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Mass Schedule

Daily: Saint Margaret Chapel Monday - Friday: 6:30 am and 8:30 am
Saturday: 8:30 am
Chapel is open for private prayer daily 6:30 am - 5:00 pm
Weekend: Saint Margaret Church Saturday: 4:00 pm and 5:30 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am and 12:00 pm
Saint Mary Magdalen Mission Sunday: 9:30 am and 11:00 am
Reconciliation: Saint Margaret Church Saturday: 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm and immediately following the 5:30 pm Mass

Mass Intentions January 4 - January 12, 2014

Saturday	4:00 pm	Special intention for parishioners
	5:30 pm	Rita Parent
Sunday	7:30 am	Paul and Josephine Guercio
	9:00 am	Tom Heidenreich
	10:30 am	Elizabeth and Charles Ferraro
	12:00 pm	Roberta Ormont
	9:30 am	Johnny Cerasi
	11:00 am	Sara Hall
Monday	6:30 am	Nancy Schuster Natoli
	8:30 am	Mary Kelly Reinmann and Hilda Reinmann
Tuesday	6:30 am	Renee Michalkiewicz (sp. int.)
	8:30 am	Taylor Duff
Wednesday	6:30 am	Eucharistic Service
	8:30 am	Bill Matejka
Thursday	6:30 am	Eucharistic Service
	8:30 am	Betty Rigdon
Friday	6:30 am	Matthew Challou
	8:30 am	William J. Matejka, Jr.
Saturday	8:30 am	Mary Kelly Reinmann
	4:00 pm	George Grimmel
	5:30 pm	John, Margaret and Robert Wilzack
Sunday	7:30 am	Special intention for parishioners
	9:00 am	Michael Guercio
	10:30 am	Joseph V. Keenan, Sr.
	12:00 pm	Fr. J. Alphonse Frederick
	9:30 am Mission	Robert Mehr
	11:00 am Mission	Joseph Berry

The Parish Office hours: Monday through Thursday - 9:00 am to 7:30 pm
Friday - 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Nursery Service Available



For children up to 3 years of age, nursery service is available in the Preschool building (next to the church) during the 9:00 and 10:30 am Masses and during the 4:00 pm Mass on Saturdays. This service is available at Saint Mary Magdalen during the 9:30 and 11:00 am Masses. Trained staff will care for your children while you attend Mass. This is a free service.

Readings for January 12, 2014

Baptism of the Lord Faithful service
Reading I: Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 The servant of the Lord
Reading II: Acts 10:34-38 Peter's discourse
Gospel: Matthew 3:13-17 The baptism of Jesus
Key Passage: Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. (Isaiah 42:1)
Adult: How does your own baptism provide you with a "call to serve others"? In what ways do you serve?
Child: When has the Holy Spirit helped you treat someone fairly?

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SAINT MARGARET PARISH

Seeking a world transformed and unified in Christ

Saint Margaret Church ■ Bulletin for the week of January 5, 2014 ■ Saint Mary Magdalen Mission

Welcome!

Saint Margaret is the warm, welcoming community, because of its wonderful parishioners! Let us continue to be Christ for one another and for the world throughout 2014.

The Epiphany

"Go and search diligently for the child." (Mt. 2:8) The wise still seek him. What wisdom can you learn from a child today? Perhaps your own child will teach you patience. Perhaps a neighbor child will give you an opportunity to serve a child in need as a team. Seek.

Breaking News

March For Life

The annual March for Life in Washington DC is **Wednesday, January 22**. As of this date, there are still a few bus seats available. Please RSVP as soon as possible to reserve your seat. Call Kathy Sangmeister at 410-638-0813, or 410-459-1649 (cell) or email stm-march4life14@aol.com. Please put March for Life in the subject line if responding by e-mail. The cost is \$10.



Monthly Meet and Greet

We invite you to stay after the 11:00 am Mass at the Mission next **Sunday, January 12**, and get to know your church family. Let's extend the fellowship of the Mass beyond the church into our day-to-day connections. A light lunch will be provided.

Welcome

Lily Anne DeCapite
Carson Michael Alexander
Charlotte Elizabeth Pascoe



who were baptized last weekend into the Saint Margaret parish community. May they continue to receive God's blessings and grace.



Remember us, O God;
From age to age be our comforter.
You have given us the wonder of time,
blessings in the days and nights,
seasons and years.

