



04/18/19—Holy Thursday, 1:00 Dismissal, BASC until 4:00

04/19/19—Good Friday, No School

04/21/19—Easter

04/22-04/26—Book Fair

04/23/19—Spirit Shirt Day

04/24/19—Mass at 8:30am

04/25/19—Uncle Maddio's Night 5-8pm

04/26/19—Kite Day for grades K4 thru 5h

04/26/19—Progress Checks Home Today

04/27/19—First Holy Communion 10:00am and 2:00pm

04/29—05/02—Standardized Testing Grades 3-8—NO APPTS PLEASE

05/02/19—Presentation: Guiding Our Students through Digital Citizenship 6:00pm Cafe



† Mass Schedule †

Saturday Morning 8:30 AM & Evening 5:30 PM
Sunday 7:00 AM, 8:30 AM, 11:30 AM & 5:30 PM

Weekdays

Monday 8:30 AM
Tuesday 6:15 AM & 8:30 AM
Wednesday 8:30 AM & 6:30 PM
Thursday 8:30 AM & 6:30 PM
Friday 8:30 AM

Holy Days 6:00 AM, 8:30 AM & 6:30 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday & Thursday 5:30 PM — 6 :20 PM
Saturday 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM
First Friday 9:00 AM-9:00 PM
First Saturday 9:00 AM—10:00 AM

ITBS Standardized Testing for grades 3rd thru 8th grades is April 29nd thru May 2nd with a start time of 8:00am to Noon.

Please do not schedule appointments during testing.

**STANDARDIZED TESTING (IOWA AND COGAT)
APRIL 29THRU MAY 02ND
FOR GRADES 3RD THRU 8TH**

We will begin testing on Monday, April 29th and it will continue throughout the week. Testing will begin each morning at 8:00am and will finish by noon each day. Here are things you can do to help your student prepare:

Arrive at school on time or early. Being at school on time during testing helps students have a calm start to their testing day and ensures that they are prepared. Students that arrive **AFTER** testing has started that morning will not be permitted to enter the classroom until the first scheduled break.

Eat a healthy breakfast. Eating a nutritious breakfast will help students to be focused on the task of doing their best on the test instead of worrying about when they can eat.

Please do not schedule appointments during testing. When students are out for a portion of testing, they are required to make it up later in the week.

Present testing in a positive light. Remind your students that testing is an opportunity to see what they have learned, and what they still need to learn. Testing is about helping students to make the most of the gifts God has given them.

Please return Rice Bowls at your earliest convenience.

Thank you for your support.



The seven themes of CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING for Children



Our Catholic Social Teaching is Care for God's Creation. In the book of Genesis, we read that God made all of creation. God created the heavens and the earth and made humans the stewards of his creation. God reveals himself in creation, and we see in nature the fingerprints of God. We are called to honor and protect our planet and its people. We are called to live in relationship with all of God's creation. Kindness, compassion, and love for all people and places on earth shows care for the wonderful gift of creation.

KITE DAY—April 26th



K4 thru 5th are asked to have the kite already assembled. See parent email for more details.



SCRIP News: Because there is no school on Friday, April 19th, Scrip will be selling during Thursday morning carline. Gift cards make great Easter basket treats!

As always, thank you for supporting our school.

Introducing Teacher Tailored Supply Kits

Order

Kits include everything your child needs for the first day of school.



Relax



Kits are built over the summer and delivered before school starts. Avoid the stores!

Enjoy

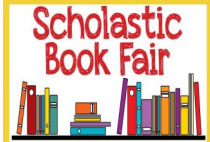
Pick up your kit and enjoy high quality, name brands, durable kits, and more!



Ordering Info Coming Soon!

Book Fair is next week!

Our Spring Book Fair will be the week of April 22-26, 2019 in our school library.



Thank you to the several parents who have volunteered to help during book fair. I am still looking for help on Monday and Tuesday with our student preview and would appreciate help on our late day, Tuesday.

Book Fair hours are from 8:00am to 4:00pm Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.

Tuesday will be open till 6:00pm.

Reminder, students are not to be pulled from class to attend book fair.

Please email Mrs. Crown at jcrown@stjohnb.com if you are interested in helping.

Scholastic is offering a convenient way to purchase books, called E-wallet. As a parent, you can put a set amount in the "wallet" for your student to use during book fair. More information on our on-line fair which starts on April 17th and runs through April 30th. Any books that are bought on-line will be delivered to the school in the student's name and homeroom teacher. For more information, please visit [https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/](https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/stjohnthecatholicsschool4)

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This is always a fun and exciting week at school. I hope your schedule will allow you to come and share in the fun. Please let me know at jcrown@stjohnb.com.

You are cordially invited to a workshop:

Guiding our Students through Digital Citizenship

Hear FBI agent
Darren Mott speak about
internet safety

St. John's Catholic School
Thursday, May 2, 2019
6 pm in the cafeteria

Congratulations to our 3rd Quarter Box Tops Champions!

- 1st place - Mrs. Esteve's 2nd grade
- 2nd place - Mrs. Backer's 8th grade
- 3rd place - Mrs. Zoeller's 4th grade



Our 4th Quarter collection is currently underway. Every class that brings in at least **300** Box Tops will be rewarded with a **popsicle party!** Look for the Bonus App on Android and Iphone devices for additional ways to earn extra Box Tops!

The **Tyson A+ Rewards** program will end at the end of the 2018-2019 school year. Please check your freezers for any Tyson products with a Tyson A+ Rewards label. The school earns 24 cents for each clip!

The **Coke Gives** program (found on Coca-Cola products) is another great way to raise money for our school. Look under caps, in boxes, and under the plastic film for an alpha-numerical code. You can easily link up to our school account at <https://us.coca-cola.com/give/schools/> by searching for ST JOHN BAPTIST CATHOLIC SCHOOL.

Thank you for your participation in these programs for our school!

BUY YOUR Yearbook It's Time to Order your YEARBOOK!!!!

Don't miss getting your copy of the 2018-2019 yearbook! We are bringing back our tiered pricing options in an attempt to make the yearbook a possibility for all families. Yearbooks can only be ordered online.

~~Tier 1~~ - available now through Jan. 13th ————— ~~\$31~~

~~Tier 2~~ - orders placed Jan. 14th - March 15th ————— ~~\$34~~

Tier 3 - orders placed March 16th - April 26th **\$38**

~~Tier 4~~ - orders placed April 27th - May 17th ~~\$45~~

***Personalization will be an additional \$5 per book. Please make sure names are entered correctly as that is how they appear on the book. ***

To order yearbooks go to ybpay.lifetouch.com

Enter order code 1985819

The SJS Drama Department proudly presents "Aladdin Jr" on April 26 and April 27



Tickets are on sale now at sjsdrama.booktix.com.

Come see this amazing musical for a great family-friendly play!

The performances are April 26 at 7pm and April 27 at 2 pm and 7pm.

Concessions will be open.