



*St. Mary School is proud to present our Performing Arts Club as they perform “Christmas Pictures.” The program is scheduled for Wednesday evening, December 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in Assumption Hall. Tickets for the program are available at a cost of \$4.00 per adult and \$2.00 per child. Please complete the order-form below, if you wish to order tickets for the program.*

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*“Christmas Pictures”*

*Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ A B*

*Number of Tickets: Adult \_\_\_\_\_ @\$4.00 per ticket*

*Child \_\_\_\_\_ @\$2.00 per ticket*

*Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_*

# Christmas At St. Mary School

On Wednesday, December 23rd we will offer the opportunity to celebrate Christmas with classroom celebrations arranged by the teachers and room mothers. Room mothers have been in contact with all parents regarding the plan for the pizza lunch/class celebrations. **STUDENTS MAY WEAR JEANS WITH A CHRISTMAS THEME SHIRT.** (Clothes must be modest and appropriate for school).

**REMINDER PARENTS: Deadline approaching for Tuition Assistance Applications  
12/31/15.**



October, 2015

Dear Parents/Guardians,

For your planning and convenience, FACTS Tuition Assistance is now available for the 2016-2017 school -year. There is a \$15 application fee which will need to be paid online before submitting the application.

All applications must be completed electronically at <https://online.factsmgmt.com/signin/3KGBP> . You will come to the home page and then be able to log on using your username and password for your FACTS account. You will then see a link that will take you to the tuition assistance application. The 2014 tax returns will be used for your application. All required documentation must be submitted for the application to be processed. **Only completed applications will be considered.** It is the responsibility of the family to supply all necessary paperwork. FACTS customer care representatives are available to assist you at 866-441-4637.

**The deadline for applying for tuition assistance is December 31<sup>st</sup>.** If you have any questions regarding FACTS Tuition Assistance procedures, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Patricia Mancuso  
Principal

# Picture Information

## Individual Pictures Absentee/Retakes

Individual absentee/retake pictures will be taken **THURSDAY, JANUARY 7TH**. For retakes, please be sure to return your original portraits with your student on Thursday, January 7th. For absentee pictures, please make sure your child brings in order form with payment. If you need an order form, please request one from your child's teacher. Students may wear casual clothing.

## Class Pictures

Class pictures will be taken **FRIDAY, JANUARY 8TH**. All students should wear the official winter school uniform for class pictures. **NO NUT CARDS MAY BE USED ON THIS DAY**. If Friday is your child's usual gym day, please have your child wear the winter school uniform and not their gym clothes. Order forms will be sent home next Tuesday in Communication Folders.

## Graduation Pictures

8<sup>th</sup> Grade graduation pictures will be taken on Thursday, January 21st. 8<sup>th</sup> grade students should wear their official winter school uniform. **NO GYM CLOTHES OR NUT CARDS PLEASE**. You will not receive an order form ahead of time. You will receive proofs and you will be able to order what you choose from the proofs.

THANK YOU!

# **St. Mary's Scrip Program**

**There is only 1 Scrip ordering day left before Christmas!!!!**

**At present, Scrip is offering a bonus on the following retailers.**

**AMC 5% bonus until 12/25  
American Eagle 2% bonus until 12/18  
Dell Computers 2% bonus until 12/18  
Domino's 2% bonus until 12/25  
Gap/Old Navy 6% bonus until 12/18  
Hallmark 2% bonus until 12/11  
The Home Depot 1% bonus until 12/11  
JC Penney 1% bonus until 12/18  
Payless 2% bonus until 12/18  
Subway 3% bonus until 12/18  
Ulta Beauty 1% bonus until 12/18**

**Also, to help with your gift giving needs, many retailers are offering for a limited time, smaller denominations. Some of the retailers are: Target \$10, CVS \$10, Outback \$10, Walmart \$10, Acme \$10, Amazon.com \$10, Regal/UA \$10, Panera Bread \$5 are just a few. Please keep these in mind, when purchasing teacher's gifts, babysitters, mail people, and coaches.**

**Please remember that Scrip is able to accept Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover. I can meet you at the school office in order to swipe your card, or it can also be done at my home some evenings, please let me know if I can make it more convenient for you.**

**Remember to get your Kohl's gift cards and take to the store and make payments on your credit card bill. This allows you to shop when you have a coupon or at your convenience, and just get the gift cards from Scrip to pay your bill.**

You can email me or call anytime with questions or issues.

