

# St. James Catholic School

## “Growing Together: Faith, Family & Friends”

### 2009-2010 Family Calendar\*

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\*Please refer to the updated Monthly Calendars posted on our school website for the most up-to-date scheduling throughout the school year.

#### July

24 Relay for Life 7:00 PM, Liberty High School

#### August: LIFESKILL: Effort

3 School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*  
4 & 5 Professional Development: C.L.A.S.S. Institute  
6 Uniform Store Open 3:00 – 6:00 PM  
9 Deep Cleaning Day/Uniform Sales 12:00 PM—3:00 PM  
12 Staff Retreat 8:00 AM—3:00 PM  
13 Teacher Meetings  
14 Teacher Meetings  
16 Back To School Social/Meet the Teacher Night 5:00 PM  
Uniform Sales  
New Parent Meeting 6:50 PM  
17 Teacher’s Convocation and Mass  
18 **First Day of School 1<sup>st</sup>—8<sup>th</sup> grade/NOON DISMISSAL/  
NO EXTENDED CARE**  
Mass—Teachers—9:00 AM  
19 **First Day of School Preschool, Prekindergarten, Kindergarten**  
20 Student Council Forms Handed Out  
24 Middle School Leadership Retreat

- 25 LIFETOUCH INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL PICTURES: Preschool—8<sup>th</sup>
- 26 LIFETOUCH INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL PICTURES: M/W/F Preschool  
and Pre-K  
Student Council Interviews
- 27 Cici's Pizza Night 4:30-8:00
- 26—9/2 Student Council Campaigning
- 28 Mass—9:00 AM

### **September: LIFESKILL: Effort**

- 1 Dental Screenings  
**Parent Information Night—6:50 PM**
- 3 Student Council Speeches
- 4 Mass—9:00 AM  
Student Council Voting in Classrooms  
Smart Clubs Assembly—2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 7 **NO SCHOOL/LABOR DAY**
- 11 Mass—9:00AM  
Smart Clubs—2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 14 School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*
- 17 Student Council Meeting—3:15 PM
- 18 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 20 Catechetical Sunday: Catechesis and the Proclamation of the Word
- 22 STUCO Skating Party, 6:00 PM—8:00 PM
- 24 Cici's Pizza Night 4:30-8:00
- 25 School Wide Student Retreat  
Mass—Grade 9:00 AM  
Family Groups Included  
“Go Green for God’s Creation” School Wide Clean Up  
Grandparent’s Day RSVP Due
- 26 Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner—  
Teacher Cake and Pie Auction 6:00 PM

### **October: LIFESKILL: Initiative**

- 1 Pet Blessing 2:30 PM
- 2 NO SCHOOL/ DIOCESAN PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- 6 McTeacher Night 4:00 PM—8:00 PM
- 8 Student Council Meeting 3:15 PM
- 9 Mass—9:00 AM  
Grandparent’s Day Celebration
- 12 DSO School Board Training—7:00 PM

- 16 First Quarter Ends  
Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM
- 23 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM  
Report Cards Go Home
- 26—30 Red Ribbon Week
- 30 Mass—9:00 AM  
Penny Carnival 1:00 PM—3:00 PM
- 31 Happy Halloween!

### **November: LIFESKILL: Friendship**

- 1 All Saint's Day  
Catholic High School's Open Houses
- 2 School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*
- 5 Auction Set-Up 3:00 PM—until finished
- 6 NO SCHOOL/AUCTION SET-UP
- 7 **2009 ST. JAMES AUCTION 6:00 PM**
- 8 Auction Clean-Up
- 11 Veteran's Day Prayer Service 9:15 AM
- 12 Student Council Meeting 3:15 PM
- 13 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 17 Middle School Music Program 6:50 PM
- 20 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 24 Thanksgiving Prayer Service—9:00 AM  
NOON DISMISSAL  
Extended Care 12:00 PM—6:00 PM  
STUDENT/PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES 1—9 PM  
***Blood Drive***
- 25—29 Thanksgiving Break
- 26 Happy Thanksgiving!
- 29 First Sunday of Advent
- 30 Classes Resume 7:50 AM  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade to Earth Works: Tentative

### **December: LIFESKILL: Courage**

- 1 STUCO Skating Party 6:00 PM—8:00 PM
- 4 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Club Celebration 2:10 PM
- 5 Holiday Bazaar 8:00 AM—3:00 PM

- 7 School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*
- 8 **NO SCHOOL/FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**
- 10 Student Council Meeting 3:15 PM
- 11 Mass—9:00 AM
- 14 3<sup>rd</sup>—5<sup>th</sup> Grade Music Program 6:50 PM, *Church*
- 18 Mass—9:00 AM  
Family Groups 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 22 **NOON DISMISSAL/NO EXTENDED CARE**  
Second Quarter Ends
- 23 - January 3rd, Christmas Break
- 25 Merry Christmas
- 31 New Year's Eve

