

Parent Bulletin

Connecting with our Principal

Spring is in full bloom and the month of May is here!

Mid term reports for the 4th quarter are released today. Please be sure to log in and check FastDirect for your child(ren)'s grades. We are proud of the hard work and dedication our students have shown in their academic pursuits. As the end of the school year approaches, we encourage you to continue supporting your child's learning journey at home. If you have any questions or concerns about your child's progress, please don't hesitate to reach out to their teachers.



We have some exciting events lined up for the remainder of the school year. Please join us for the **New Family Open House, Book Fair and Ice Cream Social** on Friday, May 10. Invite your family and friends to join us for our **PTL Picnic & Auction** on Saturday, May 18 and mark your calendars now for our **Fine Arts Festival** on Wednesday, May 22.

God's richest blessings on your weekend. Enjoy this beautiful weather!

Connecting with Pastor

Pastor has invited all St. John's parents who are interested in learning more about baptism to an evening of exploring the **gift of Holy Baptism**. This will take place on Wednesday, May 8 at 6:00pm in our church. Complete details were sent home with your child and via FastDirect on May 1st.



Calendar Connection

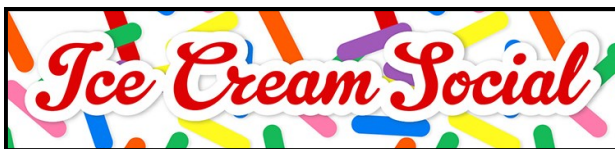
Quarter 4 Mid Terms Released	5/3
Confirmation Sunday	5/5
Ice Cream Social & Book Fair	5/10
New Family Open House	5/10
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Map Testing 1st-8th Grades	5/24

Ascension Day is 40 days after Easter, which is Thursday, May 9th. We celebrate Christ's ascension into heaven with a worship service at 7:00pm. All are welcome.

Connecting with Prayer

Makenna Urban-Kindergarten; Lucy Decker-4th Grade;
 Avery Radcliff-7th Grade; Liam Leith-8th Grade

I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. John 15:5



**Cones
Sundaes
St. John's
"Buzzards"
Hot Dogs**

Stock up on books for the entire family. You may prepare by previewing the books online, setting up an eWallet and even watch book trailers. Visit:

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/stjohnschicago>

Friday, May 10th 3:00pm to 6:00pm

May, 2024

Chapel offerings for May will be donated to UKANDU

UKANDU's Mission Statement, "Walk alongside others, with the Gospel of Jesus Christ, to bring hope and encouragement as they serve." A mission group of teens with adults serve Inner City churches in summer by helping with projects. <https://www.facebook.com/ukanduchicago/>



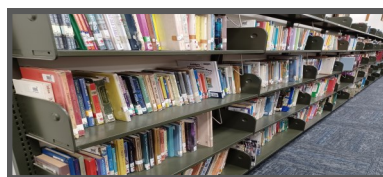
Chapel offerings from May 31st will be donated to the Lutheran Church Charities K-9 Comfort Dogs.



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Library News

The last day of checking out books will be Thursday, May 9th. The last week of visiting the library will take place the week of May 13th. The students have a few days to enjoy their books, then we need all books returned by May 16th so we can get our library ready for next year. Thank you for your support!



Summer Camp

Yes, there is still room in Summer Camp for your child. It begins on June 10th! Register here:

form.jotform.com/240224064512140

Connecting with Ex Care

May 6-May 10

<https://forms.gle/X1AMdKsnNtyL3m6T7>

Open to all friends & family of the St. John's Community!

