

**Decorating
Family Life Center**

**Want to Help?
Please Send in
Christmas Tree
Ornaments**

Thank You

St. Mary of the Assumption School

Weekly Newsletter

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Help "Sandy" Victims
**Support your child in
the Penny Wars now
being waged between
all grade levels**

Breast Cancer Awareness



Calendar of Events

11/28	School Advisory Board 7:00 PM
11/29	Make-up Picture Day
11/30	No School Craft Fair Set Up
12/1	Craft Fair

Recess Duty

11/28	Smith (3) Wilson (8) Amprey (6)
11/29	Smith (7) Chukwu (8) Udeh (8)
11/30	No School
12/3	Tickles (8) Carpenter (4) Foster (8)
12/4	Reynolds (2) Williams (2) Christian (8)

The National Junior Honor Society organized a school wide Breast Cancer Awareness fundraiser collecting \$671.24 for the National Breast Cancer Foundation

2013 - 2014 ADW Tuition Assistance Applications Available Online

Applications for the 2013 - 2014 Archdiocesan Tuition Assistance Program are now available. The application deadline is Friday, December 7, 2012.

Make Up Pictures

Makeup picture date will be Thursday Nov. 29, 2012 between 8:30 and 9:30 am.

St. Mary of the Assumption Parish/School Penance Service



Tuesday
December 11, 2012
6:30 PM
See Page 2 for Details



Please keep our vice principal, Mr. Clancy, in your prayers. He has suffered a heart attack and is currently at the Naval Hospital in Bethesda. Please do not email him with school related questions, direct all academic questions to Mrs. Campbell. tcampbell@stmaryum.org Thank You!

From Mr. Jacobs



"Confirmation students & families: There will be a penance service at St. Mary of the Assumption Church on Tuesday, December 11th, at 6:30 pm. Extra priests will be on hand to hear confessions at this time. Students preparing to receive the sacrament of Confirmation are expected to attend, along with their parents. Please contact Mr. Whitney Jacobs with questions (wjacobs@stmaryum.org)."

December 4, 2012: "Advent"

Presented by Fr. William Foley

January 15, 2013: "A Deeper Understanding of the 1st Commandment"

Presented by Sisters of the Servants of the Lord and the Virgin of Matará

- **Additional talks will be announced closer to the new year.**

- **Thank you!**

SERVICE PROJECT



Now announcing the St. Mary's



The classes of St. Mary's will be participating in a school-wide fundraising event called the PENNY WARS in order to support those devastated by SuperStorm Sandy. The goal of the PENNY WARS is to put more pennies (only pennies) in your class jar than other classes. The PENNY WARS will take place over the following weeks:

November 13th – 16th

November 26th – 30th

December 3rd – 7th

December 10th – 14th

On the following days, November 30th and December 14th, students may bring in SILVER change and add it to their other classes' buckets.

This initiative will be led by the 5th grade and weekly updates will be announced Friday afternoons. All proceeds will go to the American Red Cross or Catholic Charities.

If you have any questions, please contact the 5th grade teacher, Ms. Martin @ amartin@stmaryum.org

SCRIP

St. Mary of the Assumption School Scrip Order Form

Orders sent into School will be filled on **Mondays and Wednesdays**

Your name: _____ Daytime phone number: _____

If you are sending this form to School to have order returned home, please complete the following:

Student name: _____ Student's Grade: _____

Retailer (percentage earned by St. Mary's)	Card Value	# of cards	Total
Grocery/Warehouse Stores			
Giant (5%)	\$100		\$0
Giant (5%)	\$25		\$0
Food Lion (5%)	\$100		\$0
Food Lion (5%)	\$25		\$0
Safeway (4%)	\$100		\$0
Safeway (4%)	\$25		\$0
WalMart/Sam's Club (2%)	\$25		\$0
Target (2%)	\$100		\$0
Target (2%)	\$25		\$0
			\$0
Restaurants			
Domino's (8%)	\$10		\$0
Dunkin' Donuts (4%)	\$10		\$0
Chili's/Macaroni Grill/On the Border (9%)	\$25		\$0
Chipotle (10%)	\$10		\$0
Bonefish/Outback/Carrabba's (8%)	\$25		\$0
Panera Bread (9%)	\$10		\$0
Red Lobster/Olive Garden/Longhorn (9%)	\$25		\$0
Starbuck's (9%)	\$10		\$0
Subway (3%)	\$10		\$0
Wendy's (4%)	\$10		\$0
Retail			
Barnes & Noble (9%)	\$10		\$0
Claire's (9%)	\$10		\$0
Home Depot (4%)	\$25		\$0
Home Depot (4%)	\$100		\$0
Kohl's (5%)	\$25		\$0
Kohl's (5%)	\$100		\$0
** NEW Macy's (9%)	\$25		\$0
iTunes (5%)	\$15		\$0
Gasoline			
Shell (2.5%)	\$100		\$0
Shell (2.5%)	\$25		\$0
Wawa (1.5%)	\$25		\$0
Special Orders: (fill in retailer and card value)			
			\$0
			\$0
			\$0
			\$0
Total amount of SCRIP purchase			0

If you do not see what you are searching for on this form, there are **over 400** businesses listed online at www.glscrip.com! Please note that special orders will take a bit longer to fill.

Thank you for supporting St. Mary of the Assumption!

There is a \$30 fee for all returned checks.

Please make all checks payable to St. Mary of the Assumption

Please check payment method: Cash Check number _____

Home and School Association

Craft Festival

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR!!!!

THIS SATURDAY!!!!!!

DECEMBER 1ST

10-4PM

90 Vendors* Great Food* Fellowship*Fun

There are still many areas where we could use your help on Saturday! Please contact me at

shernandez@stmaryum.org

Remember you can earn hours for baking goodies for our bake table. Please bring them in Friday morning or the day of the festival.

Please arrive at 4pm to join in the fun clean up!!

I am looking for any 7th or 8th grade boys or girls that could help during the day Saturday. Please let me know!

Craft Festival Bake Sale

St. Mary's Craft Festival
2013 Bake Table

December 1



Calling all bakers!

The festival is quickly approaching! We need cookies, brownies, whole cakes, whole pies, jams, breads & spreads! Volunteer hours will be given for time baked!

We will be happily accepting donations of home made baked goods on Friday evening, 11/30, thru 1pm on the day of the event. Please remember, all items must be wrapped.

If you have any questions at all, please don't hesitate to contact Michele Baird @ baird76@hotmail.com

Happy Holidays!



GIANT

Home and School Association

Dear Parents, friends and families of St. Mary's of the Assumption.

Welcome to the start of a new school year and another year of A+ School Rewards. Starting October 5, 2012 through March 28, 2013 and St. Mary's the Assumption will have the opportunity to earn cash through Giant A+ School Rewards Program.

All you have to do is:

Log on to www.giantfood.com/aplus to register online. Our school code is 00578.

LAST NAME _____

Card Number _____

ALL DIGITS

**Send c/o Shannon McCreary 7th
grade**

You can also email me your card number at barbibaby66@yahoo.com.

Thank you

Barbara McCreary

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