



ST. MICHAEL  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

## JULY Newsletter 2023

HIS TRUTH · OUR MISSION

Veritas Missionis

“Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you, saying,  
“This is the way; walk in it.” – Isaiah 30:21

### Open House/Meet Your Teacher

#### All Preschool and Elementary Parents-

Please plan to attend “*Meet your Teacher*” on Monday, August 14 from 4:00-5:30pm.

\*\*\*\***ALL Preschool Parents** should plan to attend a session to discuss “*All things Preschool*” with Mrs. Brooks on one of these 2 options:

**In Person-** Wednesday, August 9 at 5:00pm in the school (Sacred Heart Hall)

**Virtually** on Wednesday, August 9 at 11:00am. ( a link will be provided)

If you plan to attend virtually, please email Mrs. Brooks for a link/invitation.

dbrooks@stmichaelcatholicschool.com

Please plan to attend the ***SWORD AND SHIELD SOIREE***’ to be held at Twenty-One Acres on Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup> . This will be an evening of dinner and music along with a guest speaker and other attractions. This will be SMCS big fundraising event each year. We want this first one to be successful!

Tickets for this event will go on sale to SMCS families first, then to the public.

There are various sponsor levels for this event. Please consider being a corporate sponsor or an individual sponsor. Contact Zach Bowman for more information on sponsorship opportunities.

**Friday, September 29**, join us for Mass at 8:30am with Archbishop Thomas J. Rodi.

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**Camp iCare-** This summer camp opportunity will be held here at SMCS in July and is available to all interested Elementary students. If you would like to register your child(ren) for this camp, please see the information on our website.

**Write me a letter!-** In an effort to connect with the children and practice letter writing skills, I invite our students to *write me a letter!* Tell me about your summer, what you are reading, and the exciting things you have been doing. I will write each child back! I look forward to hearing from you!



Address: 1100 N. College Street, Auburn, AL 36830

**SMCS Student Handbook-** Our **SMCS Student Handbook** will be available online soon. You will be notified when it is posted.

One area of our handbook this year is a section about **Daily lunch**. As you start to think about packing your child's lunch, please keep in mind that lunches should be sent to school ready to eat in easy to open packages. We do not have the resources to cook, heat up, or prepare frozen meals, cans of soup, microwavable meals, etc. Involve your child in lunch ideas they will eat and if appropriate, involve them in packing their own lunch. Parents will be called if their child forgets their lunch.

### **SCHOOL UNIFORM INFORMATION:**

**\*Preschool Parents:** Students in the PreK3 and PreK4 classes will wear a SMCS T-shirt each day instead of a school uniform. Orders due by July 31<sup>st</sup>!

PreK3- order **GREEN** shirts

PreK4- order **PURPLE** shirts

**Navy Blue** shirt orders are available in all sizes up to adult. Here is the link to order shirts for your child or for you! You can order as many shirts as you think they will need. Adult shirt sizes are also available! The school will provide the navy blue SMCS T-shirt to wear on Mass Wednesdays. Shirts will be delivered to SMCS in August in time for school.

<https://victorydesigns.com/st-michael-catholic-school/>

**Elementary Student Uniforms-** Please refer to the information on our website for uniform questions. It is necessary that all elementary students to be in approved uniform each school day. If in doubt, ask before purchasing something to be sure it will be in compliance.

**Elementary students (and parents) can order a Navy Blue T-shirt using the link above if you want one.** They may be worn the last Friday of each month for SPIRIT DAY! The shirts will be delivered to the school in August.

**Please pray these together as a family**

### **Lord, Hear Our Prayer**

For the safety of our students and their families over the summer break

**We Pray to the Lord**

For our priests at St. Michael Catholic Church. Grant them the wisdom they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus and the wisdom to lead all of us closer To God.

**We Pray to the Lord.**

For those who need our prayers, that they feel the peace of Christ in their hearts

**We Pray to the Lord.**

For the continued growth of St. Michael Catholic School- May We discern the Lord's will in all decisions.

**We Pray to the Lord**

**Our Preschool program is officially FULL. We have started a waiting list.**

### **Elementary Enrollment Continues-**

Please Continue to spread the good News about our school. We have limited spots in 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grades.

Our commitment of a 1:16 ratio enables us to provide a quality education to all of our students.

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