

# Campus Connection

Your weekly connection to the **Waukesha Catholic** School System

[www.wcssonline.org](http://www.wcssonline.org)

## **Christmas Concerts**

Enjoy the St. Joseph Campus Christmas concert at Carroll University tonight, Tuesday, December 20<sup>th</sup>.



## **Christmas Break**

The Christmas break starts at the end of the day, early dismissal, on December 22<sup>nd</sup>. St. Joseph Campus ends the day at 11:25 a.m. St. Mary Campus and St. William Campus end the day at 11:30 a.m.

Classes resume on Tuesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>.



## **Scrip**

- Thank you to all the Waukesha Catholic family and friends who are Scrip users! December started off with a great order on December 5<sup>th</sup> of \$76,389 and on December 12<sup>th</sup> there were orders totaling \$56,575. With a total profit of \$6,691.
- The next Scrip order will be placed on Monday, January 9<sup>th</sup>.

## **Living Our Faith with Archbishop ListECKi**

The January 7th episode of "Living Our Faith with Archbishop ListECKi" will look at trends in Catholic education in southeastern Wisconsin, including a focus on regionalization and collaboration to ensure sustainability and accessibility. Our feature showcases Catholic East Elementary, Milwaukee, which is the first archdiocesan school to receive an award from "Schools That Can," a non-profit organization committed to growing seats of quality education for low-income students around the United States. **This episode is being filmed at Waukesha Catholic – St. Mary Campus.**

Also tune in to learn more about a pastoral letter on immigration issued by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, as well as Archbishop ListECKi's thoughts on the upcoming 39th anniversary of Roe V. Wade.

Watch "Living Our Faith with Archbishop ListECKi," presented by Catholic Financial Life, on Saturday, January 7, 2012 at noon, on WISN TV 12. Can't watch it? DVR it or view it the following week at [www.livingourfaith.net](http://www.livingourfaith.net).

## **Autism Friendly/Special Needs Mass**

There will be a special needs Mass on Saturday, January 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. at St. Williams Church, 440 North Moreland Blvd, Waukesha. This Mass is for:

- Families with children who are differently abled
- Families with young children who have a hard time sitting through a traditional mass
- And those who want to support them



## **IT'S TIME TO KICK OFF OUR ANNUAL RAFFLE!**

The Cash or Tuition Raffle tickets are now available for sale. Don't miss the opportunity to win either one year of tuition or \$2,000 cash! Only 500 tickets will be sold so your odds of winning are great. For more information see the order form included with this week's packet. You can also download a form from our website at

<http://wcssonline.org/Auction.aspx>

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# Waukesha Catholic St. Mary Campus

## Fourth Week of Advent



During these last few days of Advent, and just before Christmas, we quietly reflect on the mystery. We rest in awe, in wonder, at how our God entered our world and came to be with us. We pause to receive the gift offered us: that the Spirit of God will open up our lives and that Jesus will really come into our hearts. May we have watchful hope today, believing what the Lord promises us. Let us pray today, that we might be God's servants, that we might be instruments of God's love for our families and all we serve this week.

## Book Drive Reminder

This is the last week to donate books for the Advent Service Project. Please have your items to school by Thursday morning. Thank you for contributing to this project!

## Arrival/Dismissal Procedures

- Students that are being dropped off or picked up by car must arrive and dismiss via the car line. Cars should enter the car line from Hartwell Avenue. (If you need more specific details regarding car line procedures please contact the school office for a copy of the guidelines).
- Parking in the lower lot and walking to pick up your child is discouraged and potentially dangerous. If you choose to do this, please be aware that your child will not be allowed to leave the loading zone until a parent or guardian is present. Please do not walk in the flow of traffic.
- No cars should enter or exit the parking lots via Newhall Avenue unless dropping off or picking up a child from the Before and After Care Program.
- No children are to be dropped off or picked up in front of school.
- Please remember that if you are picking up your child by car after school you ARE to use the carline that forms in the back parking lot. We have noticed that many children are being picked up after school on Newhall Avenue which is creating heavy congestion in a very limited space. **IT HAS BECOME A SERIOUS SAFETY CONCERN AND IS PUTTING OUR STUDENTS AND STAFF AT RISK.**

Thank you for your cooperation. If everyone adheres to the above mentioned procedures we will be providing a safer climate for our students.

## Secret Santa's Workshop



There is nothing that can compare to watching a child shop for gifts for the special people in their lives. Thank you so much to Julie Balicki and Debbie Buchert for coordinating Santa's Workshop. It takes a lot of work, time, and patience. It was greatly appreciated by the children, faculty and staff.

