

# St. Bartholomew School

## 2024-2025 School Calendar (as of 4/15/2025)

(Calendar is subject to change and will be posted monthly on an ongoing basis at this time. Updates will be posted on the school website.)

AUGUST	
14	New Family Event – 6 pm – 7:30 pm
22	New Family Orientation – 6 pm in cafeteria
27-29	Professional Development Day for All Teachers
SEPTEMBER	
2	<b>School Closed</b> – Labor Day
3	<p><b>First Day of School for Grades 1-8 - <u>11:30 am Dismissal</u></b></p> <p><b>Pre-K 3</b> Student Orientation - 9:00 am to 10:30 am (Parents/guardians received a letter from the teacher.)</p> <p><b>Pre-K 4</b> Student Orientation for ½ of the class – 8:30 am to 10:30 am (Parents/guardians received a letter from the teacher.)</p> <p><b>Kindergarten</b> Student Orientation 8:30 am to 10:30 am for ½ of the class (Parents/guardians received a letter from the teachers.)</p> <p><b>After School Care Starts for Grades 1 - 8</b></p>
4	<p><b><u>11:30 am Dismissal</u></b> - Faculty Meeting</p> <p><b>Pre-K 4</b> Student Orientation for ½ of the class - 8:30 am to 10:30 am (Parents/guardians received a letter from the teacher.)</p> <p><b>Kindergarten</b> Student Orientation 8:30 am to 10:30 am for ½ of the class. (Parents/guardians received letter from the teachers.)</p> <p><b>Back to School Night for Parents/Guardians at 6 pm for <u>Pre-K 3, Pre-K 4, and Kindergarten ONLY.</u></b> (Details to follow.)</p>
5	<p><b>First Day of School for Pre-K 3, Pre-K 4, and Kindergarten</b></p> <p><b>After School Care for students in Pre-K – Grade 8</b></p> <p><b>First Day of Specials Classes</b></p>
11-Oct 1	<b>HSA Magazine and Cookie Dough Sale</b>
13	<b>Opening Mass – 10:00 a.m.</b>
19	<b>Back-to-School Night for Parents/Guardians 6:30 pm for Grades 1-8.</b> (Details to follow.)
20	<b>School Closed</b> – Faculty Spirituality Day
22	Ariella M. Hopkins Pancake Breakfast
30-Oct 16	MAP ASSESSMENT

## OCTOBER

2	HSA Gently Used Uniform Sale – 5-7 pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Penance Meeting
4	Buddy Ceremony – 10 am
7	<b>Picture Day (See your child's teacher's website for details.)</b> <b>HSA Information Session – Details to follow</b>
9	<b>Hope through Education Board Member Visit</b>
11	<u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u> – Faculty Meeting
14	<b>School Closed</b>
16-18	Scholastic Book Fair
18	<b>Class Picture Day (formal uniform) (See your child's teacher's website.)</b>
21	<b>PK3 and PK4 Individual and Class Picture Day</b>
24	PreKindergarten Family Fun Night – 6:00 – 7:30 pm
25	<b>Halloween Party – 6:00 – 8:00 pm</b>
31	<b>Halloween Parade – 12 Noon</b>

## NOVEMBER

1	<b>Solemnity of All Saints - 10:00 a.m. Mass</b> Winter Uniform Begins
7	<b>Fall Club Photos</b>
8	<b>End of 1st Quarter</b>
15	<u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u> Basket Raffle – 7 pm
19	Photo Retakes and 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Photos
21	<u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u> - Parent/Guardian Teacher Conferences
22	<u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u> - Parent/Guardian Teacher Conferences
27	Thanksgiving Prayer Service – 10:30 am <u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u> – Thanksgiving Break – NO AFTER SCHOOL CARE TODAY.
28	<b>School Closed</b> - Thanksgiving Break
29	<b>School Closed</b> - Thanksgiving Break

## DECEMBER

3&4	HSA St. Nick Sale
4	Chorus Performance at Brunswick Square Mall – 6:30 pm  Drama Fundraising Event at Panera in Brunswick Square Mall
6	<u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u>  St. Nicholas Visit to Classrooms  Tree Lighting Party in School

