

NEWSLETTER

Updates and Reminders

How are your DOVE hours going? Reminder that they are due **Friday, May 29th**. [Click here for more information](#), and check page two of the newsletter for more opportunities! Check your hours by visiting hourschool.io/volunteer/family-portal and enter your email address. You'll receive a secure login link at the email address entered; no password needed.

Parents, please make sure you are packing enough for lunch each day for your child(ren). We do not have enough extras to give lunches to kids who "are still hungry", "didn't have enough", or "didn't like what I have". February lunch is open and orders are due **Wednesday, January 28th**.

Reminder: light blue is no longer a uniform color. Headbands and bows need to be red, white, royal/navy blue, or black. Shoes should be no more than three uniform colors, gray, or black. Light blue, teal, pink, and neon colors are not acceptable.

"Are we going outside today?" I go off of Accuweather Real Feel for Livonia (not Feels Like, Windchill, etc.). If the Real Feel is 10 degrees or above, we will be going outside.

Remember that your child needs to be 24 hours/one day vomit, diarrhea, and fever-free without the aid of medication in order to return to school. Washing hands, not just hand sanitizer, is the best way to slow/stop the spread.

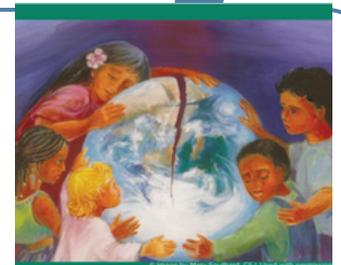


Meet Officer Stephanie! Thursday, January 29th, 3:15 p.m. in the parish hall, children welcome! Thank you to people who have reached out and donated for security! As of today, our total is \$10,680. If you are willing to help, please make checks out to St. Edith Catholic School.

This Week with Mrs. Kelly



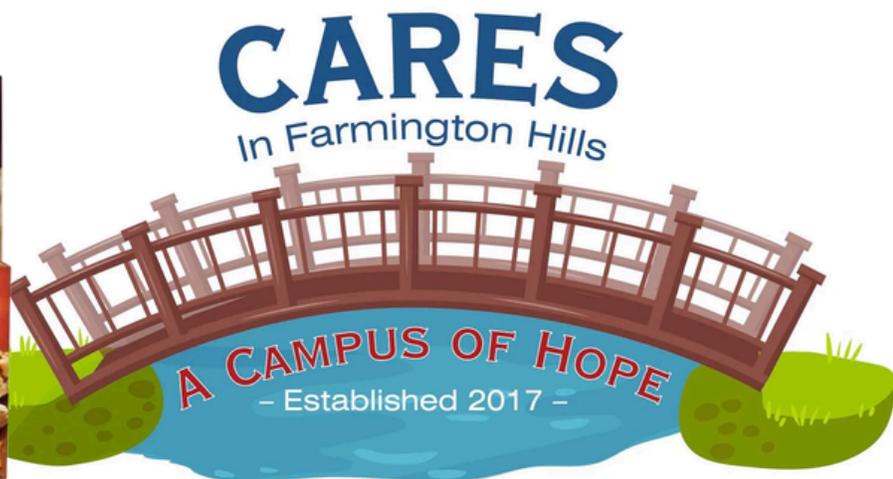
Happy New Year & Welcome Back! St. Edith School was awarded a \$5,000 Laudato Si grant from The Catholic Foundation of Michigan. Laudato Si, Latin for "Praised Be," is the name of Pope Francis' 2015 encyclical on caring for our common home – planet Earth. Pope Francis stressed the need for us to view creation as a gift and use it in a way that gives honor and glory to God. To accomplish this, the 3rd graders will take the lead! We will be learning about different ways to care for creation, including exploring ways to reduce waste in the lunch room. We will also construct the St. Francis Garden, which will be located in the back of the Church building near the stained glass windows. We are excited about this opportunity to teach by putting faith into action. If you are interested in helping with this project, please contact me.



PROTECT LIFE.
PRESERVE THAT WHICH
SUSTAINS LIFE.
CARE FOR
OUR COMMON HOME.