Bless your children at the turning of the year
and fill the months ahead with bright hope
that is ours in the coming of Christ.

You are our God, living and reigning, forever and ever.
Amen

Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers

Introducing Prayer 101

Do you want to incorporate the power of prayer in your life this year, but don't know how? Did you resolve to become more prayerful in 2014, but don't know where to start? Then you might need Prayer 101! Prayer 101 is a new program that will be offered for parents/adults during Middle/High School Faith Formation classes on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. For parents of students in the Faith Formation program, drop in while your student is in class! For others interested, drop in any week you have a spare moment. There is no commitment or registration required.



During this 8-week session of Prayer 101 we will be following a series entitled "Oremus," which means "Let Us Pray" in Latin. Each session starts with a 15-20 minute DVD about a different aspect of prayer and ends with a casual discussion. Drop in whenever you can! Coffee and cookies will be served. All sessions will be held in Room 201 of the Saint Margaret Middle School from 7:00 - 8:15 pm.

Prayer 101 will be held on the following evenings: January 7 and 8, January 14 and 15, January 28 and 29, February 4 and 5, February 11 and 12, February 18 and 19, March 18 and 19 and March 25 and 26.

Ease into a prayer habit in the New Year by coming to Prayer 101! For more information, contact CeeCee Meholic at cmeholic@stmargaret.org or by calling 410-870-2670, ext. 125.

**“A Church For All: Pope Francis”
Topic of Faith Forum with Fr. Mike**



Sunday, January 26, from 1:00 to 2:30 pm in the Adult Education Center. This Faith Forum with our pastor, Msgr. G. Michael Schlepner, will focus on the Catholic Church under the leadership of Pope Francis and will include an opportunity to freely ask questions pertaining to our Catholic faith. For additional information, please contact Marie Dekowski 410-879-2670, ext. 126 or mdekowski@stmargaret.org.



Reflections from Father Mike

Father Mike prepares and sends a spiritual reflection via e-mail Wednesday of each week. If you would like to receive these reflections, please send a request by e-mail to ksaccenti@stmargaret.org or call the parish office, 410-838-6969.

Father Mike's Homilies

Father Mike's homilies are available on the parish website, www.stmargaret.org or at www.fathermikeschlepner.blogspot.com.



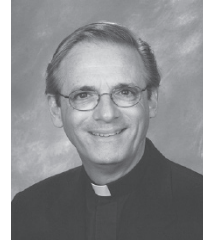
Come grow with us!

We would like to welcome the following new parishioners to Saint Margaret Parish. We are happy that you have chosen Saint Margaret to be your spiritual home.

- Humberto and Patricia Angel-Huarote and family
- Courtney Bittinger
- Kim and Wayne Blessing and family
- Emily Clemente
- Janet Dattoli
- Stephany Davis and family
- Justin Endley
- David and Cathleen Hargeaves
- Matthew and Kimberly Jones and family
- Patricia Kilker and family
- Jason and Jennifer Koluch and family
- Gregory and Jennifer Mettee and family
- The Mirabile Family
- Jonathan and Sara Toland
- Charles and Jenna Travis and family
- Patrick and Katherine Wallace and family

Our next new parishioner Greet and Meet will be on March 1, 2014 after the 4:00 pm Mass from 5:00 - 7:30 pm in the Adult Education Center.

From Father Mike



Dear Friends,
Today I am saying “Thank you” for the celebration of Christmas here at Saint Margaret Parish.

This week I am especially thanking those involved in liturgy. A great deal goes into making our Masses throughout the year, and especially at Christmas, as beautiful and as inspiring as possible. We had 11 Christmas Masses, and I am thankful to many of you.

Our Worship and Prayer Committee studies the Roman Missal carefully. Together we work to understand the meaning and intent of the Church's ritual and then we try to creatively express this in our parish Masses. For example, the Committee composed the **Advent Prayer which we prayed together just before Mass** on the four Sundays of Advent. The Committee also developed the **introduction and ritual for the lighting of the Advent wreath** each week. We hope that things like these bring a prayerfulness to our liturgy and make it enriching for each of us. **Our Liturgy Resource Committee planned and then decorated the church, chapel, Callahan Center, and, for one Christmas Eve Mass, the parish hall.** The liturgical environment throughout Advent, with the weekly progression of flowers, greenery and colors building up to Christmas, was very reflective of the growing nearness of the celebration of our Savior's birth. The artistic talent and generous time given by this Committee and by others who assisted in the decorating is a great gift to the parish. Each space looked festive for Christmas, as it should for such a central feast day of our faith.

