



SAINT MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY

A Guiding Light in Sheepshead Bay

May 25, 2022

Dear Families:

Although I always try to keep my Wednesday letters upbeat and positive, I would be remiss if I did not share my thoughts with you about the senseless tragedy that occurred in Texas yesterday.

First and foremost, please know that we at Saint Mark Catholic Academy will continue to ensure that our school remains a safe and secure place for our students and all members of our school community.

Many of us—myself included—feel many different emotions today, among them is a sense of helplessness... *What can we do for these families and school community in their time of grief and sorrow?* As members of a Catholic School community, we can remain united in our prayers. We pray for the victims of yesterday's tragedy and all those who are impacted by violence. Each morning our school community prays "The Prayer of Saint Francis" together, which I have shared with you before, but I feel it important to share again, since it resonates so profoundly today...

*Lord, make me an instrument of your peace:
where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, joy.*

*O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek
to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved as to love.
For it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.
Amen.*

Please know that at Saint Mark Catholic Academy *your children are our children, too*—and we take the responsibility for their safety and well-being seriously. This includes not only their physical well-being, but also their psychological and spiritual welfare, too. For students who need someone to speak to, our teachers and staff are always available. We will do our very best to conclude the school year on a positive note and in a safe environment.


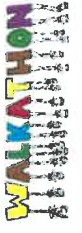




Sincerely,

Mr. Mark Wilson
Principal

Continuing the tradition of faith, service, and education.

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June 2022 Saint Mark Catholic Academy

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
			Spring Show for K-8 at 6:15pm in auditorium  Grade 8 Final Exams	NYS Science Performance Test for Grades 4 Grade 8 Final Exams	 MOVIE UNDER THE STARS! Watch The Bad Guys on the big screen in our schoolyard A FREE EVENT!	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	NYS Science Written Test for Grades 4 and 8	Pizza and Dress Down Day (\$5) 	Eighth Grade Class of 2022 Class Trip	Last Day of Class for Grade 8 Eighth Grade Class of 2022 Breakfast at 8am and Mass at 10am		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Grades 5-7 Final Exams	Grade 8 Final Exams 	Eighth Grade Dinner Dance NO SCHOOL FOR 3K and PRE-K ONLY. Kindergarten Step-up Ceremonies Grades 5-7 Final Exams LAST DAY FOR KINDERGARTEN	Grades 5-7 Final Exams	Eighth Grade Class of 2022 Graduation Ceremony at 5:30pm TAR BEACH DAY! Early Dismissal Day for K-8 (Full day for 3K and PreK) LAST DAY OF AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
 JUNE TEENTH FREEDOM DAY	SCHOOL CLOSED: Juneteenth Observed	Grades 5-7 Final Exams FATHER'S DAY SALE Grades 5-7 Final Exams	(K-8) Teacher Professional Development Day 3K Step-up at 9am PreK Step-up at 12pm LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR 3K & PREK FOR ALL	Grades 5-7 Final Exams Teacher Professional Development Day for All Faculty		
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
		LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR GRADES 1-7 Early Dismissal Day for all students, including 3K and Pre-K.				
		FIRST DAY OF SUMMER PROGRAM				HAVE A GREAT SUMMER! SEE YOU ON SEPTEMBER 7TH!

SAINT MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY PRESENTS...

SPRING SHOW 2022

Wednesday, June 1 at 6:15pm

Grades 1 through 8 will be performing songs from famous films during our...



Tickets are \$5 each and will be sold on a first-come first-served basis.

Child's Name _____ Grade _____

Number of Tickets: _____

x \$5 each

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

(Please send in exact amount.)

St. Mark Catholic Academy

YEARBOOK

\$40 Place your order for your 2022 Yearbook(ONLY).



<https://tinyurl.com/4ehtfnwv>

SCAN TO
ORDER

YEARBOOK AD SALE

Deadline
**May
20th**

Quarter
Page Ad

\$50

Half
Page Ad

\$70

Full
Page Ad

\$100

Place Your Ad to Congratulate your child on their:

- Graduation
- Stepping up
- Honor Roll
- High School Acceptance
- First Holy Communion
- Confirmation
- Or simply a Job Well done this year.

Any person placing an Ad will receive one complimentary copy of the YearBook

PLACE ORDER FOR YEARBOOK AD HERE:

<https://tinyurl.com/2z5m5dwx>



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To Order Your Ad



ST. MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY Summer 2022

Academic

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12 PM



Extended Day Program

Monday - Friday 12 PM - 6 PM

ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

Our Summer Academic and Extended Day programs are focused on creating an engaging and fun learning culture.

Our Academic program focuses on Math and ELA and Educational Enrichment opportunities for our Summer Program participants.

Our Extended Day Program participants will have the opportunity to participate in outdoor activities as well as a wide variety of physical education classes and fun activities.

Our students will have educational and fun experiences in a summer to remember!



FUN & ACTIVITIES

- ✓ Critical Thinking Games
- ✓ Sports - Basketball, Soccer
- ✓ Table Tennis, Volleyball,
- ✓ Dodge-ball
- ✓ Movies
- ✓ Games

BOYS AND GIRLS

3-K TO 8th GRADE

✓ Early morning drop off!



For Details:
718-332-9304



TO
REGISTER



LAST CHANCE!!

LAST DAY TO ORDER
Wednesday MAY 25th



WHAT'S COOKING AT ST. MARK??

Let's pamper your kitchens!
St. Mark is having a fundraiser with
Pampered Chef!

Get all of your kitchen & summer
hosting essentials!

FREE GIFT
WHEN YOU
SPEND \$80
FREE
SHIPPING
WHEN YOU
SPEND \$150



Reusable Storage Bag Set

Use Them Here:

- Oven
- Microwave
- Freezer
- Even more & more!



Use the camera
on your phone to
scan the code to
begin shopping!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

**If you would like to volunteer to assist us
with the Walk-a-Thon or Tar Beach, please
call Mrs. Ryan—(718) 332-9304.**

EARLY DISMISSAL

on Friday, May 27th

- Please continue to use your usual entrance/exit.
- This is a **FULL DAY OF SCHOOL** for 3K for All and Pre-K for All students.
- The after-school program will continue to be available for all students.

DISMISSAL TIMES FOR FRIDAY, MAY 27TH

- **Kindergarten A and Kindergarten B** will dismiss at 11:50am.
- **Grades 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B, 3, and 4** will dismiss at 12pm.
- **Grades 5, 6, 7, and 8** will also dismiss at 12pm.

Grades 5-8 ONLY

Trimester Exam Schedule

8th Grade

Wednesday, June 1st Math

Thursday, June 2nd Social Studies

Monday, June 6th Science State Exam

Tuesday, June 7th Religion and ELA(or Project)

Grades 5-7

CLASS	Friday 6/10	Monday 6/13	Tuesday 6/14	Wed 6/15	Thursday 6/16
5	Social Studies	ELA	Science	Math	Religion

CLASS	Friday 6/10	Monday 6/13	Tuesday 6/14	Wed 6/15	Thursday 6/16
6A	Math	Religion	Science	Social Studies	ELA

CLASS	Friday 6/10	Monday 6/13	Tuesday 6/14	Wed 6/15	Thursday 6/16
6B	Religion	Social Studies	Science	ELA	Math

CLASS	Friday 6/10	Monday 6/13	Tuesday 6/14	Wed 6/15	Thursday 6/16
7	ELA	Math	Science	Religion	Social Studies