

School News



Greetings from Music,

Practicing is well underway for our Christmas musical, **December 8, 2024**. This year is a repeat of "Santa's Holiday Hoedown," first performed almost thirty years ago. Some of the student's parents, had parts in the earlier production, so it really is **VINTAGE**.

The story centers around Santa's workshop and Santa's poor financial management. The Elves decide that money is to be made by putting on a show in Branson, Mo. Characters include many crafty elves whose names are country western singing stars of the 90's, Dolly Holiday, Tex Glitter a Branson promoter and Roadie Valet, Tex's sniveling assistant.

The students have enjoyed reading the script, singing the songs and learning the dance steps!

Hope to see y'all at the show.

Merry Christmas, Mrs. Baldwin

The Christmas Story

by Leanne Guenther

Once upon a time,
A long, long time ago.
Begins the story of a baby,
That most of you should know.

His daddy's name was Joseph,
And Mary was His mom,
This babe was very special
He was God's only Son.

Some angels came from heaven,
And they began to sing.
To the shepherds in the fields below,
"Glad tidings do we bring!"

A bright star lit the heavens,
To light the magi's way,
To the baby in the manger
Who was born on Christmas day.

And all who gathered round Him,
Rejoiced and praised His birth.
For the babe, the King, named Jesus,
Is our Saviour here on earth!



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For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.
Isaiah 9:6

Merry Christmas!



St. Nicholas

St. Nicholas, also known as "Nikolaos of Myra," was a fourth century saint and Greek bishop of Myra. "He was exceedingly well brought up by his parents and trod piously in their footsteps. The child, watched over by the church, enlightened his mind and encouraged his thirst for sincere and true religion." An opportunity soon arose for St. Nicholas and his inheritance. A citizen of Patara had lost all his money, and needed to support his three daughters who could not find husbands because of their poverty. Nicholas became informed of this, and thus took a bag of gold and threw it into an open window of the man's house in the night. The holy Nicholas was chosen bishop, and in that station became famous by his extraordinary piety and zeal and by his many astonishing miracles.

St. Nicholas, pray for us.

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Early Release Day – Dec. 4th @ 1:30

**No School – Dec. 9th
Holy Day**

**CHRISTMAS BREAK
DEC. 23rd – JAN 3rd**

DECEMBER

- 4 Dismiss @ 1:30 for Cognia in pm.
- 4 Pizza Hut Fundraiser night
- 8 Christmas Musical @ 2:30 for Pre-K
- 8 Christmas Musical @ 3:00 for K-6
- 9 **HOLY DAY – NO SCHOOL**
- 20 End of 2nd quarter
- 23 School Council Meeting @ 7:00 pm
- 23-Jan. 3 **CHRISTMAS BREAK**

Season of Advent activities for the family

Catholic Advent Checklist

Read a Chapter of Luke each day until Christmas	Start Saint Andrew novena	Go to Confession	Make & send Christmas Cards	Visit a Nursing Home
Make Christmas Cookies	Celebrate St Nicholas Feast Day	Decorate for Christmas	Have a hour in adoration as a family	Bring cookies to friends
Finish Christmas Shopping	Make your priest a meal	Write a nice letter to a family member	Watch a movie on the Nativity	Ride around looking at Christmas lights w/ hot chocolate
Pray a family Rosary	Give to a mothers home	Declutter all the old toys and items	Reach out to someone lonely	Celebrate St Nicholas Feast Day
Act out nativity with family and friends	Sing some Advent carols	Feed the homeless	Put up a Christmas tree	Christmas Mass