We needed many liturgical ministers to fulfill all roles at Christmas – I think there were 200 roles to fill! Our lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, altar servers, hospitality ministers (ushers and greeters), and sacristans are always faithful in these ministries and their role is especially crucial at Christmas. I

am very grateful to all of them. I also want to thank those who coordinated and scheduled all of these ministers – a lot of work in itself!

Our liturgy is incomplete without music and we were so fortunate at Christmas – as always – to have wonderful music. I am grateful to our Adult Choir, Westminster Ringers, Jubilate Ringers, Children's and Cherub Choirs, Contemporary Music Ensemble, the Sounding Brass Quintet, and our cantors, pianists, organists, and by all means our music directors, especially Pete Anderson, Jeff Winfield, Julie Culotta, and Dave Culotta. These musicians give considerable time to rehearsal, time that most of us do not see. A sign of a good music program is that the assembly joins in the singing. This is important because singing is a form of praying, and I see this happening here every week. The congregational singing at Christmas was particularly strong.

At the 4:00 pm Christmas Eve Masses in the church and Callahan Center, the children dramatized the story of Jesus' birth. Our catechists for the Children's Liturgy of the Word directed this, and I am very grateful to them. These catechists, week after week, lead the children at four of our eight weekend Masses in a special reading of the Word. At Christmas, the dramatization of the story is a wonderful way for all children to experience and appreciate the birth of Christ. I thank our catechists who work hard to make this happen.

Next week I will offer some more thank-yous – about outreach (the Christmas Project) and finances. For now, I simply thank all of you for your faith and your faithful participation in the parish. And finally:

*Happy
New Year!*

Father Mike

Community Notes

Hearts and Hoops Night

January 8, 5th Annual Hearts and Hoops Night at John Carroll School. Saint Margaret School and John Carroll basketball join together for a fun, family evening with donations going to charity. JV at 4:15 pm and Varsity at 6:00 pm. Contact cpleiss@smsch.org for more details.

Annual Pinewood Derby Races

Do you have an old derby car in storage & interested in having your son join Cub Scouts? Come check out Saint Margaret's Cub Scouts. Dust off your car and bring it with you and your kids. Show the kids how you started in racing **Saturday January 11,**

at 9:00 am in Saint Margaret Elementary School Gym. Bring your race car to show or just come to see the cars that come. The Pack 564 Cub Scouts & their families will be there racing their home made cars. They will be overjoyed to see your own car!

TOPS - Take Off Pounds Sensibly

Do you need to lose those extra pounds gained during the holidays? TOPS meets **every Thursday** from 3:30 to 4:30 pm in the Adult Education Center on the Saint Margaret campus. Membership is \$28 a year with \$5 monthly dues. We are a small group who will welcome you with open arms. Call Carole at 443-567-6337.



St. Francis de Sales Church in Abingdon is currently recruiting to fill the business manager position. The position is part time and the applicant needs to be able to attend evening and some weekend meetings/activities. The applicant must have a bachelor's degree and five years experience in finance, facilities/plant operations, or administrative management. Please remit resume and references to parish offices, attention Beth Marchiano.



Parish Notes . . .

Inclement Weather Policy 2013-2014

If Harford County Schools are **closed or delayed** due to snow, ice, or inclement weather Monday-Friday, **6:30 am Mass is cancelled.**

We will celebrate the 8:30 am Mass. Check the parish website for updated information.

Also, if schools are closed due to snow, ice, or inclement weather, **ALL** parish meetings, functions and classes are **cancelled** that day and evening.

If there is snow or ice, or the prediction of snow or ice, during Adoration time on Tuesdays, **Adoration** will be suspended for that day.

This policy is now in effect to ensure the safety of parishioners and to allow for the proper cleaning of snow and ice from lots.

Widows and Widowers Group

We will meet at Silver Spring Mining Company for lunch **January 14** at 12:30 pm. Carol and Fran will call the members prior to our meeting. New members are welcomed. If you would like to join us, please call Carol Hoffman at 443-567-5232 to reserve a place at the table. Looking forward to a great turnout for the New Year!

