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MATTHEWS MEMO

Hello Victory Families,

We have been celebrating Teacher Appreciation Week this week. I cannot say a big enough THANK YOU to PTO for spoiling all of us this week! There have been all kinds of yummy treats, kind words, cute t-shirts, and surprises all week! I cannot say how appreciative we all are for all of the thought and effort that has gone into celebrating this week. We are all beyond grateful!

We would like to say a big Thank You to all of our teachers here at Our Lady of Victory. It is Teacher Appreciation Week and we celebrate you all this week! We are very blessed to have a staff full of dedicated, nurturing, and enthusiastic teachers. Thank you to all of them for the countless hours of hard work they put into educating the children at Our Lady of Victory! All of their dedication, hard work and countless hours of behind the scene planning has not gone unnoticed. I want to thank all of the teachers and staff for being dedicated. Thank you for seeing the value of education. All of your efforts in carrying out the mission of Our Lady of Victory are greatly appreciated. You are the BEST and Victory is lucky to have each of you!

As the year comes to a close for our eighth graders, we send our graduates forward with best wishes. We want them to know they are in our prayers. Good luck with your new adventures in high school! Please remember you are always welcome and a part of Our Lady of Victory!

Our May Caring and Sharing Day is Friday, May 9th. Please see the attached flyer. A reminder, Caring and Sharing days are Victory Spiritwear days. Students should come in blue and gold or Victory spirit wear.

Our last day of school is Friday, May 23rd. We will dismiss at 12:00. No lunch will be served. All Oak Hills buses will be running. If your child is going home an alternate way, please remember to send a note to your child's teacher. There will be no After School Program on the last day of school, May 23rd.

Have a wonderful week!
Mrs. Matthews, Principal

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

- We would like to congratulate all of our eighth graders who have received scholarships. We are very proud of your hard work and accomplishments. Please know there may be others who will be awarded scholarships in the future as well! Congratulations to Emma Bianco, Aubrey Fleek, Alaina Cappel, Avery Ramstetter, Ella Busam, McKinley Ruhe, Kamryn Listerman, Anna Owens, Caroline Schroeder, Karli Vaughn, Lilly Smith, Elena Kelley, Lucy Jones, Izzy Aull, Reagan Frondorf, Autumn Gabrelski, Jaxon Rogers, Gavin Behrendt, Brady Clark, Luke Fitz, Christopher Grubbs, Dustin Harmon, Jacob Hirst, James Hirst, Gus Kelly, Myles McDonald, Rylee Miller, Logan Schultz, Brodie Shuler, Lucas Sublett, Cooper Tepe, and Peter Ewing.
- We would like to congratulate Karli Vaughn for receiving the Nancy Robben Scholarship! Congratulations Karli! We are very proud of you!
- We would like to congratulate Evie Rose and Brayden Rudolf for receiving the 2025 ESAP Scholarship! Congratulations, Evie and Brayden! We are very proud of you!

FESTIVAL NEWS

- **OLV PARISH FESTIVAL IS MAY 16, 17, AND 18**

Our annual OLV Festival is a fun time for the parish community to come together and enjoy the festival fun. To help the logistics run as smoothly as possible, there are some changes with our arrival and dismissal procedures during the week of the festival. Please share this information with anyone who is helping you with carpool the week of the festival. **THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR PATIENCE AND COOPERATION WITH THE PARKING AND DISMISSAL.** We will do all we can to help this to run as smoothly and efficiently as possible.

- **MORNING CARPOOL:** We'd like ALL MORNING carpools (PK-8) to drop off their students in the North Lot (behind church) **May 13th-May 16th.**
- **PRESCHOOL/KINDERGARTEN HALF DAY STUDENTS:** Parents will need to park in the North Lot (behind Church) and walk to the area where you currently pick students up.
- **AFTERNOON CARPOOL – NORTH LOT:**
We are going to dismiss all students kindergarten through grade 8 from the North Lot (behind church).
- **PRESCHOOL CARPOOLS:**
There is a change in where you will be picking students up. If you have a **PRESCHOOLER ONLY**, you need to pull into the driveway between church and the Convocation Center and pull through the lane in front of church. Preschool aides will bring your child to you. Once you have your child, please pull forward and exit the driveway in front of you to your left.

If you have a preschooler and other grade students in your carpool. You need to park in the **NORTH LOT**. Please pick up your preschoolers from **CHURCH** and walk them back to your car in the **NORTH LOT** and wait for the rest of your K-8 students.

The North Lot will be full. Please help to make this work by pulling up close to the car in front of you. Additional staff will be in the parking lot to add additional parking lines.
- **SCHOOL AND CHURCH VISITORS:** If you are visiting the school, church, or parish office during the week of the festival between 8 am and 2:30 pm, please park in the North Lot behind the church. If you are visiting between 2:30 pm and 3:15 pm, once the rides and/or tents are assembled, please park in the cemetery loop.
- **AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM:** If you are picking up your children from the After School Program during the week before the festival, once the booths are set up, please park in the cemetery loop or behind church when picking up your children. **There will be NO After School Program for any students on Friday, May 16th.**

- School is not in session on May 19th to allow for festival clean-up.

