



# SACRED HEART

## SCHOOL

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### WEEKLY UPDATES

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*Be Not Afraid!*

#### *This Week!*

Planning on taking a 1st Day photo of your child? Post it with our 1st Day Hashtag!

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#### SEPTEMBER

9/4 → Happy Labor Day!

9/5 → HAPPY 1st DAY!!

→ Prayer Service at 11:45a  
In Auditorium

9/8 → Happy Birthday, Fr. John and the Blessed Virgin Mary!

#### *Liturgical Celebrations!*

**Sept. 8th → Nativity of Mary, Mother of God**

At Sacred Heart School, we know the Blessed Mother looks after us in a special way. As a Church, we celebrate her Nativity, or her birthday, on Friday, September 8th. That also happens to be Fr. John's birthday! No wonder she takes such good care of us!

#### *From the Principal's Desk...*

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the 2017-2018 School Year at Sacred Heart School. Our halls have been empty for *far* too long and we look forward to seeing our students walk through the doors bright and early Tuesday Morning!

Please review this newsletter as the first of our weekly updates found right here on our school website. This page will be updated every Friday by 6pm with important reminders and handouts from our school. We have some wonderful things planning for you and your child this year so stay tuned for reminders and updates!

Of course, your child's safety is always paramount to us here at SHS. For this reason, please know that he/she will be bringing home some very important documents on Tuesday that need to be completed at returned to us before September 8th. On the first day of school, each child will bring home:

1. Car Tags (necessary for us to release a child at dismissal)
2. Emergency Verification Sheet
3. Emergency Contact Cards
4. Handbook Acknowledgement

*\* Those students who were took the Terra Nova's in the spring will also be bringing home their full reports.*

It is imperative that these items are reviewed and completed carefully. The Emergency Verification Sheet demonstrates the current data we have in Genesis, our student database. Our instant alert system now

## *Links to Important Back to School Info!*

[School Calendars](#)

[School Handbook](#)

[Lunch Menu](#)

[Dismissal Procedure Form](#)

[AM Care/Extended Day](#)

[PTA Info](#)

[Health Office](#)

syncs with our student database so we need to be sure that information is up-to-date and filled in completely.

In the meantime, I am asking that every parent complete the [Dismissal Procedure Form](#) available on our school website. This will help our teachers dismiss our students safely all year. Remember, you can always change your child's dismissal procedure if something comes up, but it is important that our teachers know where to send students at the end of the day.

Please note that there is also a change in our lunch menu this week. Meals on the 7th and 8th are switching. Ms. Heather will serve pizza on Thursday the 7th and sloppy joes on Friday the 8th. Thanks in advance for your flexibility!

Other than that, we are ready to kick-off! We hope you can join us for our annual start of the year prayer service at 11:45 on Tuesday, September 5th! Many thanks to the PTA for supplying us with pretzels for our students! It's always good to start the year together in prayer...and pretzels.

Happy First Day! And may the Sacred Heart of Jesus always bless and keep you!

Sincerely,  
Ms. Besheer

## *Prayer for the New School Year*

God of wisdom and might,  
we praise you for the  
wonder of our being: mind,  
body, and soul. Be with  
our children as they begin  
a new school year. Bless  
their teachers and staff.  
Give them strength and  
grace as their bodies grow;  
wisdom and knowledge as  
they search for  
understanding; and peace  
and zeal to their hearts  
and they grow in holiness.

We ask this through Christ,  
our Lord.



*SHS Faculty and Staff Welcomes you!*

Amen!