Health Ministry



Start the New Year with a resolution to improve the wellness of your body, mind and spirit. No fancy equipment, large sums of money, or hours of your time is needed. Rather start small: be mindful throughout the day about your food and activity choices. Swap chips for an apple, walk a few extra steps, replace a negative thought with a prayer. Have a tip that worked for you? Share yours with the Health Ministry Team by sending an email to saintmhealthministry@stmargaret.org.

Outreach Notes

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Outreach Coordinator
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Holiday Giving

Thank you for being here for me and my son in a time of need. I appreciated everything. God bless you, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. A grateful family

To all of Saint Margaret Church I want to thank you for all the different towels, wash cloths, shampoo and conditioner and those large soap boxes. They'll last me all year. Also thank you for the gift cards and all the food, especially the chocolate cake mix. You are all a blessing. Thank you again. Merry Christmas.

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ, Thank you for your generous Christmas gifts to me of food, gas and gift card. They will come in handy in helping me to meet financial commitments. God bless you all. Yours in Christ, SW

Play It Forward

Our next get-together will be on **Monday, January 13** from 10 – 11:30 am in the Adult Education Center. All ages are invited to join us for bingo, crafts and a sing-a-long with our very abled friends!



Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

January 10-12 at St. Gabriel's Retreat House in Catonsville. This weekend retreat offers an opportunity for healing to any woman or man who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion. The cost is \$150 and includes lodging, meals and materials. Financial assistance is available. Call 410-625-8491

Substance Abuse Ministry

HEALING
RECOVERY
PREVENTION
PEACE
Are you or a loved one struggling with substance abuse issues? Please come to one of the weekly meetings in the Lower Meeting Room in the Elementary School on the Saint Margaret campus.
Mondays, 7:00 pm - Families Anonymous
Fridays, 7:00 pm - Alcoholics Anonymous
Saturdays, 7:30 pm - Women for Sobriety
Sundays, 6:00 pm - Narcotics Anonymous
Sundays, 7:00 pm - Alcoholics anonymous

Caritas Counseling Center

Caritas Counseling Center, a ministry of Saint Luke Institute, provides supportive, confidential and professional psychological counseling in Baltimore. If you are struggling with issues such as anxiety, addiction, depression, stress, grief and loss, or difficult relationships, please contact us: www.caritas-sli.org or 443-226-5942 to learn more or to make an appointment. We are an out-of-network provider for insurance purposes.

Volunteers Needed

- **FCCAU Homeless Shelter** - Saint Margaret volunteers at our area homeless shelter in Belcamp on the 29th of each month. Call Pat Stasiak at 410-420-2852.
- **Cottage Thrift Shop** – Located at 24 E. Broadway in Bel Air. We work in conjunction with Emmanuel Episcopal Church in this outreach effort. The shop is open on Fridays and Saturdays from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Call Pat Stasiak at 410-420-2852.
- **Prison Ministry** – We bring Communion to the inmates on Sunday evenings at 6:00 pm. We are also trying to start a daytime Communion service and a meditation/reflection class as well. Call Jane O'Hara at 410-838-6969.

Dear Brothers and Sisters,
We just wanted you all to know how important you all are for coming here and bringing us The Word of God. We're wishing you a Merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
The inmates at Harford County Detention Center

Corner



Singing at Mass... we all know that the church expects it of us, but sometimes there are obstacles in our way. Unfamiliar music, people that claim that they have a terrible singing voice and don't want to be heard, health issues, etc., are just some of the reasons that people don't sing. One of the most common reasons that I hear as the music director is the familiar "it's too high for me." Here's a really simple but helpful tip for the seasoned as well as the untrained singer—be sure to take a big enough breath. Our voice is a wind instrument and we need sufficient air to sustain musical lines and to sing pitches that are higher than those in our usual speaking range. Very often, the reason people have trouble with high notes is simply that they do not have enough air support to sing them. So as we wrap up the Christmas season and begin our journey to Lent and Easter in a new year, let's do our best as a worshipping community to give praise to God with the most intimate instrument that He gave us: our voices. Big, full breaths will allow us to sing more productively, along with providing overall health benefits for our entire bodies. As Psalm 100 tells us, "... Come into the Lord's presence with singing", and let's add "by getting plenty of air first!"



