



Weekly Mailer – September 17th

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Faith First – Educating children while building a Catholic foundation that instills Christian values.



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Dear St. Matthias Families,

Today was our first \$1 Out of Uniform Day. Thank you to all who participated. This month's donations are being put towards our *Soles for Education Walk* annual fundraiser. Stay tuned for more information regarding the *Soles for Education Walk* in the coming weeks.

We also had our first fire drill of the year today. Students did a nice job exiting the building quickly and quietly.

COVID-19 Updates - This was our fourth week of school. Students are continuing to do a nice job following safety protocols.

This week's summary:

- Four students (two families) are in quarantine due to being close contacts with someone who is positive.
- No classes are in quarantine.
- No staff members are in quarantine.

MAP Testing

Starting on Monday, September 20, students will be taking the fall MAP test. This test helps inform teachers, parents, and students where each student currently stands academically and aids in future learning and instruction. Testing will run from September 20 through October 1. Teachers will create their class's MAP testing schedule. Please help your child to get plenty of sleep and eat a good breakfast in preparation for these important tests.

Parent Information Night - Thank you to all those who attended Parent Information Night. If you have any additional questions, please be sure to reach out to your child's teacher.

We were unable to conduct our normal School Advisory Committee and Home & School portions of Parent Information Night. I am working with both groups to create a way we can deliver the information normally shared at Parent Information Night to all school families in the near future.



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Bulldog Award - The Bulldog Award is awarded to a classroom that has been found to be a.) hardworking, b.) curious, and c.) kind. This week the Bulldog Award goes to Miss Faust's first grade. During indoor recess this week, I observed these students curiously building with an array of materials. They shared kindly with each other and worked hard to build amazing structures. Nice job 1st grade!

Mass - September 23 will be prepared and lead by grade 6. Masked visitors are welcome to celebrate School Mass. Please sit in the visitor's section.

MEC - We are still in search of a few workers for our extended care before and after school program (MEC). If you or someone you know is interested in a part-time position, please contact Terri Czerwinski at tczerwinski@stmatthiasmilw.org. **Even working one afternoon a week would be a HUGE help!**

Blessings,

Mrs. Alissa Turner

Principal