## St. Michael's Preschool Newsletter

# June 2022

#### Upcoming Events

#### <u>Chapel</u>

Every *Tuesday* 9:30am- Pre-K Frog & Tiger classes 10:00- Butterfly, Turtle, Owl and Ladybug classes.

<u>June 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 6:30pm</u> Kinder and Pre-K Graduation

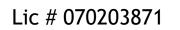
<u>June 6<sup>th</sup></u> Summer Program Begins

June 17<sup>th</sup> 7:00-9:00am Donuts with Dad

Looking forward to next month

Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup> Closed





## <u>Colleen's Corner</u>

Welcome to Summer!

Woohoo! We made it! Another school year in the books and we are on to the fun of summer. We are so excited for the fun up ahead. Please keep a copy of the summer calendar handy so you will know what is happening each day.

We loved having our Mother's Day celebration last month and are ready to celebrate our dads this month. All dads are welcome to join us on June 17 for our Donuts with Dad celebration. Just like Mother's Day, we will have food set up in the Parish Hall and open up the Hall and the garden for dads and kids to enjoy. Happy Father's Day to our dads!

Graduation??!! Yes, please! Pre-K and Kinder families, please join us for our Graduation Ceremony. Graduation is Thursday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> in the church. Please have your graduate to us by 6:15. Bring them to the Parish Hall located between the school and the church. We will get them in cap and gown and see you at the church at 6:30. Seating is limited, so squeeze on in next to a friend and enjoy the show! After the ceremony, please join us for cake and punch on the playground. Due to the increase in covid cases, masks for audience members will be mandatory.

We have lots of kids coming and going this month. Some off to "big kid school," some moving and lots of new friends joining us. As we look back over these past couple of years, we are grateful for so many things. We have made it through a pandemic stronger than ever. We have been able to provide a safe and loving environment for your child and hopefully, have given them a little bit of normalcy. We are grateful you were a part of the journey with us. We don't say good-bye, we say see you later! We know your kids are well equipped for their next adventure, and we thank you for sharing them with us.

Let's bring on summer!

Love,

Ms. Colleen



### Pre-K Frog News

Hello Frog Families,

Wow! I can't believe it's the end of another school year! It has been an absolute pleasure getting to know your child and watching them grow throughout the year.

This is a hard time of the year, saying goodbye to my wonderful families and of course, your child. They will all hold a special place in my heart. Wishing all my Frogs all the best as they go off to kindergarten!

Mark your calendars, June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6?30, for graduation. The kids have been practicing and they are doing great. Please have your child here by 6:15.

We have a fun filled summer ahead and we will continue reviewing numbers, letters, and writing. Love,

Ms. Diana





<u>Classroom New</u>



### Pre-K Tiger News

Hello Tiger Families,

I can't believe it's May already. I want to wish All of our Moms a very Happy Mother's Day.

We had an awesome April. We learned how to take care of our earth, and our bodies by eating healthy and exercising. The life cycle of butterflies and flowers.

Our themes for this month are Mothers are special, Community helpers, Children around the world. I will post our calendar on remind so you can see the activities we will be doing. Graduation is quickly approaching. WOW graduation, I can't believe it's almost graduation already. They have been working so hard over the course of the year and I am so proud of each and every one of them. We will have more information on graduation coming soon. Thank you for all the amazing gifts and beautiful cards filled with lovely messages and encouraging words during teacher appreciation week. I appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Be safe and have a blessed month,

Ms. Misti

#### Dear Kindergarten Families

We made it through the 2021-2022, Pandemic filled, & most unique school year EVER! Your kiddos have accomplished so much and their growth personally, academically, and socially emotionally is one to be VERY darn proud of! Thank you from the bottom of my heart for letting me help enrich their Kindergarten experience and allowing me to be their teacher here at St Michaels. I hope we all walk away from this school year with our heads held high because it was a wild roller coaster of a school year and we survived!!

Even though the public school year has come to an end, the fun at St Michaels continues through out the summer!! We will work on our Summer Bucket Lists, honor our awesome male role models and many exciting themed weeks: Getting Dirty, Happy Campers, and ending with Stars & Stripes Week. I hope to sneak in extra weeks with your kiddos before they officially head off to their first grade schools.

