



St. Francis Montessori

Montessori Education and Catechesis for The Young Child

SFM 2022-2023 PRELIMINARY ACADEMIC CALENDAR

JULY	1	Parent Information Packets emailed
	21	Oktoberfest Planning Kick-Off Meeting 7 pm
AUGUST	11	Feast of St. Clare—Pray for us!
	15	Mandatory Parent Orientation, New Families 6:30 pm, Returning Families 7 pm
	18, 19	Parent Teacher Conferences, parents only
	22	Phase-In for Primary Children Begins*
	29	Phase-In for Elementary Children Begins*
SEPTEMBER	5	Labor Day, No SFM
	6	Late Start for Mass at St. Luke's at 8 am, Regular Schedule Begins
	22	SFM Fundraiser with the North Texas Giving Day
OCTOBER	4	Feast of St. Francis—Pray for us!** Picture Day for Primary and Elementary, Noon Dismissal Teacher Luncheon and Faculty Development Afternoon
	7	Oktoberfest Set Up 9 am – 6 pm
	8	OKTOBERFEST
	9	Oktoberfest Clean-up 12 Noon – Finish!
	10	Oktoberfest Rest Day, No SFM
NOVEMBER		Hearing and Vision Screenings TBD
	1	Late start for Mass at St. Luke's at 8 am, All Saints Day** Dress as Your Favorite Saint
	4	Bring Your Dad to Work Evening 6 – 7 pm
	17	Noon Dismissal, Parent-Teacher Conferences
	18	No SFM, Parent-Teacher Conferences
	21 – 25	Fall and Thanksgiving Break, No SFM
DECEMBER	8	Late Start for Mass at St. Luke's at 8 am, Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception**
	16	Last Day in 2022, Noon Dismissal
JANUARY		Parent Observations Begin
	6	Feast of Epiphany Christmas and Epiphany Party, Parents Only, 7 pm
	9	Montessori Resumes
	13	Parent Education Night
	18	Re-Enrollment Forms Distributed for 2022-2023
	25	Sacramental Preparation Special Session 6:30 – 7:30 pm

FEBRUARY		Parent Observations Continue
	8	Re-Enrollment Forms Due
	15	Sacramental Preparation Special Session 6:30 – 7:30 pm
	22	Sacramental Preparation Special Session 6:30 – 7:30 pm Late Start for Mass at St. Luke’s at 8 am, Ash Wednesday**
MARCH	1	Sacramental Preparation Special Session 6:30 – 7:30 pm
	9	Noon Dismissal, Parent-Teacher Conferences
	10	No SFM, Parent-Teacher Conferences
	13 – 17	Spring Break, no SFM
	22	Sacramental Preparation Special Session 6:30 – 7:30 pm
	25	Feast of the Annunciation
APRIL	6	Holy Thursday, No SFM
	7	Good Friday, No SFM
	10 – 14	Bright Week, No SFM
	20	Sacramental Preparation Retreat 8 am – 3:15 pm
	21	Sacramental Preparation Retreat 8 am – 3:15 pm
	22	Sacramental Preparation Retreat 9:30 am – 2:30 pm
	28	Bring Your Mom to Work Evening, 6 – 7 pm
MAY		May Crowning, TBD
	1 – 5	Teacher Appreciation Week
	18	Late Start for Mass at St. Luke’s at 8 am, Feast of the Ascension**
	25	Children’s Party Day, Field Day, Noon Dismissal
	26	Mass of Thanksgiving at St. Luke’s at 8 am, Saint Francis Festivities 9 – 10 am, Recitations, Songs, and Graduation for Elementary and Primary, directly following Mass

*A detailed schedule of Phase-In will be in the Parent Information Packet.

**SFM is working with our Chaplain Fr. James to coordinate mass times to honor these feast days at school.

Please note: Dates and times are subject to change; changes will be published in the weekly SFM Wednesday Notes. All changes to the original schedule will be highlighted.

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