8	Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe – 10:00 am Sunday Mass
12	School Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe – 10:00 am Mass
13	Christmas Show Grades K-8 – 7 pm
19	Winter Band and Chorus Concert – 7 pm
20	<a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a> – Christmas Break – NO AFTER SCHOOL CARE TODAY. School Christmas Mass led by our 2 <sup>nd</sup> Graders Classroom Christmas Parties
23- Jan 1	<b>School Closed</b> - Christmas Break
<b>JANUARY</b>	
1	<b>School Closed</b>
2	<b>School Resumes</b>
13-16	Grades 6-8 Midterms
16	<b>First Reconciliation for 2<sup>nd</sup> Graders</b>
17	<b>End of 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter</b>
20	<b>School Closed</b> - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
26	<b>Catholic Schools Week Begins</b> Kick-Off Catholic Schools Week Ariella M. Hopkins Pancake Breakfast
27	<b>Gertrude Hawk Candy Sale Begins – Delivery is week of 4/7.</b>
30	<b>Catholic Schools Week Evening Event – 7 pm</b>
31	<b>End of Catholic Schools Week Mass</b> <a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a> - Faculty Meeting
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	
3-20	MAP ASSESSMENT
10	<b>School Closed</b> – Pastor Holiday
8	<b>Sweetheart Dance</b>
14	<a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a>
17	<b>School Closed</b> - President's Day <b>Grade 8 Trip to Washington D.C./Holocaust Museum - tentative</b>
20	<b>Mission Fair</b>
<b>MARCH</b>	
7	<a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a> – Faculty Meeting
13	<b>Science Fair – Grades 5- 8</b>
21	<b>End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter</b>

28	Diocesan Professional Development - <b>School Closed</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation with Bishop Checchio – 4 p.m.
<b>APRIL</b>	
1-3	Scholastic BOGO Book Fair
5	Boys Event – Mom and Son Dance Party – 7:30 – 10 p.m.
9	HSA Spring Uniform Sale – 5 – 7 p.m. Literacy Fair Grades PreK – Grade 4 – 6 – 7 p.m.
16	<u>11:30 am Dismissal</u> – Easter Break Begins. After School Care closes 4 p.m.
17-27	Easter Break - <b>School Closed</b>
28	School Resumes - Spring Uniform Begins
29	Rutgers Science Bus – Grade 7
30	Rutgers Science Bus – Grade 8
<b>MAY</b>	
1	Spring Band and Chorus Concert – 6 p.m.
2	Family Day for our 2 <sup>nd</sup> Graders – 9:30 am Mass <u>11:30 am Dismissal</u>
3	First Eucharist for our 2 <sup>nd</sup> Graders
8	National Junior Honor Society Induction Ceremony in Church – 6:30 p.m.
9	May Crowning
5-21	MAP ASSESSMENT
16 & 17	The SBS Curtain Time Drama Club Production – <i>The Little Mermaid</i>
19-20 & 23	Final Exams Grade 8
23	Buddy Mass and Breakfast <u>11:30 am Dismissal</u>
26	<b>School Closed</b> - Memorial Day
28	Reverend Thomas J. Walsh Anniversary of Ordination
27-29	Grades 6 and 7 Finals
28	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Dance
30	Baccalaureate Mass – 9:30 am <u>11:30 am Dismissal</u> 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Commencement – <b>4:00 pm</b>

<b>JUNE</b>	
<b>2</b>	<b>Field Day</b>
<b>3</b>	Pre-K 4 Last Day of School Field Day Rain Date
<b>4</b>	<b>Pre-K 4 Step-Up Program – 9:30 am</b> Pre-K 3 Last Day of School
<b>5</b>	<b>Pre-K 3 End-of-the-Year Program – 9:30 am</b> Kindergarten Last Full Day of School
<b>6</b>	<b>Kindergarten Step-Up Program - 9:00 am</b> <b>End of 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter</b> <u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u>
<b>9</b>	<u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u>
<b>10</b>	<u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u> Last day of After School Care.
<b>11</b>	<u><a href="#">11:30 am Dismissal</a></u> – Last Day of School for Grades 1-7

*The mission of St. Bartholomew School is to love, educate, and inspire our children to live the teachings of Jesus Christ.*