

## Saint John the Baptist Catholic School

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School Newsletter  
September 16, 2022

The mission of Saint John the Baptist Catholic School is to educate God's children and promote Catholic values through academic excellence and service to others.

### Upcoming School/Parish Events

- September 19 - H&S meeting @ 6:00 pm
- September 26 - NO SCHOOL - Teacher In-Service
- October 7 - NO SCHOOL - Diocesan In-Service
- October 12 - Fall Picture Day
- October 20 - Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm
- October 21 - NO SCHOOL - Teacher In-Service  
- Parent/Teacher Conferences 10:30 am to 3:00 pm

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Back to school  
WELCOME

### Star Testing

Star testing will be happening the week of September 19th through the 23rd. Please make sure your child(ren) are well rested and ready for star testing! **GOOD LUCK STUDENTS!!!!**

### New Teacher!

We would like to welcome Mrs. Jessica Halvorsen! She will be the 3K teacher. Mrs. Jean Lemmer will be the 4K teacher.



### Seroogy's Candy Bar Sale

The Seroogy's candy bar sale is beginning! Please make sure to return the survey so that we may order the chocolate as soon as possible!





September 2022

Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe that it's already the middle of September. In these first few weeks I've had several students come to school tired. One of them told me it is hard to get to sleep because of noisy, younger siblings. Fun fact: Did you know that rats generally live 2 to 3 years, but when deprived of sleep, only live 3 weeks? When it comes to health, sleep is as important as regular exercise and nutritious food. Getting adequate sleep can improve students' academic performance.

Next week, Mrs. Werner, Mr Pospichal, Mrs. Michlig, Mrs. Wierzba and Mrs. Bergs are giving the first STAR test. According to the Renaissance website, Renaissance STAR testing is a suite of computer-adaptive assessments used to keep track of students' reading and mathematics skills throughout the year. The computer "monitors" students' abilities. For example, if a student answers a problem incorrectly, the computer will generate an easier question next time. Conversely, if a student answers correctly, the computer will generate a more challenging question. This testing also provides data to help teachers place students into a more advanced course, if needed. During our inservice on September 26th teachers will meet, electronically, with the Renaissance staff to help us interpret student data obtained from the STAR testing we will do next week (Sept. 19th through the 23rd).

Therefore, it is very important that students get a good night's sleep before testing each night next week. Some things your child can do to get good rest:

- Eat at least two hours before going to bed, so food digests
- Eat/drink foods that promote relaxation: bananas, whole grains, fish, nuts, lettuce, milk.
- Stay away from foods with caffeine, so try orange soda or root beer instead of Coke
- Do a relaxing activity such as reading
- Don't use an electronic device right before going to bed
- Write down bad thoughts that are making him/her anxious and put them in a box so that they are in the box and not on your child's mind.

- Take a warm, relaxing bath
- Relax his/her muscles one by one
- Sleep in a dark, quiet room

Ms. Renee Fait, principal

St. John the Baptist Catholic School, Edgar, Wisconsin

Ephesians 1:11 says, “because we are united with Christ we have received an inheritance from God, For He chose us in advance and He makes everything work out according to His plan”.

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# YOUTH GROUP

Youth Night begins at 5:30pm and ends at 7:00 pm. We meet in the youth room, basement of the rectory of St. John's. Youth Group is available to any students in grade 5 and up.

UPCOMING EVENTS



**Sept** 26TH - YOUTH NIGHT



10TH - YOUTH NIGHT

19TH - POTATO BAKE

24TH - YOUTH NIGHT + FAMILY NIGHT BEGINS AT 6:00 PM

**Oct**



7TH - YOUTH NIGHT

**Nov** 21ST - YOUTH NIGHT + FAMILY NIGHT BEGINS AT 6:00 PM



5TH - YOUTH NIGHT

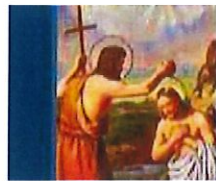
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## 2022 MARIAN CONFERENCE

Saturday, September 24, 2022



### Immaculate Heart of Mary

#### Special Symbolism

- \* Mary's heart is visible outside her body to symbolize her love for all humanity.
- \* Mary's heart is on fire to show her deep love for God and all mankind.
- \* White roses around her heart or a lily represent her purity brought about by her Immaculate Conception.
- \* A single sword pierces her heart referring to the passage from Luke 2:35 (above).
- \* Mary's heart usually has rays of light shining from her heart in reference to the passage from Revelations 12:1 describing the Blessed Virgin as a woman clothed with the sun.

### Featuring Father Samuel Martin

*Sharing reflections and insights regarding our Blessed Mother and the Total Consecration to her Immaculate Heart.*

Join us on Saturday, September 24, 2022, for a relaxing, insightful and devotional day. The program will begin with registration at 9:30 am and presentations by our keynote speaker, Fr. Martin as well as our own Fr. Alan Wierzba.

For more information, see the bulletin or brochures,

or contact Nancy at St John's Parish Office:

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#### LOCATION:

**St John the Baptist Catholic Church**

103 N. 4th Ave.

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*Free-will donation will be appreciated for the Conference as well as lunch and refreshments.*