



SAINT MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY

A Guiding Light in Sheepshead Bay

November 23, 2022

Dear Families:

As I write to you now, the school is quiet—a far cry from this morning, when the building was bustling with activity as we got ready for our school-wide Thanksgiving feast! It was the first time we were able to hold this event in three years!

As I've said so many times before, this has always been my favorite day of the school year! In fact, Thanksgiving itself is my favorite holiday, too. It brings families together—and this is exactly what we did today. We brought families together. Our school families and our “home” families sat down and shared a meal together as one unified Saint Mark family! What more could we ask for?

When we began preparing and planning for this event about a month ago, we toyed with the idea of having the food catered this year. That idea didn't last too long! Part of what makes this day so special is that everyone contributes. From the turkey to the cupcakes and everything in between, all of our families brought something to the table. What better way to express love than through food! That's another reason this day is so special...everyone contributes...everyone brings something to the table.

Saint Mark Catholic Academy is a special place, and today's Thanksgiving feast is the perfect representation of that. Truly, everyone does bring something to the table...Our families bring their support and commitment. Our teachers bring their dedication and love, and our students bring the greatest thing of all—themselves! Each one of them brings something unique and different to “the table” that is our school. Indeed, what more could we ask for?

Again, on behalf of all of us at Saint Mark Catholic Academy, we wish you and your families a happy, healthy, and safe Thanksgiving! Thanks for all you bring to our table—today and every day!

Sincerely,

Mr. Mark Wilson
Principal

Continuing the tradition of faith, service, and education.

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Mrs. Kelly

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L. Ballard

Norma Wrenn
Tracie
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HAPPY THANKSGIVING

FROM OUR SAINT MARK CATHOLIC ACADEMY FAMILY

Allison Ryan

Mrs. Maldonado

Mrs. Kone
Mrs. Leone
Mrs. J. Kelly

Mrs. Pineda

Mrs. Patricia Dwyer
Mrs. Vok
Mrs. Vok

James Vok
Mrs. Johnson

TO YOURS!

Mrs. Colleen Fahy-Ferretti

Ms. Ying
Mrs. Stella
Mrs. Rosa
Mrs. Rosalinda Kelly

Mrs. Barbara James



Ms. Lauren

Mrs. Johnson
Mrs. Johnson
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December 2022 Saint Mark Catholic Academy

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 First Sunday of Advent 	28	29	30	1	2	3
4 Second Sunday of Advent 	5	6	7	8 SCHOOL CLOSED: Feast of the Immaculate Conception 	9 Professional Day: NO SCHOOL for K-8 Regular Day of School for 3K and Pre-K Report Cards Issued	10
11 Journey to the Inn and Light the Bay Saint Mark Church 	12	13	14	15  Students' Christmas Sale	16 Pizza and Dress Down Day (\$5) 	17
18 Third Sunday of Advent	19 Christmas Show Grades 1-8 6:15pm in gym 	20	21 Early Childhood Winter Extravaganza Show 3K, PreK, and Kindergarten 10am in gym 	22 Christmas Breakfast in the gym for all students. FULL DAY OF SCHOOL	23 Students' Christmas Sale	24 SCHOOL CLOSED: Christmas Eve 
25 SCHOOL CLOSED: Christmas 	26 SCHOOL CLOSED: Christmas Recess	27 SCHOOL CLOSED: Christmas Recess	28 SCHOOL CLOSED: Christmas Recess	29 SCHOOL CLOSED: Christmas Recess	30 SCHOOL CLOSED: Christmas Recess	31 SCHOOL CLOSED: New Year's Eve School Resumes Tuesday, January 3

**ST. MARK-ST. MARGARET MARY
PARISH CHRISTMAS
DECORATING PARTY!**



**Saturday, November 26th
9:30am to 1:30pm**

Gathering in the school cafeteria at 9:30am!



ALL ARE WELCOME! JOIN IN THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT!