



SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL

- W-Wash
- W-Watch distance
- W-Wear a mask (optional)



"GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME, AND ALL THE TIME GOD IS GOOD!"

PARENT/STUDENT NEWSLETTER



IT'S A GREAT DAY TO BE A CARDINAL!

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August 31, 2023



DATES TO REMEMBER:

SEPTEMBER- 4- NO SCHOOL – LABOR DAY! RELAX!

- 11- ESL Classes start in the Parish Hall 7-8:30pm
- 12- SAC meeting at 5:30 in library

HOME AND SCHOOL MEETING IN CAFÉ @ 6

- 14- **Grandparents lunch** @11:00am in café.
- 18- St. Joe 4-H meeting in cafeteria-ANY interested student/parent may attend.



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process in which:
* Catholics learn about their faith and obtain their missing Sacraments.* Non-Catholics learn about the Catholic faith, and if they so desire, can become Catholic.

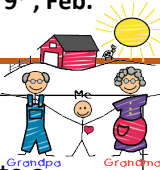
If you, or someone you know, are interested in learning more about Catholicism, please contact the Church Office at 918-687-1351. RCIA Classes will begin September 14th! Classes will be every Thursday at 7PM in the Church.

HOME AND SCHOOL MEETING TUESDAY, September 12, 2023 @ 6:00PM

Stay informed and up to date and Support the school too!
Free dress on Thursday for your child if you sign in on TUESDAY at the meeting on the sign in sheet!
Other H & S dates for the year, Tuesdays at 6pm.
October 10th, November 14th, December 12th, January 9th, Feb. 13th, March 12th, April 9th, and May 14th.

GRANDPARENTS WANTED!!!

We invite all grandparents of our school students to a "**Grandparents**" lunch in honor of you on Thursday September 14th at 11:00am. Lunch is \$3.50. We will have Maria's famous meatloaf, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, dinner roll, fresh fruit and milk or water. We love our grandparents! **Happy Grandparents Day!**



Check out our website. It's awesome!
We are adding information daily so stay tuned!

www.stjoseph74403.com

Lunch menu is listed there and so much more.
We have a Facebook page too-check us out @St. Joseph Catholic School-Muskogee, OK



A Note from the Principal

- Dear Parents,
- Greetings and peace!
- Some acronyms and their explanations for our new families:
H & S = Home and School Association is our Teacher/Parent/Student organization similar to a PTO.
Everyone is a member because it is included in your registration.
SAC is our School Advisory Council which is our equivalent to a school board and meetings.
KOC is the Catholic Church's Knights of Columbus.
RCIA- is The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults-and the process to becoming a Catholic.
Our pastors for the school go by several names- The church and school pastor is **Father Richard Cristler** also known as **Padre, Father Richard** or **Father Cristler**, our associate pastor is **Father Rob Dye** also known as **Father Rob** or **Father Dye**.
Deacons Ed Falluer, Joe Guzman, and John Hale
Bishop David Konderla is the Bishop of Tulsa and Eastern Oklahoma also known as the Bishop or His Excellency or The Most Reverend.
***Friday's spirit wear**" rules- Student's may wear a school issued spirit wear t-shirt or hoodie with jeans as long as they have been at school all week with no tardies or leave early days.
Uniform policy- (in handbook) Be in appropriate uniform attire, with belt and shirts tucked in.
Yours in Christ,
Joanne Myers
Principal



! SPIRITSHOP

SPIRITWEAR!!

Spirit Wear website to buy apparel is wwwspiritshop.com.
Find St. Joseph School and get your shirts, hoodies, jackets or whatever you desire! We have a limited amount of shirts in the office for \$5.00
WE also have a few girls' shirts and jumpers left in the office.

We accept major credit cards:



ATTENTION

WE ACCEPT MAJOR CREDIT CARDS FOR TUITION, LUNCH AND AFTER-CARE PAYMENTS. COME BY THE OFFICE OR CALL THE SCHOOL. Automatic withdraw options are available also.

ESL CLASSES- English as a Second Language classes begin on Monday, September 11th from 7-8:30pm in the Parish Hall.

CHROME BOOKS! It is the student's responsibility to charge their Chromebooks and bring to school every day.

The Mission of St. Joseph School is to provide academic excellence in a safe Catholic Christian Environment and to follow in Jesus' footsteps to create a better world.