass for the prelude music. They will stand on the steps of the sanctuary while Mrs. Paula DeCola directs them, and I will accompany them on the piano. Rehearsals for all singers will be scheduled on Tuesdays from 5:00-6:15 pm in the church.

The dates of these rehearsals will be December 3, 10, and 17.

Please fill out the form below and return it to me personally, bring or send it to the parish office, place it in the collection basket, or email me at *music@stmarydefiance.com*. If you have any questions, email me or call (419) 782-2776, ext. 203. **Please return by Sunday, December 1st.**

Thank you! Veronica Steyer	
St. Mary Christmas Eve 4:00 pm Mass Yes, my child(ren) would like to sing with the Children's Choir	
Child's Name Grade	
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Child's Name Grade	_
Parent's Signature	
Phone Number	
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Field Trip Permission Slip

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has my permission to take part in our field trip.
Where: Defiance Community Auditorium 429 Arabella
When: Thursday December 12th
Dress code for field trip is: <u>Uniform</u>
Cost for field trip is: 90
Special Instructions: Students will take Defiance City School
buses to auditorium + will return before
dismissal. 9:30 am - 11:00 am
All Chaperones must complete/have completed Virtus Training.
As this student's parent/guardian, I release the School, Catholic Youth and School Services, St. John Parish and St. Mary Parish and any associated person or agency from any claims in consideration for the opportunity to participate in this program.
Please return to your child's teacher by Friday Desember Uth Thank you.
Yes, I am interested in being a chaperone/driver.
Yes I have completed Virtus Training.
No, I have not completed Virtus Training but would like more information.
Parent/Guardian Signature: Date: