


HERE IS A LIST OF WAYS TO REACH YOUR 25 HOURS!

Parents are required to participate in a minimum of 25 volunteer hours, 20 hours for the school and 5 hours for the church.


CHURCH HOURS

 Please call the rectory 916-452-0296 to schedule your volunteer time in the following activities.

Fireworks Booth (*benefits parish youth*)
 Parish Festival (*chair & workers*)
 Second Sunday Social (*chair & workers*)
 Parish Office Assistance
 Offertory Counting Team
 RCIA (*Christian Initiation of Adults*)
 Parish Dinner Events
 Bereavement Ministry
 Loving Hearts Ministry
 Society of St. Vincent de Paul
 EDGE Leaders (*benefits parish youth*)
 Personal Skills applied to parish needs
 One hour for Baked Goods
 (*When requested*)


Liturgical Ministries

Altar Servers
 Altar Server Training
 Altar Society
 Art and Environment
 Children's Liturgy of the Word
 Eucharistic Ministers
 Lector
 Music Ministry
 Usher

 You will need to record your participation and hours in SchoolSpeak.

SCHOOL HOURS

All adults must be cleared to volunteer. (Volunteer and Field Trip Driver Forms are online)

 SIGN-UP through SchoolSpeak when you receive notice about any of these events! Record your participation and hours worked in SchoolSpeak.

Fun Run (*chair & workers*)
 Oktoberfest (*chair & workers*)
 Harvest Festival (*chair & workers*)
 Santa's Workshop (*chair & workers*)
 Family Fun Night (*chair & workers*)
 Golf Tournament (*chair & workers*)
 Auction (*chair & workers*)
 Missoula Theatre (*workers*)
 PAL Events (*workers*)

 RECORD ALL hours on SchoolSpeak for these additional activities!

Parent Club Board
 CSAC (*Catholic School Advisory Commission*)
 Library (*assistance*)
 Book Fair
 Classroom Work Stations
 Field Trips
 Room Parent
 SCRIP Chair
 Box Tops for Education Coordinator
 Chess Club Moderator
 Uniform Exchange Moderator
 Coaching
 Little Dribblers
 Comp / Rec Teams

FUNDRAISING CREDIT

Cash Raised Through Sales / Donation / In-Kind

100% Fundraising Credit

- Fun Run Pledges
- Major Event Sponsorship
- Santa's Workshop Booth Sponsor Sales
- Tuition Assistance "Let the Children Come to Me" At the Auction bidders raise their paddle for this good cause.
- 100% Matching Gift Parents and employers provide matching gifts. Discover what your employer has to offer! (HP, PG&E, Intel, etc.)
- In-Kind Donation With receipt of purchase made for an event as requested.
- Cash Donation (*Excluding "St. Mary Annual Fund"*)

50% Fundraising Credit

- Of donated Auction item sale price.
- Of purchased Auction item.
- Of admission price to Golf, Oktoberfest, and Auction.

SCRIP Rebate %

The SCRIP or eSCRIP program products vary in percent earned. \$50 minimum fundraising credit is required and based on rebates, not on face value.

Fundraising Credit is provided to Administration by event chairs. Your Fundraising Credit can be viewed on SchoolSpeak.

No fundraising credit or hours received for Heaven Hours or Heaven Points, but appreciated!

Heaven Hours

- Participation in your faith and giving from your heart is a blessing. Mass Attendance, Tithing, Yard Signs at your home, Sick Calls, Run to Feed the Hungry, Raffle Donations, EDGE Student Participation, Community Service
- Giving in kindness, such as participation and/or attendance at school activities not designated as fundraisers; sending rebate earnings to St. Mary School through "Shoparoo", Amazon Smile, SaveMart, et al.
- Class Auction Items are paid with fees collected at registration. Additions to these projects are not reimbursed or considered as fundraising.

Heaven Points

- Giving in kindness, such as, donations to St. Mary Annual Fund, as well as participation in any of the following activities: Box Tops for Education, Uniform Exchange Donation, Thanksgiving Basket Contributions, All Raffle Donations, Lenten Baby Bottle or Rice Bowl donations, Student Council Collections, Purchase of Spirit Wear.

Parent Hours and Fundraising Credit
BEGINS: April 1, 2019
ENDS: March 31, 2020

GOAL

Parents work together to raise \$180,000 annually through fundraisers and activities to keep tuition rates down.

FUNDRAISING CREDIT

Families are required to raise a minimum of \$575 (with \$50 raised using SCRIP). Fundraising credits can be earned through participation in events.

PARENT HOURS

Parents are required to participate in a minimum of 25 volunteer hours, 20 hours for the school and 5 hours for the church.

PARENT CLUB

All parents of St. Mary students are members of the Parent Club and are encouraged to get involved with events and activities.

(CSAC)

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

ADVISORY COMMISSION

Members are selected by the pastor and principal and serve as an advisory board to the pastor and principal.

SCHOOLSPEAK

This is our Student Information System. Parents login and sign-up to volunteer, record their hours, and review their fundraising balance. It is through this system that all school communication is sent.

If you need assistance, please call the school office at 916-452-1100.

• **USED UNIFORM PROGRAM**

Uniforms are available at Back to School BBQ, Back to School Night, and scheduled times throughout the year. Check the All School Calendar and read the Blue and Gold for dates.

• **SCRIP**

Support and information is available through Emily Silva at silvafam5@att.net and on our website.

• **BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION**

Class competitions occur at least once a year.

• **LOST AND FOUND**

Misplaced and lost items are sent to the lost and found area located in the breezeway.



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Events/Activities At-A-Glance

August

Back to School BBQ August 8
First Day of School August 14
Parish Festival Chicken Dinner August 17
Parish Festival Carnival August 18
Back to School Mixer August 21
Star Testing window! PAL football and Volleyball begins

September

Skate Night September 17
School portraits, Altar server training and parent teacher conferences

October

Oktoberfest October 12
Harvest Festival October 26
Open Enrollment begins, Red Ribbon Day, and a Parish Dinner

November

Fun Run November 7
STAR testing window, PAL Basketball begins, and the end of the first trimester

December

Father Daughter Night December 6
Santa's Workshop December 15
Diocesan Speech Contest, Choir sings at the Capitol, the Advent program, and the Re-enrollment process begins

January

Family Fun Night January 24
Catholic Schools Week January 26 - January 31
Open House January 26
Scholastic Book Fair January 26 - January 31
Skate Night January 28 at The Rink
Grand Day January 31
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK! Show your St. Mary Spirit and share this great school with friends! STAR testing window

February

Auction Preparation and Acquisitions
STAR testing window and the end of the second trimester

March

AUCTION - March 14
The largest of all our fundraisers. We rely on our families to bring us vacation destinations and items that our bidders want to bid on!
March 31 - End of period for earning fundraising credit and completing parent hours.
Choral Festival, First Reconciliation, St. Pat's Day

April

Missoula Theatre April 20 - April 25
Spring portraits are optional, Lenten Program, Living Stations, Sacraments

May

Golf Tournament May 1
Kinder Promotion May 22
TK Promotion May 26
Baccalaureate Mass and Graduation May 27
Mental Math Bowl, Academic Decathlon, May Crowning, and a STAR testing window

**June
July**

Summer School June 8 - July 31
Parish Fireworks Booth June 28 - July 4th