



MONDAY MESSAGES

NOVEMBER 24, 2025

LUNCH

Here is the link to this week's [lunch menu](#).

Monday 11/24 Thanksgiving Dinner- Roast turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, stuffing, cranberry sauce & dinner roll.

Tuesday 11/25 Chicken fingers & Fries

Wednesday 11/26 Thanksgiving break - No School

Thursday 11/27 Thanksgiving break - No School

Friday 11/28 Thanksgiving break - No School

IMPORTANT DATES

- **Monday, November 24 @9:00AM** - Mass of Thanksgiving
- **November 26-28th** - No School, Thanksgiving Break

SCHOOL CALENDAR CHANGE!!

We will NOT have school on Tuesday, March 3, 2026. Please mark your calendars.

(This represents a **CHANGE** to our original calendar, which reads that school is in session on that day.).

March 3, 2026 is a voting day and our school is a voting/polling station. We do not want to commingle voting and school. An updated school calendar is attached and can also be found on the [MCS website](#) under "Quick Links."

THANKSGIVING GIFT CARD DRIVE - THANK YOU!

Thanks to the incredible generosity of our Mater Christi School community Catherine's Pantry was able to donate 289 pounds of food to the South Burlington food shelf this week.

I am moved and humbled to share that we exceeded our goal for our annual Hannaford's gift card collection for Joseph's House. We collected 119 cards worth \$5,000.00 to support our brothers and sisters struggling to make ends meet. These cards will be distributed to those in need for Thanksgiving and for Christmas.

I can't thank you enough for your compassion, mercy, and witness. You always come through and you are counted among the very best blessings in my life each Thanksgiving. Jason Moore

We will celebrate Thanksgiving with Mass at 9:00 am on Monday, November 24th. Please know that you're welcome to join us as we give thanks to our God, the giver of all gifts, as a community of faith.

DONATIONS FOR MAKERSPACE - A MESSAGE FROM MS. COMPAGNA:

Please help restock the Makerspace! Ms. Compagna has created an Art Lab, which will provide art-themed activities with the elementary teachers during the school day, and an after school art club which will begin in the New Year. We will continue to utilize the Makerspace for STEAM-themed activities as well. [Here are some items](#) that would be great to incorporate into (or increase the supply of in) the Makerspace. Thank you!

MCS PTO

"THANK YOU!" for your help in making our 2nd Annual MCS Christmas Market a success! It was so wonderful to see the community come together, support one another, and kick off the holiday spirit!

Christmas Movie Night!

Featuring: The Grinch (the 2018 animated one)

The PTO will be hosting its annual MCS family Christmas movie night on Friday, December 5th, at 5pm in the gymnasium. This is a FREE event and all are welcome!! Free Pizza will be served! Bring a water bottle, sleeping bag, bean bag, etc, and wear your Christmas pajamas or ugly Christmas sweater! Please make sure all kids come with a parent/adult. Thank You!

The MCS school community is invited to join Ms. King and the PTO for a fun-filled Christmas Crafting event after school on Tuesday, December 9th, from 3:00-4:30 PM! This event is FREE and open to students in grades PS-5th. Students will make a variety of festive crafts to take home. Snacks will be provided. Pick-up will be at the middle school building sidewalk at 4:30 PM. Calling All middle schoolers! If you would like to help out with this event, please email the MCS PTO for more details! We can't wait to see all the creative Christmas crafts that your child will create! Spots are limited to only 30 students. So Sign up today!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0945A5AE2DA5F4C70-59629364-christmas>

Hello MCS Families!

Please join us in showing our gratitude to our teachers and staff this holiday season, with a Christmas luncheon! This will take place in the MCS library on Monday, December 15th. We need your help to make this event a success! There are many opportunities to volunteer and show our love and support for our wonderful MCS teachers and staff! Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up! Thank you!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0945A5AE2DA5F4C70-41919900-holiday>

MCS SKI CLUB - Let's meet on the slopes!

Hello Mater Christi families! I, (Paige Rolletta, 4R) would love to set up a day of the week for those interested in skiing with other Mater Christi families this winter at Cochran's Ski Area. You would need to provide your own skis and purchase your own membership at Cochran's. This would just simply be a day of the week we could all meet up and ski together. Please fill out this [SURVEY](#) to gauge number of families interested and what day of the week works best for most. Hope to see you on the slopes!

Happy Thanksgiving Week!

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