Service Update

The 8th grade has the Catholic Social Teaching theme of Option for the Poor and Vulnerable in our community, so from **January 16th-30th**, the 8th grade along with the Student Council will be collecting specific nonperishables for the CARES food pantry, located in Farmington Hills. The CARES food pantry is a vital resource catering to the needs of 650-750 families monthly. Its profound impact lies in being a reliable source of sustenance for those who depend on it, providing essential nourishment and support to families in challenging times, operating solely by appointment. this pantry embodies a sense of structure and efficiency, ensuring each family receives the attention and assistance they require. Its steadfast commitment to serving the community underscores its significance as a pillar of support for those in need. **Nonperishables the pantry needs non-perishables, specifically granola bars, cereal (any kind, brand, or size), crackers, pretzels, fruit cups, and fruit snacks. Thank you for helping the 8th graders and St. Edith Catholic School support CARES!**





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**UPCOMING
EVENTS!**

- Link to school calendar
- Tuition Assistance for the 2026-27 school year is due Friday, February 27th.
- The next due date for physical SCRIP orders is **TODAY, Friday, January 16th!**
- The end of the second quarter is **TODAY Friday, January 16th.**
- There is no school on **Monday, January 19th.**
- Report cards will go home on **Friday, January 23rd.**
- The Art Club dates for 2026 are **2/5, 3/5, NO 4/2, 4/16, 5/7, and 5/21.**
- Tech Club's first day is **Tuesday, January 20th,** in the computer lab.
- Lego Club's first day is **Monday, January 26th,** in the social hall.



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DOVES PROGRAM / VOLUNTEERING

→ Dedicated Official Volunteers Emanating Spirit



Sign up for lunch duty for the month of January

PK, K Prep, and Kindergarten 1st-8th grade

Daddy Daughter Dance Help

CSW Donations for St. Christine

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Weekend Masses



February 7, 2026 – 4th grade

March 7, 2026 – 3rd grade

April 18, 2026 – 1st grade

May 9, 2026 – 2nd grade



School Choir: Grades 2nd–8th: If your child loves to sing and would like to lead music at the Saturday school masses the first of every month, please consider having them join the school choir. The music sung will be similar to the music sung at the Wednesday school masses. The rehearsals will take place in the church at 4:30pm the first Saturday of the month prior to the 5pm mass. For more information and if you would like your child to participate, please reach out to Heather Shina, the Director of Music, at hshina@stedith.org, or 734-464-1222 ext. 314.



Virtues and Eagle of the Month Assemblies
Assemblies are 2:15 p.m. in the gym

Monday, January 26th – Option for the Poor and Vulnerable – 8th grade

Friday, February 27th – The Dignity of Work and Rights of Workers – 2nd grade

Monday, March 30th – Solidarity – 7th grade

Friday, April 24th – Care for God's Creation – 3rd grade

Monday, May 18th – Review of the Seven Themes – 4th grade



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SEPA PRESENTS

Music Madness Trivia Night

CALLING ALL TRIVIA BUFFS!

(OR THOSE WHO JUST WANT A FUN EVENING OUT!)

THE DEADLINE FOR TICKET PURCHASES IS QUICKLY APPROACHING!
SCAN THE CODE BELOW TO GET YOUR SPOT SECURED FOR WHAT
IS SURE TO BE A ROCKIN' GOOD TIME!

ALL TICKETS PURCHASED **BEFORE JANUARY 15, 2025**
WILL RECEIVE ONE FREE RAFFLE TICKET AT CHECK-IN!

TICKET DEADLINE IS JANUARY 25, 2025
SEE YOU THERE!

*Scan the code to
get your tickets!*



FEBRUARY 7, 2026 | ST. EDITH GYM | 6-10 PM



Music Madness Night FAQs



•What is Music Madness Night?

The first round of Music Trivia Night is a fun, fast-paced game where guests answer music-themed questions using their phones. It's a solo-play event — no teams required. The **Top 20** players with the most points will be called on stage for a **"The Feud" Style Faceoff**. The winning "families" (5 players) from the showdown will all be awarded prizes!

•What does my ticket include?

Delicious dinner, beer or wine ticket, (additional available for purchase), access to trivia game.

•Did someone say Raffle???

YES! Your Music Trivia Donations Team and class parents have secured an amazing lineup of raffle prizes. Our class-themed baskets include: Sports, Movie Night, Wine & Dine, Coffee Lovers, Adventure, Baking Fun, Family Game Night, Lotto, Spa & Relaxation, and Tour of Livonia.

In addition, we have contributions from local businesses, featuring golf experiences, restaurant certificates, museum admissions, and many other exciting offerings.

Raffle tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

•Do I need a partner or team?

No. This is an individual-play event. Every guest competes on their own device.

•How do I play?

All gameplay happens through a phone app. Guests will scan a QR code or enter a game code at the event to join instantly.

•What kind of questions will there be?

Questions cover a wide range of music topics — from popular songs and artists to instruments, rhythms, and fun audio clips. No deep music knowledge is required; it's designed to be accessible and entertaining.

•Do I need to download anything ahead of time?

No. The app runs in a browser or through a quick link. Guests just need a phone or tablet with internet access.

