



WHAT'S AHEAD WEDNESDAY



January 22, 2025

A MESSAGE FROM THE SUS LEADERSHIP

Good Afternoon Husky Families!

We are so thankful to our parents who have volunteered to open car doors on these cold days! Our faculty, staff, and students are so appreciative.

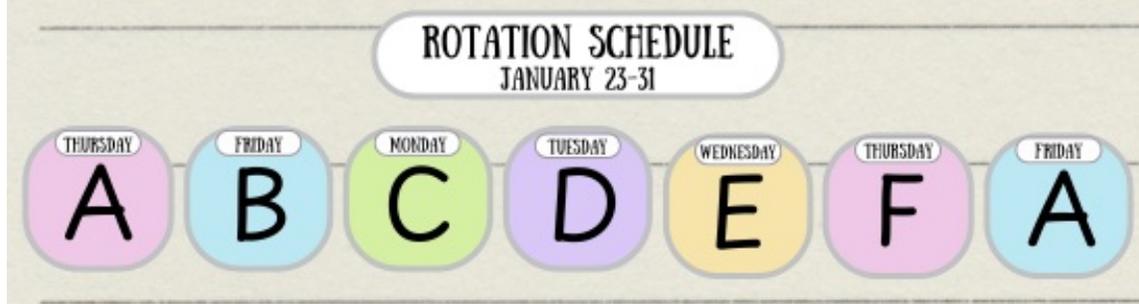
We are so excited about Catholic Schools Week next week. It is such a fun time to celebrate our amazing community of faith and learning. We consider it a privilege to be part of your child's faith and educational journey, fostering an environment that nurtures their development in every aspect.

Please join us as we kick off Catholic Schools Week with Mass at St. Ursula Church on Sunday, January 26th at 11 a.m. We will be hosting our Open House after mass from 12:30 to 2 p.m. If you know of a family interested in our school, please encourage them to visit.

Make sure to review all the fun events taking place next week! Together, let's celebrate the values and teachings that make St. Ursula a truly exceptional place of learning and faith.

Faithfully,
Mrs. Jones & Mrs. Marinaro

ROTATION SCHEDULE FOR JAN 23-31



PAY-IT LINKS

REMINDER Love Grams

Show your St Ursula student some love this Valentine's Day with a special gift surprise! See the flyer below for more information. To order, use this link: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/rxgZJuMo>. **Orders are due no later than February 7th at 12 p.m.** Sorry, but we cannot accept late orders.

REMINDER Faculty & Staff Appreciation Donations

Each year, during Catholic Schools Week, the PHSA takes an opportunity to celebrate and appreciate our teachers and staff for the wonderful work they do teaching our children, enriching their minds and instilling a sense of well-being and Catholic identity. Please consider donating to help us thank the faculty and staff for all they do, not just for Catholic Schools Week but year-round! This link will close on February 2nd: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/FiQp5Jhc>. Thank you for all that you do to support SUS!

NEW Mother Son Sports Jam

The Mothers' Club invites you to the 2025 Sports Jam on Friday, February 7th! This event is for St. Ursula students and their maternal caregivers. Moms vs. Sons for relays and dodgeball!!! New games, more prizes and more fun this year! Register here: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/d47RnUcJ>

NEW Spaghetti Dinner

Please join us on Sunday, February 23rd from 2:00-6:00 p.m. to enjoy some delicious food, drinks, dessert, wheels, and more! Carry-out meals are also available. Please purchase your dine-in and carry-out tickets here: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/l6APHXSc>

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

LAST CHANCE Parent Visitation

Parents are invited to visit their students in the classroom on Wednesday, January 29th from 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. Please park on the St. Ursula School lot, the back half of St. John's Lot, or the St. Ursula Church lot, leaving spaces by the Parish Office open.

For parent visitation day, all parents/visitors will need to enter school through the playground doors to receive an identification badge before visiting any classrooms. **If you have previously visited the school and have had your ID scanned, please complete this form by Friday, January 24th so we can send home a badge with your child:** <https://forms.gle/retr2diHAzXNf4rU9>

Parents/guardians who have not visited the school are encouraged to stop in before Catholic Schools Week and have their ID scanned to expedite the check-in process the day of.

REMINDER Service Day Donations & Volunteers

We need your help! We are collecting donations for Mt. Washington Pediatric Hospital. Below is a list of suggested donations by grade level. Please bring in all donations by Monday, January 27th.



Mt. Washington Pediatric Hospital
Where Children Go for Help and Care
An Affiliates of University of Maryland Medical System and Johns Hopkins Medicine

1708 W. Rogers Ave.
Baltimore, MD 21209
410-578-8600 | mwph.org

WISH LIST

Please Note: As a friendly reminder, due to infection prevention policies we ask for **NEW TOYS** only. Also, no fabric, food-related, or violence-related items. Thank you so much for brightening the lives of our pediatric patients!