### From the Secret Santa's Workshop Coordinator's

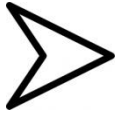
We would like to thank everyone who helped make Santa's Workshop a success...especially Carol Dulles & the students at West H.S., and St. Joe's; to everyone who crafted or donated items, helped us set up, take down and work the Shop; and to the teachers and staff for helping us give the children a great Christmas experience. We could not put this all together without the help of all of you. Thank you for your generous gifts of time, talent and treasure. It is appreciated by us and the children. Christmas blessings to you all! *Julie Balicki and Debbie Buchert*

## Looking Ahead

Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup>: Non-uniform day

Thursday, December 22: Early release – 11:30 a.m.

Tuesday, January 3: Welcome Back!



## In Today's Packet

January Calendar

January Market Day order form

Waukesha Catholic Raffle Ticket order form



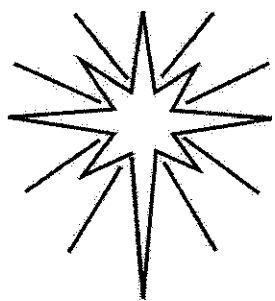
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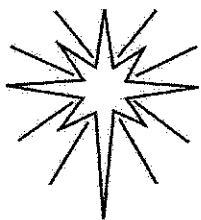
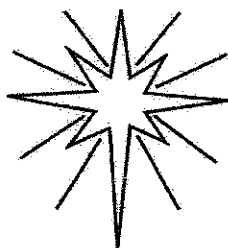
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From the faculty and staff of St. Mary Campus,  
we wish you all a Christmas and New Year  
filled with health and happiness!



Megan Sawczynski

Juie Lentry

Jay Lingo

Michele Campbell

Tracy Jones

Carlene Byrne

Sue Starks

Christy Ray

Jenny Kocowsky

Katie Kelly

Lisa Kovalentz

Hilary Stevenson

Mary Kummel

Linda Bueber

Janis Treiby

Noreen Schultz

Sandy Rupp

Marlene Fehr

Michelle Morgan

Amyla Baumann  
Sherry Udovich

Kare Roessler

Stevdy Brown

Marsha Cullinane

Catherine Beres  
Mary Norgard



Jana Byers

Nancy Jones  
Kelly Schmidt



# January 2012

## Waukesha Catholic St. Mary Campus



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
1	2 <b>No School</b> <i>No Scrip</i>	3 <i>Welcome Back!</i>	4	5	6 <i>School Liturgy</i> 9:00 a.m. 3-1	7	
8 <i>Epiphany of the Lord</i>	9 Athletic Board Meeting 6:30 p.m. @ SJ's	10	11 Non-uniform Day 	12	13 <i>School Liturgy</i> 9:00 a.m. 4-1	14 <i>Hot lunch orders are due to 4 P's today</i>  Market Day pick-up 8:00-9:00 a.m. Multi-purpose	
15	16 Martin Luther King Jr., Day	17 Board Meeting 7:00 p.m. Community Room	18 VIP candid and team pictures 	19	20 2nd quarter ends  Early Dismissal 11:30 a.m. <i>School Liturgy</i> 9:00 a.m. 4-2	21	
22	23	24	25 Non-uniform Day 	26 Book Fair in the Community Room  Super Student Jean Day	27 Report cards sent home Book Fair  <i>School Liturgy</i> 9:00 a.m. 2-1	28 	
29 <i>Catholic Schools Week Begins</i>  	30 Book Fair  Open House 6:30-8:00 p.m.	31 Book Fair  Open House @ SW 6:30-8:00 p.m.	<b>CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK!</b>				4
			Waukesha Catholic Basketball Tournament 5th & 6th Graders: January 30-February 12 7th & 8th Graders: February 13-February 26				



# WAUKESHA CATHOLIC "Cash or Tuition" RAFFLE

The winning ticket holder will win:

## **PRIZE: \$2,000 CASH or 1 Year of Tuition**

- Maximum Cash Value \$2,000 • Maximum Tuition Value \$2,950 for 2012-2013 school year • Anyone is eligible for cash • Tuition applicable only to current Waukesha Catholic Student • Expires June 2013

**Tickets are \$25 each or 3 for \$60**

**ONLY 500 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!**

Odds of winning are great!

Raffle drawing to take place at the Waukesha Catholic Auction on February 11, 2012.  
**Winner need not be present to win.** All proceeds to benefit Waukesha Catholic.

Please return the bottom portion of this sheet with your cash or check to order your Raffle ticket. Return the order form to the Parish or School Office. The ticket will be filled out for you and entered into the drawing. The ticket stub will be sent back to you.

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### **Raffle Ticket Order Form**

I have enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_ (\$25 for each Ticket or \$60 for 3 tickets)  
**(Money must be included with order)**

Mail ticket stub to:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

- Please check here if you would like to be sent an invitation to the Waukesha Catholic Auction & Dinner on February 11, 2012