### **January: LIFESKILL: Integrity**

- 1 Happy New Year!
- 4 Classes Resume 7:50 AM  
School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*
- 8 Mass—9:00 AM  
Report Cards Go Home
- 9 High School Placement Test
- 10 Donut Sunday: 8<sup>th</sup> grade and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade school families
- 14 Student Council Meeting 3:15 PM
- 15 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Club Assembly 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 18 NO SCHOOL/Martin Luther King, JR's Birthday Observed
- 19 STUCO Skating Party 6:00 PM—8:00 PM
- 22 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 29 Mass 9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 30 Catholic Schools Week (CSW): Open House 4:00 PM; Mass 5:00 PM; Knights of Columbus Chili Supper/Teacher Cake and Pie Auction/Preschool & Pre-K Music 6:00 PM

### **February: LIFESKILL: Caring**

- 1-5 CSW Activities TBA
- 1 CSW Prayer Service 9:15 AM  
School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*
- 2 Groundhog Day!
- 5 Mass—9:00 AM  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Dad's Super Bowl Luncheon 11:00 AM  
CSW Staff VS. 8<sup>th</sup> Grade CSW Challenge 2:00 PM
- 8 Bishop Boland's Birthday
- 10/11 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Vocation Days; TBA

- 12 NO SCHOOL  
DIOCESAN PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- 14 Donut Sunday: 7<sup>th</sup> grade and Pre-K Chester/Kizzire school families
- 15 NO SCHOOL/President's Day
- 16 Palm Burning 2:30 PM
- 17 Ash Wednesday Mass—9:00 AM
- 18 Student Council Meeting 3:15 PM
- 19 No Mass  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 22 Registration 2010-2011
- 25 Cici's Pizza Night 4:30-8:00
- 26 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM

### **March: LIFESKILL: Pride**

- 1 School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*
- 2 McTeacher Night 4:00 PM —8:00 PM
- 3 ITBS Testing Begins 3<sup>rd</sup>—10<sup>th</sup>
- 5 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 8—10 ITBS Testing Continued
- 11 12:00 NOON DISMISSAL  
Extended Care 12:00 PM—6:00 PM  
STUDENT/PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES 1:00 – 9:00 PM
- 12 *Knights Fish Fry*
- 12 NO SCHOOL
- 14 Donut Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> grade and Preschool
- 16 Third Quarter Ends
- 17 Happy St. Patrick's Day! (Wear your green!)
- 18 Student Council Meeting 3:15 PM  
K—2 Music Program 6:50 Gym
- 19 Mass—9:00 AM  
Smart Clubs 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 22 LIFETOUCH GROUP PHOTOS
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Stations of the Cross 2:00 PM
- 25 Smart Club Celebration 2:10 PM Gym  
Report Cards Go Home
- 26 NO SCHOOL/PROFESSIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITY/MATH/SCIENCE
- 28 Palm Sunday
- 29 Holy Week Begins  
Student Lenten Retreat  
Family Groups

## **April: LIFESKILL: Resourcefulness**

- 1 Holy Thursday  
Living Stations 9:00 AM, Church  
NOON DISMISSAL/Extended Care 12:00 PM—6:00 PM
- 2 Good Friday/NO SCHOOL  
Bishop Finn's Birthday
- 4 Easter Sunday
- 5—11 EASTER BREAK/NO SCHOOL
- 11 Donut Sunday: 5<sup>th</sup> grade and 1<sup>st</sup> grade school families
- 12 Classes Resume 7:50 AM  
School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*
- 16 Mass—9:00 AM
- 22 Cici's Pizza Night 4:30-8:00
- 23 Mass—9 AM  
Earth Day Celebration (with Family Groups)  
*Out-of-Uniform Donation for Grandparent's Day, Fall 2010*
- 28 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade's Going to Town Days
- 30 Mass—9 AM

## **May: LIFESKILL: Perseverance**

- 3 School Board 6:30 PM, *St. Stephen Room*
- 4 STUCO Skating Party 6:00 PM—8:00 PM
- 7 9:00 Mass—Passing of the Torch  
Student Council Luncheon Celebration 12:00 Noon  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Mother's Day Tea 2:00 PM
- 13 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Retreat
- 14 Mass—9:00 AM  
Graduation Practice 10:00 AM—12:00 PM  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Mass 7:00 PM
- 16 Donut Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> grade and Kindergarten
- 18 New Student Shadow Day 1:00 PM—2:00 PM  
Parent Meeting 1:00 PM—2:00PM or 6:50 PM  
Uniform Try-On 3:00 PM—7:00 PM
- 19 May Crowning 9:00 AM  
Reception for 1<sup>st</sup> Communicants 10:00 AM
- 21 Mass—9:00 AM  
Family Groups 2:10 PM—2:50 PM
- 25 Cici's Pizza Night 4:30-8:00

By Easter Break we will know how many snow days we used which will determine our schedule for the last week of school

Option #1 – no snow days used

Option #2 – one snow day used  
Option #3 – two snow days used

Option #

#1 / #2 / #3 /

25 / 26 / 27 /

26 / 27 / 28 /

27 / 28 / June 1

Yearbook Signing Party 2:00 PM

Field Day

Last Day of School

Relay for Life Breakfast 8 AM

Mass 10:30 AM

31 NO SCHOOL/Memorial Day

## **June: LIFESKILL: Perseverance**

4 St. James Golf Classic (Tentative)

1-4 Teacher Workdays

13 Donut Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> grade & Pre-K Mancuso