•Will there be prizes?

Yes. Top scorers will receive small prizes, and everyone gets bragging rights.

•What if I don't have a phone or tablet?

We'll have a limited number of loaner devices available.

•What should I wear?

This is a casual event. Wear what suits you best. Casual, jeans, formal, after mass attire, or dress your favorite music decade or performer!

•Are there any age restrictions?

This is a 21+ event.

•What payment methods are accepted at Music Trivia Night?

We accept cash, check, and all major credit cards. Apple Pay and Google Pay also accepted at some pay locations! Sorry, no Venmo or cash apps are accepted.

•Who is hosting the event?

The event is hosted by The St. Edith Parent Association (SEPA).

•Do I need to buy tickets ahead of time?

Yes! Tickets are available via Ticketleap:

<https://www.ticketleap.events/tickets/st-edith/music-madness-trivia-night-565471294>



GET YOUR TICKETS TODAY!





*Once upon a time in a Parish Hall not so far away,
princesses and their dads are invited to
join us for an Enchanted Evening
at the*

2026 St Edith Daddy Daughter Dance

January 31, 2026

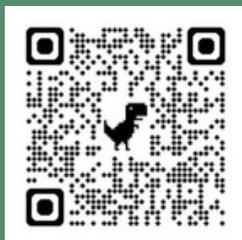
Following 5pm Mass

St. Edith Social Hall

Preschool - 8th Grade
Presented by SEPA

\$18/person

RSVP by January 17



Questions?

Please reach out to
reneecassata@gmail.com

<https://forms.gle/5w3UCN5uF45K8EgUA>

Parish members please send check into school or church office by January 17

January 12-19

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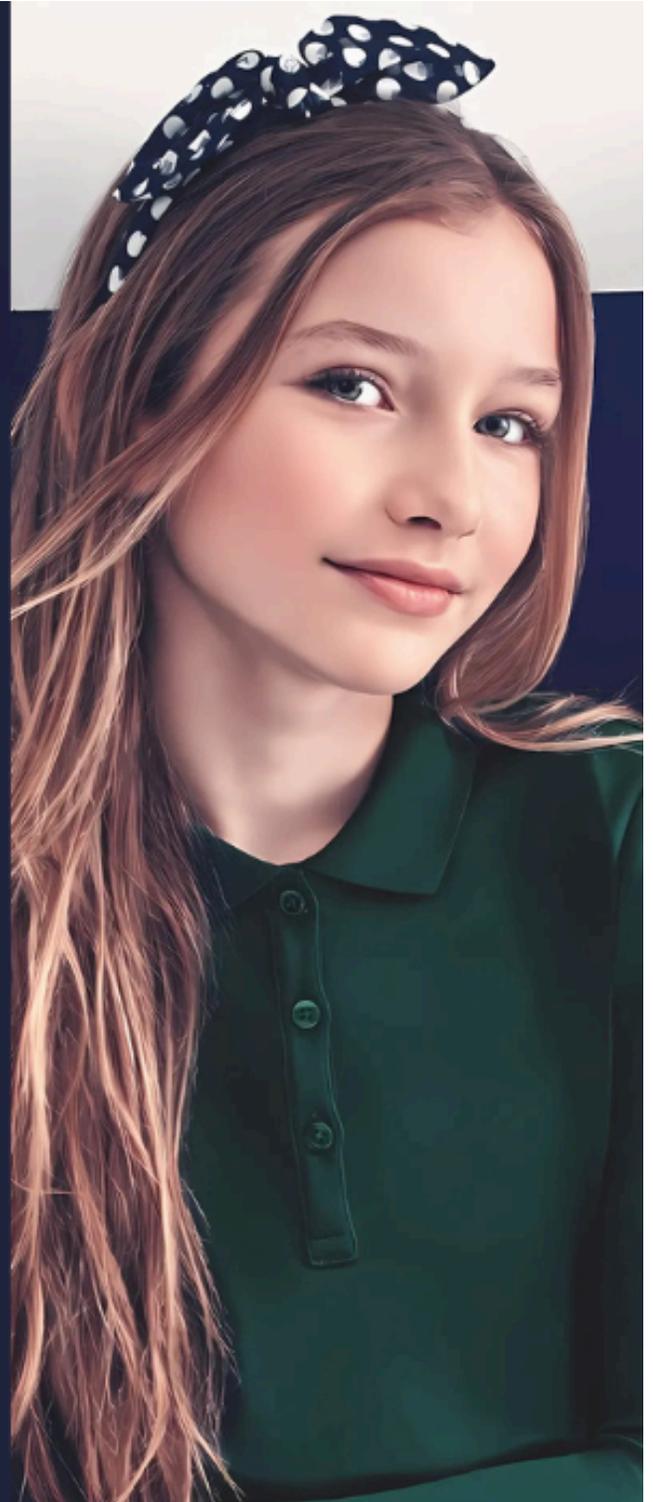
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Fish Fry

