



Weekly Mailer – May 21st

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St. Matthias Parish School Mailer

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Dear Saint Matthias Families,

The weather is warmer and it is beginning to feel like summer outside and inside! While it makes concentrating a little more challenging, your children are stepping up. They continue to work hard every day both in classwork and standardized testing. We are so proud of them all! Father Dave shared this week that while we sometimes say that God is in us, truly we are in God and respond to our world through Him. Our children continue to shine God's light.

***Masking** has been in the news and we want to share our expectation for the remainder of the school year. **St. Matthias will continue to follow best practices of the CDC as we have all year.** The CDC recommends that anyone fully vaccinated may remove masks if all are fully vaccinated. **For the safety of all and because not all in our building are vaccinated, masks will be required through the end of this school year.** With fewer than 13 school days left, we will continue to follow CDC best practices for our students and staff. The Archdiocese Office for Schools supports our decision. We ask for your support as well.*

Water Bottles are a must have as the weather gets warmer. Please remember to send your child with a water bottle daily!

The school calendar will be shared next week. For your planning, the **first day of school for the 2021-2022** school year will be **Thursday, August 26, 2021.**

A huge thank you to the **McMullen family** for the surprise lunch they provided for the staff this week! We are truly blessed!

Sports will be returning to St. Matthias in the fall! Please watch for sign up information in next week's mailer!

Enjoy this delightful weather!

Karen Earle