<div style="border: 2px solid pink; padding: 5px;"> <p>Gift Cards</p> <p>Please no iTunes or Fandango</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Amazon <input type="checkbox"/> Target <input type="checkbox"/> Wal-Mart <input type="checkbox"/> Michael's/JoAnn Fabrics <p style="text-align: right; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; color: pink;">Faculty & Staff</p> <p>Items under \$5—Always needed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Infant Bibs <input type="checkbox"/> Batteries: AAA, AA, C, D <input type="checkbox"/> Uno Cards/Playing Cards <input type="checkbox"/> Goop, Foam, Foam Soap, Slime <input type="checkbox"/> Children's Board Books (English and Spanish) <input type="checkbox"/> Matchbox cars <input type="checkbox"/> Scrapbooking supplies/Baby Stickers/Alphabet sets of stickers <input type="checkbox"/> Highlighters and Dry erase markers </div>	<div style="border: 2px solid blue; padding: 5px;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Tie Dye Kits <input type="checkbox"/> Teen Board Games <input type="checkbox"/> Phone Chargers <input type="checkbox"/> Baby Alive Dolls <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic Dolls <input type="checkbox"/> Pearler Beads <input type="checkbox"/> Action Figures <input type="checkbox"/> Lego Sets <input type="checkbox"/> Teen novels, School-age chapter books/series <input type="checkbox"/> Fun socks and hair accessories <input type="checkbox"/> Coloring books for adolescents or adults, sketch books <input type="checkbox"/> Nintendo Switch games <input type="checkbox"/> Nail polish <input type="checkbox"/> ISpy books <p style="text-align: right; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; color: blue;">Grades 6-8</p> </div>
<div style="border: 2px solid orange; padding: 5px;"> <p>Infant/Toddler</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Clothing (No zipper-sleepers) <input type="checkbox"/> Preemie & Newborn Size Clothing <input type="checkbox"/> 0-3 mos, 3-6 mos, 6-9 mos Clothing <input type="checkbox"/> Toddler Clothes (12 mos-2T) <input type="checkbox"/> Socks (Preemie-6 months) <input type="checkbox"/> Cause & Effect Toys—Pop up, Musical, V-Tech, etc. <input type="checkbox"/> Toys with Blinking Lights and/or Music <input type="checkbox"/> All Vinyl Baby Dolls (a diverse assortment is appreciated) <input type="checkbox"/> Toddler Toys, Shape Sorters, Ring Stackers (Fisher Price, Paw Patrol, Peanuts or Disney themed) <input type="checkbox"/> Boppy Pillow Covers <input type="checkbox"/> Fisher Price Farm/Zoo animals <p style="text-align: right; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; color: orange;">Grades PK-2</p> </div>	<div style="border: 2px solid green; padding: 5px;"> <p>Sensory Items (latex-free)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Monkey noodles <input type="checkbox"/> Water beads <input type="checkbox"/> Light up ice cubes <input type="checkbox"/> Ink pads <input type="checkbox"/> Kinetic sand <input type="checkbox"/> Fidget spinners <input type="checkbox"/> Stress balls <input type="checkbox"/> Light spinners <input type="checkbox"/> Liquid motion timer/bubbler <input type="checkbox"/> Bubbles <input type="checkbox"/> "Whirly squigz" - large silicone fidget spinner <input type="checkbox"/> Magnet letters or magnets for boards <p style="text-align: right; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; color: green;">Grades 3-5</p> </div>
<div style="border: 2px solid blue; padding: 5px;"> <p>School Age/Adolescent</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Arts and Crafts Supplies— Sand Art Containers, Paint, Fabric Paint, Finger Paint, Puffy Paint, Markers, Model Magic <p style="text-align: right; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; color: blue;">Grades 6-8</p> </div>	<p>Need more ideas of what to purchase for our patients? Check out our Amazon wish list with lots of recommendations that can be purchased and shipped directly to the hospital!</p> <p>https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/RQXOYWWSYDI?ref=wl_share%20</p>

NEW Spirit Week

ST. URSULA SCHOOL

SPIRIT WEEK

JAN 27 - 31

MONDAY

Service Day



Uniform Add-Ons (Wear red, white, and blue)

TUESDAY

Student Appreciation Day
Comfy Cozy Day



Out of Uniform Day

(Wear pajamas, sweatpants, sweatshirts, etc.
No onesies or slippers allowed.)

WEDNESDAY

Parent Appreciation Day
Parent Visitation - No Dress Up
8:30 - 10:30 a.m.

