



#1 Note from Mrs. McKuen

■Dear Our Lady of the Lake Community,

Dear OLL Families,

As we settle into the heart of October, I'm grateful for the energy and joy your children bring to our school each day. This month offers us beautiful opportunities to grow in faith, knowledge, and community. Thank you for your continued partnership and prayers — may we remain rooted in Christ as we move forward together.



Alt's getting a little colder, make sure you send a jacket with your kiddos!

Mrs. McKuen A
Principal OLLRCS
Nurturing Minds ~ Strengthening Faith ~ Fostering Virtues

#2: S Lunch Menu and Specials Schedule for the Week

LUNCH SCHOOL MENU

PLEASE ORDER THROUGH OUR FACTS SYSTEM BEFORE 8 AM. IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE, PLEASE GET IN TOUCH WITH THE FRONT OFFICE AT 989-366-5592.



NO HOT LUNCH
BRING YOUR OWN
LUNCH TODAY

TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

RANDY'S

CHICKEN NUGGET

WITH TATER TOTS

THURSDAY

BUCCILLIS
PEPPERONI PIZZA

FRIDAY

RANDY'S

CORN DOG BITES

FRENCH FRIES

SPECIALS SCHEDULE

MONDAY

LIBRARY

WITH MRS. JOHNSON AND MRS. BUCCILLI

TUESDAY

GYM

GYM SHOES REQUIRED
MIDDLE SCHOOL MUST
DRESS OUT

WEDNESDAY

MADE FOR MISSION WITH MRS. BUCCILLI

THURSDAY

ART WITH MRS. MCINERNEY

FRIDAY

HEALTH & SCIENCE

WITH MRS. KING

#3: Happenings at Our Lady of the Lake



Kindergarten/1st grade
Mrs. Robb's class during
calendar time, reviewing this
week's sight words.



Pre-K/Kindergarten

Mrs. Finton's class is walking
so very nicely on the way to Art
class. Great job!



2nd/3rd grade Mrs. Smith's class is hard at work! Keep up guys! ⊕⊕

#4: Teleming Farm Field Trip/6/7 Grade Made for Mission Retreat

Event Information

Fleming Farms

➡ The bus will leave Our Lady of the Lake by 9:55 AM and return by 2:15 PM. You may drive only your child to Fleming Farms. You may also meet the bus at Fleming Farms and take your only child home from there. Please note that attendance is not required, but parents are welcome. Parents attending will need to pay for themselves when arriving at the farm. Permission Slip linked below ➡ https://docs.google.com/document/d/1SrDfh1vMmlldk0Bo 6Z0u5ihQqa98Xb11/edit?

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When?

Thursday, Oct 23, 2025, 11:00 AM

Where?

4264 Martindale Rd Gaylord, MI



Cross in the Woods

OMMiddle School Students will be leaving after Mass at 10:00 AM sharp. Students will travel by car with parent volunteers/staff. If you are interested in driving, please indicate this on the permission slip that came home last week. We will need three volunteers to make this amazing trip happen. Students will arrive back at school at 2:30 PM. Please find the permission slip and driving form link below. https://docs.google.com/document/d/1F-

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When?

Wednesday, Oct 29, 2025, 10:00 AM

Where?

Cross in the Woods Catholic Shrine of Indian River, Michigan 68, Indian River, MI, USA



#5 Bishop Walsh Weekly Check-In

Checking in With Bishop Walsh | October 15, 2025

CHECKING IN

WITH BISHOP WALSH

#6: 12th Annual Star Gazer Gala

Stargazer Gala

Step back into the '80s for a night of fun, friendship, and school spirit — all for a great cause!

Home and school will need help the day after the Gala, Sunday, October 19th, for cleanup. Many hands make light work. Don't hesitate to get in touch with Sam Opperman to volunteer or for more information. sopperman@fmins.com

#7 17 Upcoming Events 17

- 10/21 and 10/23: Star Track After School. Students in K-7th grade must have a form filled out to attend.
- 10/22: No School Mass this week.
- 10/23: Fleming Farms Field trip. The bus will leave by 9:55 and will arrive back at school by 2:55.
- 10/24: For just \$1, you can get a delicious bag of popcorn while supporting Student Council!
- 10/29: Vocations visit from Father Rexroat.
- 10/29: Middle School Cross in the Woods Retreat. Leaving by 10:00 sharp. Drivers are still needed to make this happen.
 Contact the office if interested.
- 10/31: For just \$1, you can get a delicious bag of popcorn while supporting Student Council!
- 10/31: Student Council Can Drive Kickoff. Bring 5 cans to wear your favorite school-appropriate Halloween or Fall shirt. No costumes!
- 10/31: Last day to wear shorts. Starting November 1st, girls' skirts must be worn with leggings and no shorts until spring!



#8 Virtual Book Fair from Ignatius Press Coming Soon

#9 Elk Lodge Hoop Shoot!

Attention all basketball players ages 8-13! The Hoop Shoot is coming to OLL — don't miss your chance to compete and show off your skills! Taking place on November 15th at 9:00 am at OLL Gym.

For more information, contact Byron Hall at 502-939-1051 Houghton Lake /Higgins Lake Elk Lodge no.1982. <u>Link for registration form</u>

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- 1. Lunch help is always needed. Please sign up on the lunch calendar. <u>Link to calendar</u>. <u>Link to Volunteer Requirements</u>.
- 2. Feel free to check your child's academic progress/behavior with your child's teacher https://www.ollrcs.org/school/staff-member/
- 3. Big Cash Raffle tickets are available to sell in 3 parishes. <u>Link to Church sign-up.</u> You may sign out tickets in our school office, Monday- Friday.
- 4. Wondering about baptism and communion? After 9:00 am Mass, all those with students in Kindergarten and beyond who have not yet been baptized, received First Communion, confession, or Confirmation will have classes with Steve Sandoval. For more information on how to register your student, please get in touch with Steve at ssandoval@ollrcs.org
- 5. Want to learn more about your faith? For those with students in grades 4th-12th who have already been baptized, confirmed, and received First Communion, CCD classes will begin for them after the Saturday evening masses. Please reach out to Father Matthew at mailto:mcowan@ollrcs.org so he can compile a list of students.



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