**Donna Broomell  
Scrip Coordinator  
(609)922-0683 Mobile  
Call or text me anytime.....  
donnaplumley1@aol.com**

**ST. MARY SCHOOL  
ABBREVIATED SCRIP LISTING**

For full listing log onto: [www.glscrip.com](http://www.glscrip.com)

**SCRIP COORDINATOR: Donna Broomell (609)922-0683 text and/or call**

or email me at [donnaaplumley1@aol.com](mailto:donnaaplumley1@aol.com)

**RETAIL STORES**

Advance Auto Parts	\$25	7%
Aeropostale	\$25	7%
Amazon.com	\$25	4%
American Eagle Outfitters	\$25	10%
American Girl Doll	\$25/\$100	9%
Barnes & Noble Bookstores	\$10/\$25	9%
Bass Pro Shops	\$25	9%
Bath & Body Works	\$10/\$25	13%
Bed Bath & Beyond	\$25/\$100	7%
Best Buy	\$25/100/250	3%
Boscov's Dept. Store	\$25	5%
Buckle	\$25	8%
Build-A-Bear Workshop	\$25	8%
Burlington Coat Factory	\$25	8%
Champs Sports Store (Footlocker)	\$25	9%
Claire's	\$10	9%
CVS Pharmacy	\$25/\$100	6%
Dick's Sporting Goods	\$25/\$100	8%
<b>A.C Moore</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>5%</b>
Eddie Bauer	\$25	10%
Express	\$25	10%
Fashion Bug	\$25	6%
Footlocker Stores/Lady/Kid's/Footaction	\$25	9%
Game Stop	\$25	3%
Gap/Gap Kids/Baby Gap	\$25	14%
GNC	\$25	8%
Gymboree	\$25	13%
The Home Depot	\$25/100/500	4%
Icing (Claire's)	\$10	9%
Itunes	<b>\$15/\$25/\$50</b>	<b>5%</b>
JCPenney	<b>\$25/\$100</b>	<b>5%</b>
J.Crew	\$25	13%
J.Jill	\$25	8%
<b>Jiffy Lube</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>8%</b>
Jo Ann Fabrics	\$25	6%
K Mart	\$25/\$50	4%
L.L. Bean	\$25	15%
Lands' End	\$25	16%
Limited	\$25	9%
Lowe's Home Improvement	\$25/100/500	4%
Macy's	\$25/\$100	10%
Marshalls (TJ Maxx)	\$25/\$100	7%
Men's Wearhouse	\$25	8%
Michael's Arts & Crafts	\$25	4%
Motherhood Maternity	\$25	6%
Office Depot	\$25	4%
Office Max	\$25	5%
Old Navy/Banana Republic/Gap	\$25	14%
Overstock.com	\$25	8%
Payless Shoes	\$20	13%
Pep Boys	\$20	4%
Pier 1 Imports	\$25	9%
Pottery Barn/PB Teen/PB Kids	\$25/\$100	8%
Radio Shack	\$25	4%
Rite Aid	\$25	4%
Ross Dress for Less	\$25	8%
Sam Goody/fye/Suncoast	\$25	9%
Sears	\$25/100/250	4%
Sephora	\$20	4%
Sports Authority	\$25	8%
Staples	\$25/\$100	5%
Structure (Express)	\$25	13%
Sunglass Hut	\$25	12%
T.J. Maxx	\$25/\$100	7%
Talbot's	\$25	11%
The Children's Place	\$25	12%
Toys-R-Us	\$20	1.5%
Trade Secret/Regis Salons	25	8%
Walgreens	\$25/\$100	6%
White Barn Candle Co. (Bath & Body)	\$10/\$25	13%
<b>Zappos.com</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>8%</b>

**RESTAURANTS**

Applebee's	\$25/\$50	8%
Arby's	\$10	8%
Panera Bread	\$10/\$25	9%
Baskin Robbins	\$2	9%
Bob Evans	\$10	10%
Boston Market	\$10	12%
Buca di Beppo	\$25	8%
<b>BUFFALO WILD WINGS</b>	<b>\$10/\$25</b>	<b>8%</b>
Burger King	\$10	4%
Carrabba's Italian Grill (Outback)	\$25	8%
Champps Restaurant & Bar	\$25	5%
CheeseCake Factory	\$25	5%
Chili's	\$25	11%
Chuck E. Cheese	\$10	8%
Cracker Barrel	\$10/\$25	9%
Dave & Busters	\$25	13%
Denny's	\$10	7%
Domino's Pizza	\$10	8%
<b>Dunkin Donuts</b>	<b>\$10/\$25</b>	<b>4%</b>
KFC	\$5	8%
Old Country Buffet	\$25	5%
Olive Garden (Red Lobster)	\$25	9%
Outback Steakhouse/Bonefish	\$25/\$50	8%
PF Chang's	\$25	8%
Uno's Chicago/Pizzeria	\$25	12%
Rainforest Café (Landry's)	\$25	9%
Red Lobster	\$25	9%
Ruby Tuesday's	\$25	8%
Starbucks	\$10/\$25	7%
Subway	\$10	3%
Wendy's	\$10	4%
Einstein's Bagels	\$10	10%
TGIF	<b>\$25</b>	<b>8%</b>
Little Caesar's Pizza	<b>\$20</b>	<b>8%</b>
<b>Ruth Chris' Steak House</b>	<b>\$50</b>	<b>10%</b>
<b>CHIPOTLE</b>	<b>\$10</b>	<b>10%</b>