**Please Note: Parents are unable to stay for lunch & recess
Parking: SUS Lot, back of St. John's lot, St. Ursula Church Lot
All visitors will need a Raptor badge. Please see above.

THURSDAY

Faculty & Staff Appreciation Day
MARYLAND DAY



Uniform Add-Ons (Wear Maryland flag colors)

FRIDAY

12:00 Dismissal

SPIRIT DAY



Out of Uniform Day (Wear blue & gold)

UPDATES & REMINDERS

NEW Early Dismissal Friday, January 31st

Please be reminded that we have an early dismissal next Friday, January 31st. Extended Day will be open until 6:00 p.m. The dismissal times are 12:00, 12:08, and 12:16.

REMINDER Financial Aid Application

The application process for those seeking tuition assistance is now open. The application closes on **Friday, February 28th**. For more information and to apply, please visit:

<https://www.stursula.org/admissions/grant-aid>

REMINDER Yearbooks

- **Order Your Yearbook**
 - Please see the flyer below for purchasing instructions. [Yearbook Order Form 2025](#)

PARENT ORGANIZATIONS

NEW Mothers' Club Meeting

Join us for our January meeting on Monday, January 27th at 6:45pm in the St. Ursula Church Spiritual Center. Please RSVP using the link provided to help us prepare for the meeting. All moms are welcome, we hope to see you there! <https://forms.gle/e7c4QMqkoJxahn5C7>

NEW Save the Date- Fathers' Club 80s Dance

The St. Ursula Father's Club 80s Dance is back on Saturday, March 22nd at 7PM. This year, we're turning up the nostalgia with an 80s VS 90s theme! Grab your friends, find a babysitter, and get ready to party like it's 1989... or 1999!

SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITIES

NEW Mothers Club Sports Jam Volunteers

Volunteers are needed with setup, activities during the event, and cleanup. Help us make this a fun night for our moms and students. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080444A5A822A2FD0-54183821-mother#/>

REMINDER February Lunch Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help in the lunchroom in February. Volunteers are needed from 11:20 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. each day. Please use the Sign-up Genius link below to register for the date(s) you are available. Service hours do apply. All volunteers need to be Virtus approved. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0444AAA62EA5FE3-54429708-lunch>

REMINDER Paper Donations

We are now accepting paper donations for service hours. Three reams of 8 1/2x 11 paper will earn 1 service hour.

SPIRITUAL CORNER

Check out this video from Father Mike Schmitz, in which he discusses being Catholic versus just Christian: https://youtu.be/jJCbCs-y1_k?si=Xx7HEocffRET-4tm

PARISH NEWS



**EXPERIENCING THE SACRAMENTS TOGETHER
STRENGTHENS FAMILY BONDS IN FAITH**

Join your St. Ursula Family for Mass:

Saturdays at 5:00 p.m.

Sundays at 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 11:00 a.m.

Worthy of the Call Training will be offered on **Sunday, January 26th 4:15pm-5pm**, in the Spiritual Center, for all teens who are between the ages of 14-17 and interested in volunteering for any parish or school events. Please RSVP to Mrs. Tanya at tanya.ray@archbalt.org

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A LECTOR OR ARE YOU CURRENTLY A LECTOR AT MASS?? There will be a Day of Reflection for Lectors on Saturday, February 1st, in the Spiritual Center, from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm. Lunch included. Please take this opportunity to gather with your peers to reflect on this most important ministry that you have chosen to serve God and His people. Please RSVP to Deacon David (david.glassman@archbalt.org) by Wednesday, January 29.

**JOIN US FOR
EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR
THIS FRIDAY EVENING
AT 7PM IN THE CHURCH!**

COME AND JOIN OUR
ROSARY GUILD

EVERY SECOND FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH!

6:30PM-8PM IN THE SPIRITUAL CENTER

OPEN TO AGES 10YRS AND UP! THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO EARN SERVICE HOURS FOR HIGH SCHOOL AND CONFIRMATION!

Questions? Contact Tanya Ray: tanya.ray@archbalt.org

Our Rosary Guild is a member of Our Lady's Rosary Makers. We make rosaries for the St. Paul Street Evangelization in Warren, MI. The missionaries give the rosaries to people experiencing homelessness and pray the rosary with them!

"BAGEL Days"

Sunday, Jan. 26th after the 9am Mass!!

"Enjoy the bagels!" - Jesus

Childrens Liturgy of the Word!

SUNDAY, Jan. 26th at 11am Mass!!

EDGE Catholic Middle School Ministry

LIFE TEEN Leading Teens Closer to Christ

"I lift up my eyes to the mountains—where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth."
Psalm 121:1-2

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Get ready to climb, conquer, and shine! Let the adventure begin!

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