MUSIC

2024

FUN

**St. John's Family
Picnic & Auction**

Saturday, May 18th
12pm-4pm

FACE-PAINTING

SOAK-A-TEACHER

4939 W Montrose Ave
Free Entry in back playlot

RAFFLE & AUCTION - FOOD & DRINK - GAMES & MORE

Proceeds to benefit the PTL Mission & Playground Renovation Fund

ptl@stjohnschicago.org



Honor Roll



High Honor Roll = 3.6 to 4.0 GPA

Honor Roll = 3.2 to 3.5 GPA



4th Grade

High Honor Roll

- Callahan Blazey
- Lucy Decker
- Josiah Franco
- Ethan Gomez
- Ariana Jaramillo
- Beverly Miller
- Makenzie Modzelewska
- Dana Norman
- Jules Norman
- Charles Pancorvo
- Ezekiel Stola
- Caleb Urban

Honor Roll

- Bellanieh Marquez



5th Grade

High Honor Roll

- Gabriella Benedict
- Ana Karteczka
- Owen Kirk
- Matthew Narbert
- Charlotte Ordiales
- Henry Pancorvo
- Asher Press
- Joshua Reyes
- Dylan Szwab
- Wesley Tanner
- Madelyn Wright

6th Grade

High Honor Roll

- Shylar Clemente
- Dhereck Gomez
- Declan Kirk

Honor Roll

- Christian Dimitrov
- Zandrea Morrow
- Mia Zendejas

7th Grade

High Honor Roll

- Salma Gomez
- Marissa Merced
- Avery Radcliff
- Caitlin Wright

Honor Roll

- William Manners
- Faith Perez



8th Grade

High Honor Roll

- Iris Bender
- Hayley Friend
- Clara Ilie
- Riley Ordiales
- Violeta Penate
- Linnea Smallfield

Honor Roll

- Genevieve Cortecero
- Arielliz Gonzalez
- Elijah Rayo
- Stephany Scott



SUMMER AT
CHICAGO
PUBLIC LIBRARY

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

JUNE 8 – AUGUST 4, 2024

<p>*ONLINE REGISTRATION Some programs have limited seating available and require online registration prior to the program. Visit chipublib.org/events to register.</p>	<p>CREATE TABLE Drop-in Kids Crafts June 8 to August 11 Children's Room Daily crafts to 30 minutes before closing. No registration required.</p>	<p>EXPLORE THE MUSIC OF LATIN AMERICA* July 3, 11-11:45AM Meeting Room Program by Pop-up Music School for ages birth to 5.</p>
<p>ADULT BOOK CLUB June 18, July 16 & Aug. 20 6:30PM Meeting Room Read & discuss a different book each month. No registration.</p>	<p>MAKE ART WITH BERNADETTE FOCH* June 20, 6-7:30PM Meeting Room Drawing lesson with a local artist.</p>	<p>MUSIC AND MOVEMENT FOR NEURODIVERGENT KIDS* July 14, 2-3:00PM Meeting Room Old Town School of Music preschool program.</p>
<p>YOU MEDIA ART Tweens and Teens June 11, 25, July 9 & 23, 6-7:15PM Meeting Room Make unique and creative artworks with projects perfect for Teens and Tweens.</p>	<p>HANDS-ON S.T.E.A.M.* Sound, Nature Sounds and Music June 27, July 11 & 25, 6-7:15PM Meeting Room Science Experiments for ages 5+</p>	<p>DISCOVER ELECTRICITY* with Discover Science Assemblies July 23, 2-3:00PM Meeting Room Science for ages 3+.</p>
<p>YOU MEDIA HOURS for Teens & Tweens Times to be posted YOUmedia Hang out, create, craft, game, study, and more in our dedicated Teen Space.</p>	<p>PATRIOTIC CRAFTS for the 4th of July July 2, 2-7PM Children's Room Drop in for festive crafts. No registration required.</p>	<p>FAMILY DANCE PARTY* with DJ Purple July 30, 6:30-7:30PM Meeting Room Dancing for everyone.</p>
<p>Jefferson Park 5363 W. Lawrence Ave. 312.744.1998 Branch hours:</p>		

MON: 10 AM - 6 PM
 TUE: 12 - 8 PM
 WED: 10 AM - 6 PM
 THUR: 12 - 8 PM
 FRI: 9 AM - 5 PM
 SAT: 9 AM - 5 PM
 SUN: 1 - 5 PM

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