Additional Christmas Flower Memorials and Donations

Donated by:

The Kovalchick Family
Mr. and Mrs. Adonis Amparo

Mrs. James Brown
Joyce Comeaux

Miss Anna Kueberth

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Tabler
Anonymous Donor

Donations

L. Signorecci
Mr. and Mrs. Gary Nasuta
Anonymous Donor

In Memory of:

Dolores Kovalchick
Mr. and Mrs. M. Delacruz, Mr. and Mrs. E. Amparo, Melanio Ramos
The Rixner Family, James Brown Family
Howard Thelen, Margaret Thelen, Janet Kryglik, Ruth Ann Bond, Berna Comeaux
Isabelle & Henry Wagner, John J. Kueberth, Sr., Gert & Philip Kueberth, Maria & Philip Kueberth, Georgette Burkhardt
Eugene Rohrbaugh
Everyone

Mr. and Mrs. David Freese
Mr. and Mrs. Craig Martin
Mr. Charles Buettner



Adult Faith Notes

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Do your children need to be brought up to date on their Sacraments?

Sessions will be starting on **Wednesday, January 29** for children and teens who are new to the Catholic Church. The sessions will include an overview of the basic beliefs and teachings of the Catholic Church as well as sacramental preparation. For more information, please contact Marie Dekowski 410-879-2670, extension 126 or mdekowski@stmargaret.org.

The Gospel According to John and the Johannine Letters Scripture Study

will be the topic of discussion twice a month beginning on **Wednesday, January 8** from 10:00 am to noon in the Adult Education Center. John places a special emphasis on Jesus' commandment to "*Love one another as I love you.*" Please contact Marie Dekowski if you are interested in joining this group.

Seventh Annual Marriage Conference

sponsored by Marriage Works of Harford County will be held on **Saturday, February 8**, from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm at the Callahan Center. The cost is \$40 for individuals and \$75 per couple, which includes morning refreshments and lunch. Nationally known speakers Dr. Richard Marks and Richard Albertson will discuss The Power of Us and Adventures in Marriage. For more information or to register, please contact Marie Dekowski 410-879-2670, extension 126 or mdekowski@stmargaret.org.

Youth Ministry

Kristin Rupprecht
Youth and Young Adult Minister
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High School & College Youth Ministry ~ FiRE House



Dinner & Faith on FiRE – Every Tuesday 6:00-7:00 pm. We will meet at FiRE House for dinner and faith sharing. We will focus on the readings for the upcoming weekend and discuss any current events happening in the Catholic Church, with a special focus on Pope Francis. All high school and college students are welcome!

High School Hangout Nights **Tuesdays, 7:00 - 9:30 pm**
Come join us - movies, games, fun!

College and Young Adult Ministry

Join us **Wednesday nights, 7:00 - 9:00 pm** at FiRE House (329 Wright Street). Social, spiritual and service events. Bring a friend!

Confirmation Class #3

Sunday, January 5 Parents and candidates should come to the Callahan Center at 6:30 p.m. for a meeting followed by class at 7:00 p.m. for the candidates.



Snow Tubing



Middle and high school students are invited to join us for a night of snow tubing at AvalancheXpress in York, PA. The trip is **Saturday, January 18**, 6:00 pm - 11:00 pm. Cost is \$36/person. STAND-certified chaperones are needed. To register, please complete a permission form and return it along with payment to the parish office. Permission forms can be found in the parish office and on the parish website. Hurry – this trip will fill quickly! Questions? Call Kristin in the parish office.



Education Notes ...

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Preschool and Elementary

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Middle and High School

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Classes This Week...

Sunday Classes:

January 5 and 12.

Elementary Wednesday Classes:

January 8 – Family Life Packets will be sent home after this class.

Middle/High School Programs:

Tuesday, January 7 and Wednesday, January 8. Family Life Unit begins at this time.

Grades 6 – 8 please bring your workbooks!

First Reconciliation Make-Up

If your child missed the December First Reconciliation make-up dates, please contact Keri Geibler.