Let's have some fun in the sun this month! It's Summer!!

Yours in Inclusive Teaching, Ms Jen

### Owl Class News





## Ladybug Class

#### Hello Owl Families

Wow, We can't believe the school year is coming to an end. We had a great year with all our students! And thank you to each of our students and families for supporting your child's learning! It was truly a pleasure! We are so proud of all of our kids as they worked really hard this year. We did so many fun activities throughout the year. Circle Time is definitely one of our favorites as we get to see all the kid's progress each week! We will miss you all as you move forward to your new classes next year but before you do lets enjoy this summer fun.

June is the start of our summer program. We will have a lot of fun filled

activities staring this month. I am also sad that Ms Miriam and I will no longer be co-teaching, as Ms Miriam will be taking over the ladybug class. I am also excited to announce that the Owl Classroom will be moving down the hall into the Kinder classroom. Ms Jen and I will be switching classrooms. So please make sure to check your child's cubby as it had been moved as well.

So let's get ready for some summer fun.

Mr Louis and Ms Miriam

Hello to all the ladybug families,

Welcome to our summer of fun! I'm so excited to be part of the Ladybug Class and enjoy all the summer activities with each of your children. Every week this summer we will have a new theme and a fun activity lead by one of our wonderful teachers.

Inside the classroom we will have fun crafts that go with the theme of the week. In June our themes are Welcome Summer, Beach Life, Ooey Gooey Art, and Rocking in the USA. Let's get ready to enjoy the summer and make it a fun and memorable one!

Love, Ms.Miriam

Chapel Topics

June 7 Paul and Silas in Jail

June 14-Listening to Jesus

June 21 Please Others, Not Yourself

June 28 Bear One Another's Burdens







## Butterfly Bulletin

#### Hello Turtle Families!

Summer fun is finally here, and there are many exciting summer activities planned at St. Michael's. Each week will feature a special theme with plenty of projects to keep us busy.

We closed out the school year exploring our important community helpers, learning about children around the world, and celebrating our wonderful Mothers. It was great to see you and your child enjoying Mother's Day tea.

This month we welcome summer, enjoy the beach life, get messy with ooey gooey art and celebrate the red, white and blue! We'll also recognize our hard working Dads with a gift and special donut event.

With warmer days ahead, please make sure your child is equipped to stay cool and hydrated. Please replace or add spare clothes to their bin with correct sizes and weather appropriate apparel. Bring a water bottle labeled with their name and filled with water. Most importantly, don't forget to apply sunblock in the morning! We will reapply in the afternoon.

Love, Ms. Rachelle Hello Butterfly families,

Wow! The school year went by so fast! We had a lot of fun in the month of May. We worked really hard on our Mother's Day gifts and cards. I think they turned out beautifully. Then, we celebrated Star Wars day with our baby Yoda art project and for Cinco De Mayo, we made very cute sarapes. We learned a lot about our community helpers, with bandaging our patients just like a doctor or a nurse would, to bulldozing ice like a construction worker. It was a lot of fun. Then, we learned a lot about different counties around the world and how to say "Hello" in several different languages and we got to see what other flags from different countries look like. May was quite an informative month.

Even though the school year is over, it doesn't mean that any of the fun we've been having is gonna stop. June is loaded with so many great activities! We'll start the month off with reading a ton of our favorite books in the first week. Butterflies are more than welcome to bring in a book to share. We'll also plan to go out one morning and have a small picnic with all kinds of yummy snacks. During the next week, it's everything beach. We're gonna have beach themed snacks, make flip flop art and have a really cool sunglasses party. Then, in the following week, it's everything messy, sticky, ooey and gooey! We'll have all kinds of fun sensory going on, from playing in shaving cream to running our fingers through slimy spaghetti. Lastly, we will finish the month off, preparing to celebrate the 4th of July. We'll have a snack that snap, crackles and pops just like fireworks. Then of course we've got thematic art and sensory planned too.