**OTHER SCRIP PROVIDERS**

AMC/Loews Theatres	\$25	7%
Cinemark Theatres	\$25	4%
Regal/United Artist Theatres	\$25	8%
Regal/United Artist single ticket	\$9.50	15%
<b>FAMOUS FOOTWEAR</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>8%</b>
Whole Foods Market	\$25/\$100	3%
Trade Secret (Regis Salons)	\$25	8%
<b>In Bold/Available Everyday</b>		
<b>WAL-MART</b>	<b>\$25/\$100</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
<b>Target</b>	<b>\$25/50/100</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
<b>Shop-Rite Supermarket</b>	<b>\$25/\$100</b>	<b>4%</b>
<b>Acme Supermarket</b>	<b>\$25/\$100</b>	<b>4%</b>
<b>Kohl's Department Store</b>	<b>\$25/\$100</b>	<b>4%</b>

**GAS STATIONS**

A-Plus (Sunoco)	\$50	1.0%
Exxon	\$50	1.5%
Gulf Oil	\$25	2.0%
Mobil (Exxon)	\$50	1.5%
Shell	\$25/\$100	2.5%
Sunoco	\$50	1.0%
Chevron	\$50/100/250	1.0%
<b>Wawa (DE, MD, NJ, PA, VA)</b>	<b>\$25/\$100</b>	<b>1.5%</b>

**LODGING & TRAVEL & MISC**

American Express	\$25/\$100	1%
Avis Rent-a-Car	\$50	8%
Best Western Int'l	\$25	12%
Budget Rent-a-Car	\$50	8%
<b>Disney</b>	<b>25/100/1000</b>	<b>2%</b>
Hyatt Hotels	\$50	10%
Ritz-Carlton Hotels	\$50	8%
Comfort Inn/Clarion Hotels	\$50	3%

Updated 12/1/2014

# JUNIOR YOUTH GROUP JESUS' FISH 6TH-8TH GRADE



## JANUARY

Sunday, Jan. 10th

**NO Meeting due to Kari being away at the ACTS retreat this weekend.**

Sunday, Jan. 24th

**Trivia Night for Prizes! We will also hear some talks about our Faith and what it means to be "Pro-Life" from the High School CORE Team Members. 7-9pm in Marian Hall.**

## FEBRUARY

Saturday, Feb. 6th

**Annual Snow Tubing Trip.**

**Details are on the back of this schedule.**

Sunday, Feb. 14th

**Valentine's Day Party 7-9pm in Assumption Hall.**

Sunday, Feb. 28th

**NO Youth Group due to Kari being on the JP2 Retreat this weekend. Please keep the JP2 teens in your prayers.**

### (8TH GRADE ONLY) GUYS AND GIRLS SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE GROUPS

JOIN THE JP2 YG EVERY THURSDAY, FROM 5-7PM FOR PERSONAL SHARING OF TYPICAL HIGH SCHOOL PROBLEMS AND EVENTS, THEIR SPIRITUAL REMEDIES, AND HOW TO GROW CLOSER TO GOD THROUGH IT ALL! MEET IN THE YOUTH OFFICES IN THE PARISH OFFICE. ENTER THROUGH ST. JOSEPH'S ROOM BACK ENTRANCE.

## SAVE THE DATES...

**THE JESUS FISH 8TH GRADE (ONLY) OVERNIGHT RETREAT IS MARCH 4-5TH AT THE JOHN PAUL II RETREAT HOUSE IN VINELAND. MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW. THERE WILL BE A PARENT INFO NIGHT ON JAN. 26TH FROM 6-7PM IN ST. JOSEPH'S ROOM.**



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# Annual Snow Tubing Trip

This trip is open to all Youth Group members, their families & friends and ALL SMS Families!

