



Mater Dei Catholic School

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Week at a Glance September 16 - 22, 2018

Be Holy. Be Excellent. Love One Another.

Mater Dei PTO Annual Trash Bag Sale

If you would like some trash bags call the Mater Dei School Office at 233-1727.



Outdoor Bags (blue) 55 gallon/16 per roll
Lawn Bags (yellow) 39 gallon/25 per roll
Kitchen Bags (white) 15 gallon/65 per roll
\$10 per roll

Safety Reminder



Remember **NO** U-turns when dropping off the children in the morning on Clay Street. Please be mindful your driving. Safety First!

Fall Bazaar November 4th and 5th

Last year, Mater Dei Parish raised over \$25,000. We need your help this year to make this event a greater success and meet our fundraising goal of \$30,000.

If you wish to get involved with this year's Fall Bazaar, please contact Nancy Cina at 785-817-1708.

Fall Bazaar Events:

Saturday, November 4th - S'mores and Sangria (Kid Friendly Event)

Sunday, November 5th - Crafts, Games, and Turkey Dinner

\$25 donation for dinner ingredients (turkeys, pies, and paper products) may be made to the parish office.

The Country Store is accepting handmade items.

Prize Raffle and Silent Auction items are needed. Items should be new. Cash is always welcome to purchase items.

Fall
Bazaar

Virtue

Virtue development is a way to change the heart. The goal is to guide our students to personally commit to what is right and good.

What is Temperance? Temperance enables us to keep from doing what is wrong, even when we have strong feelings for it. In other words, temperance is what keeps us from sinning, even when we want to.

Self-control is part of Temperance. Some of the actions for self-control:

Ages 6 & up

"I will raise my hand before I speak."

Ages 10 & up

"Control my reactions when I feel angry or frustrated."

Ages 12 & up

Fast: restrain myself from saying or doing everything I desire; practice restraint in words and actions.

Theater Fever Hits Mater Dei

Helen Hocker Theater presents

Junie B. Jones is not a Crook.

Trace B. and Maggy M. will be performing in this hilarious and heartfelt tale based on the best-selling book series by Barbara Park. Katie M. is part of the production crew. Liz Emmert (Mater Dei alum - Class of 2015) is the stage manager for this production.

Check out Helen Hocker website for dates and times.

Sunday, September 16



CATECHETICAL
SUNDAY

Celebrated at 10:30 am Mass
MDHN



Monday, September 17



Menu

nuggets 'n nachos, green beans, salsa,
rosie applesauce

Servers/Cross Guards:
Trey F.; Hannah Sz.



Volleyball Games

8:00 pm MDA vs SMB at MCBAC
8:00 pm MDB vs TCB at Top. Lut.

Tuesday, September 18

8:00 am All School Mass 6th Gr.
Connor Z.; Mary B.; Bradyn M.

Menu

cowboy dinner, corn chips, baby carrots,
pears

Servers/Cross Guards:
Henry H.; Hannah Sa.



Wednesday, September 19

Mid-quarter grades

Menu

spaghetti, salad, corn, garlic bread,
peaches

Servers/Cross Guards:
Natalie H.; Josiah T.



Volleyball Games

6:00 pm MDC vs MPHMC at MPH
7:00 pm MDB vs MPHMB at MPH

Thursday, September 20

Spirit Day



Menu

BBQ meatballs, peas, carrots, buttered
noodles, roll, fruit

Servers/Cross Guards:
Elijah J.; Tanner M.



Trash Bag Pick-up
MD Gym
3:00-6:00 pm

Friday, September 21

8:00 am All School Mass 3rd Grade
Natalie H.; Cooper Z.; Bea H.

Menu

hot dog, smiles, raw vegetables, banana

Servers/Cross Guards:
Alexis K.; Isaiah L.



Saturday, September 22

Come on out to the Hayden Soccer
Field and watch our Knights compete
against the Topeka Collegiate Eagles.

Admission:

\$5.00 per family

\$3.00 per adult

\$1.00 per student (K-12)



Card
Ministry

Thank you to Miss Gowen's Third
Grade class for making cards for
the September Card Ministry.

Many of the recipients are home-
bound and look forward to these
messages from our students.

Our Mission:

Based on the teachings of Christ and the Catholic Church, in partnership with the family and parish community, Mater Dei Catholic School will provide each child the opportunity to reach his or her potential and to develop the academic, technological and social skills necessary to become a lifelong learner who serves God in our community and the world.

Prayer List

Every morning the students and staff of Mater Dei Catholic School begin the day with prayer. Please join your prayer with ours for the following:

- Rose Ramos
- Beatrice Rocha
- Sidney White Sr.
- Mrs. Dana Jessup
- Faye Wortman
- Ron Wortman
- Anne Reif
- Anne Leonard
- Steve Nyswonger
- Leslie Fernandez
- Beth Wartick
- Yolanda Anguiano
- Dontez Guzman
- Jack Hill
- Baby Ollie
- For the repose of the soul of Eileen Youngblood (grandmother of Isaac C.)
- For the family of Eileen Youngblood
- For our benefactors
- For our alumni



Visual Arts

Did you know Picasso's full name has 23 words? *Pablo Diego José Francisco de Paula Juan Nepomuceno María de los Remedios Cipriano de la Santísima Trinidad Martyr Patricio Clito Ruíz y Picasso*. He was named after various saints and relatives.