CALLING ALL PARENTS!

- **FESTIVAL:** We could use your help getting shifts covered at the festival – please consider helping! <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0A4DADAA22AAF85-56469663-festival> or go to www.olvdelhi.org to sign up. Thank you!!
- **SCHOOL DESK ASSEMBLY:** Calling all school parents to assist in the assembly of 550 school desks. We will be serving LaRosas pizza and some drinks to all those who can make it. Please note that this is an adult only event. Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up. Thank you! <https://sugeni.us/VuOj>

OVL GIRLS ON THE RUN

Calling all current 2nd, 3rd, and 4th graders: Exciting news! We are planning to register OLV for the Girls on the Run program again this fall. This program is designed for girls in grades 3rd-5th. We need your help to determine how many girls in those grades would be interested in participating in the program so we know how many teams and coaches we will need.

We're asking that you email [Natalie at olvgotr@gmail.com](mailto:Natalie@olvgotr@gmail.com) if you think your daughter would be interested in the program this fall. Please include your daughter's name and grade for the 25-26 school year. Note, this is just to get an estimate on interest level and does not guarantee participation.

Keep in mind that the girls have to commit to (2) 90-minute sessions each week, and it runs for 10 weeks, starting the week of Sept 8th and ending with a fun 5k on November 15th at Yeatman's Cove. Last year, the girls met right after school. Please reach out to us with any questions you have if you think your daughter might be interested in this. It is important that we hear back from everyone by May 14th to give us time to plan for how many teams we can register for.

If you know someone that would be interested in coaching, please email Natalie that information so we can see how much help we would have. We are required to have a specific amount of coaches to host the program. All coaches would need to be current in SafeParish training as well as go through the official training with GOTR this summer. Note that you cannot sign up to coach after this summer as you have to go through the official GOTR training prior.

HIGH SCHOOL EVENTS & SUMMER CAMPS

- **SUMMER CAMPS:**
 - Elder: <https://elderhighschool.campbrainregistration.com>
 - LaSalle: <https://www.lasallehs.net/summer-camp/>
 - Mercy McAuley: <https://www.mercymcauley.org/admissions/summer-camps>
 - Moeller: <https://moellercamps.campbrainregistration.com>
 - Mount Notre Dame: <https://www.mndhs.org/summer-camps-2025/>
 - Roger Bacon: <https://www.rogerbacon.org/about/summer-camps>
 - Saint Ursula: <https://www.saintursula.org/SummerCamps.aspx>
 - Seton: <https://secure.qgiv.com/for/setonhighschool/event/summercamp2025/>
 - St. Xavier: <https://www.stxavier.org/academics/summer-camps>
 - Ursuline: <https://www.ursulineacademy.org/athletics/camps>
- **ELDER HSPT:** Looking to improve your score on the High School Placement Test? The Elder HSPT Prep Summer Camp offers rising 8th grade students an opportunity to learn test taking skills and prepare for the HSPT! Session 1 is July 21-24 from 8:30am-12:00pm and Session 2 is July 28-31 from 8:30am-12:00pm. Register at www.eldersh.org/hsptprep2025

LUNCH MENU & HELPERS

CAFETERIA HOURS 11:30 TO 1:00

MON MAY 12	Chicken Nuggets, Mac n Cheese, Green Beans, Mixed Fruit & Milk	Elise Hoffer, Emily Heekin, Amanda Farrell, Tim Farrell, Brandon Finke, Angela Schroer
TUE MAY 13	Hot Dogs, Fries, Baked Beans, Apple Sauce & Milk	Jenna Beck, Anne Wilburn, Jen Reinkemeyer, Guy Beck, Mynhi Quach
WED MAY 14	Walking Tacos, Rice, Corn, Pineapple & Milk	Katie Moellinger, Jenna Yee, Liz Shooner, Brittany Zieverink, Emily Preston, Annie Schalter
THU MAY 15	Pancakes, Potato Patty, Sausage, Oranges & Milk	Arminda Allen, Lissy Wilcoxson, Melanie Pace, David Rettig, Matt Abbott, Leanne Merz
FRI MAY 16	Cheese Pizza, Carrots & Dip, Apple Slices, Snack Cracker & Milk	Brittney Ranz, Kelly Reynolds, Angela Ott, Angela Mohs, Kaitlyn Rinear, Heather Monnig

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<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/2425cafe>

OLV requires each family to volunteer a minimum of 5 days throughout the school year. This school year we are implementing the \$50 fee if you do not meet the 5 days (charged in FACTS in April or May).

IMPORTANT DATES

MAY 8	Spring Flower Sale Pick-up – 2-6 pm	MAY 8	NJHS – 6:30 pm
MAY 9	Caring & Sharing	MAY 13	Graduation Day
MAY 14	4th Grade Movie Premier	MAY 16	Festival – May 16-18

SCHOOL & COMMUNITY FLIERS

[CLICK HERE](#) to see fliers on upcoming events at school and around our community.