**What:** Snow Tubing

**When:** Saturday, February 6th, 2016

**Where:** Blue Mountain

660 Blue Mountain Dr. Palmerton, PA

**Time:** Meet at OLOPP parking lot at 7am  
we will return around 6pm

**Costs:** Snow Tubing

3 hr package of unlimited hills: \$50\*/person

*\*Please pack a lunch or bring money for snack bar.*

**Payments:** A \$25 deposit made out to  
"Our Lady of Peace" is due by Jan 17th.  
Final balance of \$25 is due Feb. 4th  
with the signed waiver and signed  
parental permission slip that can be  
downloaded from:  
[www.youthgroupinfo.com](http://www.youthgroupinfo.com)

**Costs Includes:**

Round Trip bus ride to Blue Mountain

- We travel on a coach bus w/movies & a bathroom
- 3 hours of snow tubing
- Continental brunch on the bus
- Snacks during the day

**This trip is open to all Youth Groups-  
Jesus' Fish Guppies\*, Jesus' Fish\* & JP2!  
Or any St. Mary School Family.\***

**\*THOSE under high school age must have a  
parent chaperone over the age of 25 years old.  
(The Chaperone pays full price.)**

*SPACE is LIMITED to a 55 passenger  
bus! Please get your deposits in ASAP  
to hold your spot*

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **GROUP (circle one):** Jesus' Fish Guppies Jesus' Fish JP2 SMS Family

**(If younger than high school) Chaperone Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Deposit:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cash or Check written out to "Our Lady of Peace Parish"**



**Attention all NEW and CURRENT  
St. Mary School Volunteers:**

**As per the Diocese of Camden, school volunteers must have CAP (Child Assault Prevention) training every 5 years. If you are a new volunteer and have never attended a CAP session before, you will have to attend a CAP 1 session.**

**If you are a current volunteer and have attended a CAP session you have the option of attending CAP 1 again or you may attend the CAP 2 session. Please see the next page for the CAP dates and locations.**

**If you have any questions regarding CAP, please email Ann Marie Morales at [mainoffice2@smarys.org](mailto:mainoffice2@smarys.org).**



**DIOCESE OF CAMDEN**  
**Office of Child and Youth Protection**

*We can be sure that we love God's children when we love God and do what he has commanded. 1 John 5:2*

The Office of Child and Youth Protection is announcing CAP (Child Assault Prevention) sessions. CAP is the safe environment training program for adults who have regular contact with minors. Attendance is required in order to comply with the USCCB's *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*. The policy of the Diocese of Camden is that adults will attend CAP once every five years.

**CAP 1** teaches attendees to **recognize child abuse and neglect** and how to report to the proper authorities. Adults are taught that children have the right to be safe, strong and free. CAP 1 is for new volunteers and employees.

**CAP 2** is called **CAP's Bullying Prevention Program** and is a workshop addressing bullying awareness and bullying prevention. Cyber-bullying is also presented.

**CAP 3** is called **Cyber-Empowerment** and is a workshop which promotes adults understanding of cyber activity of youth while teaching them realistic ways to help children keep their own rights and guard the rights of others in the cyber-sphere.

Each presentation is 90 minutes.

Adults who are new employees or volunteers should attend CAP 1 before attending CAP 2 or CAP 3. After five years, adults have the option of attending CAP 1, 2 or 3 when they renew their CAP.

The following sessions will be offered in **January 2016**:

**CAP Phase 1**

Thursday, January 07, 2016	7:00pm	Cape Trinity Catholic; 1500 Central Ave, Wildwood, NJ 08260
Thursday, January 14, 2016	10:00am	St. Gianna Beretta Molla; 1421 New Road, Northfield, NJ 08225
Tuesday, January 20, 2016	7:00pm	Gloucester Catholic High School 333 Ridgeway St; Gloucester, NJ 08030
Thursday, January 28, 2016	7:00pm	Holy Eucharist Parish; 344 Kresson Road, Cherry Hill, NJ 08034

**CAP Phase 2 – Bullying Prevention Program**

**NONE**

**CAP Phase 3 – Cyber Empowerment**

**NONE**

To attend one of these classes, please call the **CAP REGISTRATION LINE** with the Office of Child and Youth Protection at **(856)583-6165** or contact **Lucie Alcazar** at **luz.alcazar@camdendiocese.org**. **Please leave your name and the Session Date** you are attending; you **will not** receive a call back. **Please register at least five days before the session you would like to attend.**

The CAP schedule, location, phone numbers and directions may be found on the diocesan website [www.camdendiocese.org/cvp](http://www.camdendiocese.org/cvp).

**IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER PLEASE CALL THE LOCATION DIRECTLY.**