



SMSS Daily Bulletin

School Day 049 ~ Tuesday, October 21, 2025

Principal's Challenge

Go, and make disciples of all nations.

Senior Saint of the Day ~ chosen by Conrad Green

Today's quote is from St. Matthew the apostle. He is the patron saint of bankers. He was known for writing the first of the four Gospels in the Bible. His feast day is September 21st. He famously retold the Beatitudes in his Gospel, here is one to reflect on today "Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy".

Daily Prayer Intentions:

Our prayer intentions for today are for **Fr. John Okoro of Owensboro** and our students **Tyler Mueller and Marely Pacheco** and art teacher **Sue Hein**.

Catholic Fact: Did you know Jesus' attention to children is confirmed in the Gospels?

Jesus loved children. As a child himself, he was raised by Joseph and Mary in their home at Nazareth (cf. Mt 2:23). Growing up among relatives and townspeople, Jesus experienced the concerns and problems common to all children, such as sickness, and worries of family members. Within this setting, Jesus "grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favor of God was upon him" (Lk 2:40). Jesus' fundamental concern was always for the spiritual development of children. The greatest gift which God the Father can give to anyone, including children, is faith in his only begotten Son. Jesus declared that the Father reveals his Son to children more readily than to the learned and clever (cf. Lk 10:21; Mt 11:25). Recalling these examples of Jesus' attention to children sets the proper context for helping children examine the conscience and preparing them for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This sacrament allows Jesus to express his love for children today. Through it, he continues to influence their lives as he demonstrates his power to heal them. In turn, this sacrament allows children to come to know and love Jesus. For these reasons, Jesus still exhorts us: "Let the children come!". -excerpted from the USCCB, *Sacrament of Reconciliation and Children*

Daily Prayer Leaders

10/20 - AM Chemistry Team / PM Teddy Halverson
10/21 - AM Conrad Green / PM Micah Itiavkase
10/22 - AM Jake Haas / PM Cash Miller
10/23 - AM Nolan Howard / PM Julie O'Farrell
10/24 - AM Hunter Korte / PM Nubia Pacheco

HS/MS Lunch Menu

All lunches are served with raw veggies, fruits and milk or juice

10/20 - Turkey with Gravy & Roll, Mashed Potatoes, Peas
10/21 - Grilled Chicken w/Cheese Sub, Savory Fries, Sweet Peppers, Jell-O
10/22 - Bosco Sticks & Marinara, Green Beans, Side Salad, Pudding
10/23 - Queso Chicken & Rice, Corn, Black Beans, Salsa, Cookie
10/24 - Hot Ham & Cheese, Tots, Carrots, Fruit

Clean Up Duty for the Week of October 20th

- MS Powersnack: 8th Grade Boys / MS Lunch: 6th Grade Girls
- HS Powersnack: 9th Grade Boys / HS Lunch: 9th Grade Girls

October Birthdays 🎉 🎂 🍰

MS: Kody Marshall, Dylin Durbin, Teddy Halverson

HS: Collins Martin, Mark Humm, Kynnlee Brummett, Jake Morris, Patrick Humm, Tyler Mueller, Olivia O'Neill

Faculty: Tracy Courtney, Frank Lewis

All School News

- **10/21 MS/HS Photo Make-up day for MS/HS is October 21st.** Students who missed the first photo day will be called to the Commons in the first hour.
- **10/22 MS/HS Orchestra will host a Halloween themed Concert on Wednesday, October 22, 2025 from 6:30-7:30 pm.** Please email [Ms. Washam](#) for more information.
- **10/31 MS/HS Students are allowed to wear Halloween costumes on Friday, October 31st as part of** promoting a fun and spirited school culture. Costume guidelines were emailed to all students and families last week. Please see Mrs. Falk with any questions on your costume ideas.
- **10/31 Halloween candy donations are needed for our annual Elementary Trick or Treat at the MS/HS School.** Please drop off individually wrapped treats at the Front Office. Thank you!



Academic Team:

Congratulations to the following students for their placements in the 2025 KAAC Pre-Season testing competition:

- Social Studies (out of 365 students across Kentucky): Reyansh Bejgum (tie for 8th) and Andy Bhatia (tie for 19th)
- General Knowledge (out of 336 students across Kentucky): Reyansh Bejgum (tie for 20th)
- Language Arts (out of 299 students across Kentucky): Reyansh Bejgum (tie for 3rd)

MS News

Congratulations to the 2025 Middle School Student Council!

- President- Cash Miller
- V President- Brianna Warren
- Secretary: Sam Wilson
- Treasurer: Tate Shoulta
- 6th grade class reps: Claire Wurth, Caroline Wurth
- 7th grade class reps: Avery Puckett, James Paxton

- **10/22 8th Graders will enjoy a field trip to the West KY Launch to learn about local industries.** The field trip will run from 8:30-noon. Please email [Mrs. Courtney](#) with questions.
- **10/23 Robotics Club will meet on Thursday, October 23rd after school.**
- **10/24 MS Adoration will be held on Friday, October 24th.** Please email [Ms. Colgan](#) with questions.
- **10/27-31 Red Ribbon Week will begin on Monday, October 27th.** The theme is "Life Is A Puzzle, Solve It Drug Free." Stay tuned for information on fun activities!
- **10/31 MS Halloween Party will be held at the end of the day on Friday, October 31st.** Food, games, and fun in the Commons!

HS News

- **10/21 ACT Testing will be held on Tuesday, October 21st.** Please email [Mrs. Mitzi](#) with questions.
- **10/22 HS Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, October 22nd.**
- **10/22 ALL Seniors need to submit their "Senior Quote" no later than Wednesday, October 22 to be included in the 25-26 Yearbook!** Please send your quote to [Ms. Cunningham](#) as soon as possible.
- **10/23 Spanish Club will visit WKCTC Culinary School on Thursday, October 23, 2025.** Please see [Mrs. Pacheco](#) with questions.
- **10/28 Girls Investment Club will meet Tuesday, October 28th during lunch in Room 208, and Boys Investment Club will meet Thursday, October 30th.**
- **10/30 French Club will travel to WKCTC on Thursday, October 30th.** Please see [Mrs. Ford](#) for details.
- **10/31 Order your Letter Jacket today!** The deadline for Pre-Christmas delivery for Letter Jackets has been extended to November 3rd. Students and parents can order now and still have their Lettermen Jacket delivered in time for Christmas! **Please click here to place your order: [Jostens - Vikings](#)**

[Catholic Athletes for Christ: Join today!](#) If you have questions, please email [Tim Stewart](#).

- 10/22 The group meets each Wednesday morning at 7:30 am to pray the rosary in the St. Mary Chapel. The next rosary will be Wednesday, October 22nd.

Sports Events

10/21 MS Basketball 7B/7G/8B @ Carlisle 5:00 pm
 10/22 Esports (Super Smash Bros.) 3:00 pm
 10/23 Esports (Mario Kart) 3:00 pm
 10/25 HS Regional XC Meet - Owensboro
 10/29 Esports (Super Smash Bros.) 3:00 pm
 10/30 Esports (Mario Kart) 3:00 pm
 11/01 KAAC JV Challenge
 11/01 HS State XC Meet, Georgetown
 11/4 MS Basketball I 7G/8B v Ballard 5:30 pm

Sports and other events may be canceled at the last minute due to weather conditions, or other issues