This month's artist is Pablo Picasso. A poster of *Toros y Toreros* is in the school's main hallway. Other fun facts are listed as well.



Hurricane Florence

Lord God,

In this time of storm, of flooding and disaster be with all who are vulnerable. Keep them safe from wind and rain. Guide those that put their lives at risk to help. Keep them safe. Be with all who reach out to neighbors with your love and compassion. Protect and guide them in the midst of danger and of strife. May all find shelter in the embrace of Your love.

Amen.

Mater Dei Fall Benefit Golf Tournament

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Tuesday, October 2nd
Village Greens Golf Course
in Ozawkie

Pulled Pork Lunch starting at 11:00 am
12:30 pm Shotgun Start
Fee: \$75.00 per person and includes golf cart, golf fees, two drinks tickets and lunch.

Format: Four Person Scramble Flights.
Each Flight will be awarded cash prizes. Many Raffle Prizes available for participants.

If interested in playing, pick up a flyer in the Vestibule of both churches or call the Parish Office 232-7744 for additional details. Proceeds benefit Mater Dei Parish and School.

Jump Rope for Heart

JRFH has been scheduled for February 13th!

You may send in a donation of \$5 to reserve your heart token. Simply place your donation in an envelope with your name, grade, and amount of donation. Turn in to homeroom teacher. Thank you.



SILVERBACKKS

lead. help. build. protect.

Volunteers needed to:

- **Prepare food**
MDS Cafeteria 3:30-5:00 pm
- **Serve meal**
Central Park Community Center 5:00-6:30 pm

If you are interested in helping with this ministry, please contact Nancy Cina at 785-817-1708.

TRIVIA KNIGHT

Saturday
October 6th
7:00-10:00 pm
Rossitter Hall
204 SW 8th St.



\$100 for a table of 8
Call Mater Dei Parish office to reserve your table: (785) 232-7744
Details given upon reservation.
Proceeds to Mater Dei Catholic School

Fall Sports

Soccer:

Students in grades 5-6-7-8 make up this year's soccer team. The soccer team is coached by Dan Spindler. Go Knights!

Volleyball:

Flight A:

8th grade girls are coached by Beth Smith, Paula Valdivia-Droge and Anne Wardner.

Flight B:

Deb Schmitz and Lauren Hutley are coaching this year's 7th grade girls.

Flight C:

This is the 6th grade girls first year to compete for Mater Dei. They are coached by Corey and Matt Everett and Gary Walker.

Admission to the games:

- \$5.00 per family
- \$3.00 per adult
- \$1.00 per student (grades K-12)

As a spectator, always remember to model good sportsmanship. Thank you supporting Mater Dei Knights.

Soccer Schedule

September 8	MD vs HF To be re-scheduled due to weather
September 15	MD vs CTK at 11:00 am
September 22	MD vs TC at 10:00 am
September 29	MD vs SM at 11:00 am
October 6	MD vs MPHMC at 10:00 am

CTK	Christ the King
HF	Holy Family
MPHMC	Most Pure Heart of Mary
SM	Saint Matthew
TC	Topeka Collegiate

All games are played at Hayden Soccer Field. 400 SW Gage (west side of the football field)



Go Knights!



Volleyball Schedule

Monday, September 17	8:00 pm MDA vs SMB at MCBAC 8:00 pm MDB vs TCB at Top. Lut.
Wednesday, September 19	6:00 pm MDC vs MPHMC at MPHMC 7:00 pm MDB vs MPHMB at MPHMC
Monday, September 24	6:00 pm MDC vs TLC at TL 8:00 pm MDA vs CKTA at TL
Saturday, September 29	12:30 pm MDC vs HFC at SM 2:30 pm MDB vs SMB at SM
Monday, October 1	8:00 pm MDA vs TCA at HF
Wednesday, October 3	6:00 pm MDC vs MPHMC at MPHMC
Saturday, October 6	12:30 pm MDC vs TLC at MPHMC 1:30 pm MDB vs CTKB at MPHMC 2:30 pm MDA vs HFA at MPHMC

CTK	Christ the King Gym: 25th & Wanamaker
HF	Holy Family (MCBAC) Gym: 224 NE Branner
MPHMC	Most Pure Heart of Mary Gym: 17th & Stone
SM	Saint Matthew Gym: 1000 SE 28th St.
TC	Topeka Collegiate 2200 SW Eveningside Dr.
TL	Topeka Lutheran School Gym: 701 SW Roosevelt

VOLLEYBALL