Baked Goods List

Each year, the students/families of St. Edith Catholic School provide the baked goods for the CYO Lenten Fish Fries. As we all know, St. Edith has the best fish fry in town! Below are the dates for each class to bring in baked goods. These can be homemade or store bought. All baked goods must be individually wrapped. On your scheduled day, items should be dropped off outside the school office before 12 noon or taken directly to the parish kitchen if brought in after 12 noon. Items needed include: cupcakes, cookies, brownies, muffins etc.



Friday, February 20: No school today. Mid-Winter break. Any family who would like to donate can take the donation directly to the parish kitchen at 12 noon

Friday, February 27th: Grades: PS4, 5th, and 8th

Friday, March 6th: Grades: K-Prep, 6th, and 7th

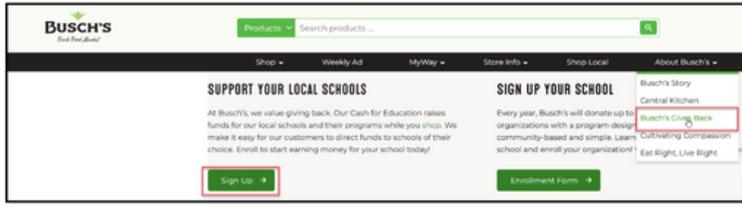
Friday, March 13th: Grades: Kindergarten, 4th, and 3rd

Friday, March 20th: Grades: 1st, 2nd, 4th, K-Prep, and 8th

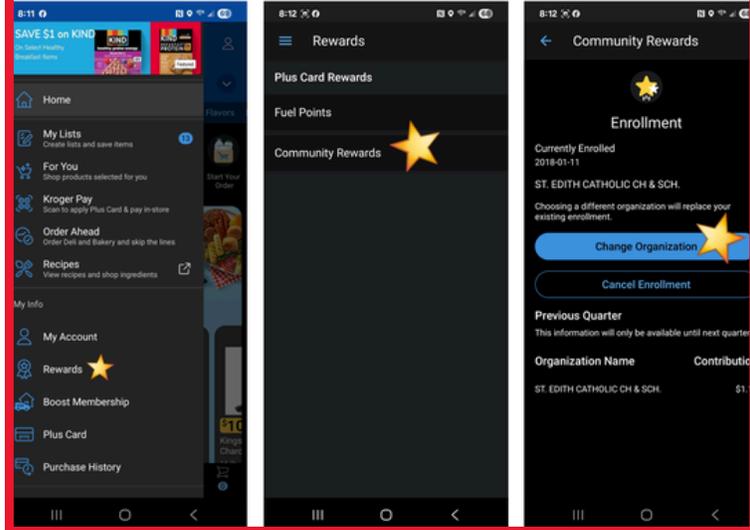
Friday, March 27th: Grades: 3rd, 5th, 6th, Kindergarten, and 7th

Friday, April 3rd: Good Friday, No School. Any family who would like to donate can take the donation directly to the parish kitchen at 12 noon.

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on the app or at BTFE.com

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online

3 FORWARD
your digital receipt

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SCRIP card due dates for the 2025-26 School Year:
January 16th
February 6th
March 13th
April 17th
May 15th

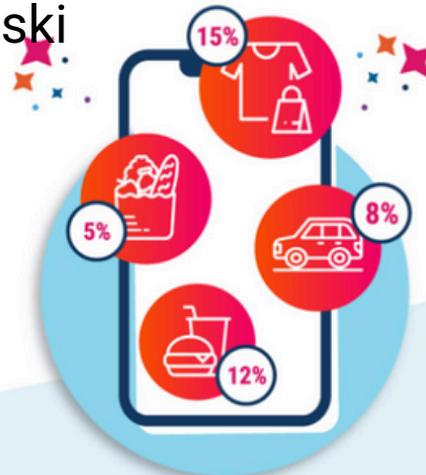
Questions? Contact Tina Domagalski at Tinad1397@gmail.com

Fundraise with SCRIP and Earn 50% Back!

Buy gift cards to your favorite stores and restaurants to accrue rebates of 20%+

- e-gift cards (use in-app or send via email)
- Online Shopping
- Dining
- Physical gift cards

*Earn over \$50 and St. Edith will split the rebate amount with you



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