Scripture of the month: Philippians 4:13 "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

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Phil Federowicz ~ pfederowicz@smsch.org

Admissions: Cecelia Pleiss ~ cpleiss@smsch.org

Important Dates For January

Jan 6 School Resumes; Band

MS Tutor Club 3:00 - 3:50 pm

Cheer Practice-MS 2:45-3:30 pm

Jan 7 Hot Lunch

HSA Executive Board Mtg, POWR 7:00 pm

Jan 8 Mass

Jan 9 Hot Lunch

Jan 10 7th Grade Retreat



1st Trimester Honor Roll

Honor Roll 6th Grade: Gabrielle Baikuskas, Katie Borlie, Spencer Bredesen, Thomas Cowan, Evan Exter, Ian Grzebi-en, Caroline Hopkins, Jared Jefferson, Megan Messics, Katelyn O'Connor, Anthony Pietro, Taylor Reider, Pete Saliaris and Jamie Sisk.

Honor Roll 7th Grade: Shivawn Angelo, Robert Baker, Ava Barnd, Joshua Bogdan, Paul Capobianco, Madelyn Cumpston, Makenna Dziemburski, Michael Fenlon,

First Eucharist Parent Meetings

If your child is eligible to receive the Sacrament of First Eucharist in May 2014, you must attend one of the following parent meetings:

• **Monday, January 13 at 6:30 pm in the Chapel**

• **Wednesday, January 15 at 1:30, 4:45 and 6:45 pm in the Church.**

If you cannot attend any of these meetings, you will be required to schedule a meeting with Keri Geibler in the Parish Office. The First Eucharist packets will be given to parents at scheduled meetings only.

Wednesday Elementary Faith Formation Family Life Packets

On Wednesday, January 8 your child will bring home his/her family life packet for you to review and **return to the Faith Formation office by Wednesday, January 29.** The Family Life program and materials will be taught in the month of February.

New Series: Prayer 101!

Do you want to incorporate the power of prayer in your life this year, but don't know how? Did you resolve to become more prayerful in 2014, but don't know where to start? Then you might need "Prayer 101!" See the front page of this bulletin for more information. Starts this week in Room 201 of the Saint Margaret Middle School on Tuesday, Jan. 7 and Wednesday, Jan. 8 at 7:00 pm

Escape2Catholicism is Back!

We will continue this series by showing the next episode in Father Robert Barron's Catholicism DVD series on Tuesday, Jan. 7 and Wednesday, Jan. 8 in Room 102 of the Saint Margaret Middle School at 7:00 pm. This episode is entitled, "The Mystical Union of Christ and the Church." All are invited. There is no need to register. Coffee and cookies will be served.



Andrew Guidi, Paul Haigley, Caitlin Kerrigan, Shannon King, Alex Leppert, Michael Lunenfeld, Mallory Lyon, Kayla Maxwell, Shane McCarthy, Wyatt Peters and Jorge (JP) Silveira.

Honor Roll 8th Grade: Colin Bowes, Grace Burke, Anastasia DiPeso, Veronica Ewing, David Fetcho, Mary (Maddie) Fraiji, James Gorschboth, Hunter Hawes, George Hughes, Kali Lambert, David Pajerowski, Pierce Sanders, Noah Sekowski, Meghan Sheehan, Madeline Smith and Ryan Waskiewicz.

Principal's List 6th Grade: Matthew Fabiszak, Claire Geier, Madison Kozera, Forbes Lau, Christopher Link, Nicole Milano, Julia Snyder, Harrison Spilker and Allison Storm.

Principal's List 7th Grade: Nicholas Boehl, Carson Bredesen, Matthew Clark, Tyler Currey, John Ferkany, Lauren Golya, Hope Grzebien, Abigail Herschner, Gabrielle Lambert, Jennifer Lawless, Emily

McLauchlin, Claire Mottley, Robert Niehaus, Emma Olsen, Margaret Schiavone, Emily Schultz, Sarah Spaeth, Abigail VanMetre and Samuel Vido.

Principal's List 8th Grade Elizabeth Baummer, Lauren Becker, Isabella Brooke, Taylor Bynion, Olivia Collins, Grace Gercken, Ethan McCarthy, Annika Meyer, Amanda Pugh, Erin Rittershofer, Alex Scott and Gabriella Spilker.

Kim Trio Math Award: Gr. 8 – Amanda Pugh, Gr. 7 – Wyatt Peters, and Gr. 6 – Madison Kozera.

Jackie Kinzler Science Award: Gr. 8 – Elizabeth Baummer, Gr.7 – Claire Mottley, and Gr.6 – Heather Euler.

Language Arts Award: Gr. 8 – Alex Scott, Gr. 7 – Emily McLauchlin, and Gr. 6 – Claire Geier.