I am so excited for the upcoming months as we move into Summer. It's going to be a blast! Love, Ms. Jennifer

## <u>In the kitchen with MS. Alicia</u>

By popular demand, here is our mac n cheese recipe:

Ingredients:

I lbs. elbow noodles, ½ cup salted butter, ½ cup flour, 2 tbs crushed garlic, 4 cups milk, 4 cups shredded cheddar blend cheese, I tsp salt, I tsp pepper Instructions:

Boil water in large pot. Add noodles when water is ready. Cook al dente. In another pot, cook butter and garlic on low until melted, add flour, salt and pepper. Mix until consistency is like sand. Slowly add milk and stir until thoroughly combined, then add cheese. Mix until smooth. Strain elbow pasta from water and add back into pot. Pour cheese mixture over and combined. Add to baking dish and add cheese on top. Cook in oven at 350 until golden brown. ENJOY! ©



# June Lunch Menu



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			l Penne Pasta with Meat Sauce Peas Pineapple Milk	2 Turkey and Cheese Sandwich Carrot Sticks Pears Milk	3 Chili Corn Chips Mixed Fruit Milk	
	6 Mac and Cheese Green Beans Mixed Fruit Milk	7 Spanish Rice Peas Pears Milk	8 Meatball Sliders Corn P9neapple Milk	9 Bow tie Pasta with Meat Sauce Garden Salad Applesauce Milk	IO Bean and Cheese Burrito Mixed Veg Peaches Milk	
	13 Beef Tostada With All the Fixings Pears Milk	IH Chicken Teriyaki and Rice Corn Peaches Milk	15 Chili Wheat Bread Mixed Fruit Milk	l6 Chicken Nuggets Green Beans Applesauce Milk	17 Sloppy Joes Corn Pineapple Milk	
	20 English Muffin Pizza Salad Pears Milk	2l Beanie Weenies Peas French Bread Applesauce Milk	22 Spanish Rice with Meat and Cheese Corn Peaches Milk	23 Chili Mac Pineapple Milk	24 Cheeze Zombies Garden Salad Mixed Fruit Milk	
	27 Taco Salad Cornbread Peaches Milk	328 Meatballs and Rice Peas Pears Milk	29 Chicken Nuggets Garden Salad Applesauce Milk	30 Sloppy Joes Corn Pineapple Milk		



# June Snack Menu

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
			l Cheesy English	2 Cinnamon Raisin	3 Bagels with	
			Muffins and Apples	Toast and Oranges	Cream Cheese and Ham	
			Cinnamon Pita Chips and Fruit Salsa	Chex Mix and Pears	Oatbran Bread and Strawberries	
	6	7	8	9	10	
	Yogurt and Strawberries	Waffles and Applesauce	Biscuits and Jelly with Apples	Blueberry Muffins and Oranges	Pancakes and Pears	
	Goldfish and Apples	Salami and Cheese with Ritz Crackers	Trail Mix and Pears	Cheese Itz Oranges	Trail Mix and Cheese	
	13	14	15	16	17	
	Nutra Grain bars and Pears	Cinnamon Raisin Toast and Apples	French Toast Sticks and Pears	Life Cereal and Milk	Granola Bars and Apples	
	Pirate Booty and Mandarins	Chex Mix and Pears	Blueberry Bread and Oranges	Nillas and Bananas	String Cheese and Pretzels	
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	Cinnamon Raisin Toast and Apples	Belvitas and Oranges	Cheesy English Muffins and Pears	Bagels with Cream Cheese and Ham	Biscuits and Jelly with Melon	
	.,	Graham			Trail Mix and	
	Cheese Quesadillas	Crackers and Bananas	Cinnamon Pita Chips and Fruit Salsa	Oatbran Bread and Mandarins	Cheese Slices	
	27	28	29	30		
	French Toast Sticks and Pears	Granola Bars Apples	Chex Cereal and Milk	French Toast Sticks and Oranges		
	Blueberry Bread and Oranges	Gold Fish Mandarins	Blueberry Bread and Oranges	Refried Beans and Cheese and Chips		