



3rd Grade



St. Bartholomew Catholic School empowers all students in our faith-filled welcoming community to grow in mind, body and spirit.

La escuela católica de St. Bartholomew da la bienvenida a todos los estudiantes a nuestra comunidad de Fé, y los fortalece para crecer en la mente, el cuerpo y el espíritu.

2020-2021 Theme – We walk by faith, not by sight. ~ 2 Corinthians 5:7

Covid Protocols:

- Masks/facial coverings will be worn by ALL staff and students.
- Homeroom Teachers will take each student's temperature daily before announcements.
- Students will eat lunch in their classrooms.
- Students can purchase lunch (from BCSC) or bring their own lunch.
- Teachers are expected to take students outside frequently during nice weather.
- Parents and Visitors will not be permitted inside the school. (Except in Office by appointment.)

Covid Protocols:

- Students will have individual desks/tables spaced as far apart as possible and facing in the same direction
- Students will NOT share school materials.
- Students are encouraged to have their own water bottles. Bottle filling stations will be open, but drinking fountains will be closed.
- Students are encouraged to have a crate or box to hold belongings by their desks/tables.
- Other suggested items:
Headphones that cover the entire ear, towel or mat for sitting outside, personal size hand sanitizer, pencil sharpener and tissues.

Jupiter Ed

- Jupiter Ed is our Student Information System. It is the method by which we communicate with families. Grades are also accessible 24/7 through Jupiter Ed. We recommend that Kindergarten parents login to check grades at least two times per quarter and parents for older students at least weekly.
- Please make sure you are familiar with accessing your Jupiter account.
- One very important thing we need you to do is to check to make sure your contact information (address, email, phone number) is correct in Jupiter.
- Please opt-in for text messaging through Jupiter. This will allow you to quickly receive messages regarding school closures or other important information right to your phone.
- Your child's school email address will be entered into Jupiter for them. Please do not change your child's email address. It is very important that their stbirish email address remain in Jupiter.
- If you have any difficulty accessing your Jupiter account, please contact Mrs. King at jking@stbirish.net or Mrs. Graman at dgraman@stbirish.net.

Leader in Me

This program gives students opportunities to build leadership through the discovery of their unique gifts. It is through these gifts that students become actively engaged in their education and become more responsible to themselves, their classmates and their school.

Description: The 7 Habits are as follows - Be Proactive, Begin With the End in Mind, First Things First, Think Win Win, Seek First to Understand - Then to Be Understood, Synergize, and Sharpen The Saw.

Thursday afternoon lessons - Students and staff will meet in their homerooms for 50 minute lessons each week to discuss the habits and how to incorporate these habits in their own lives and into our school culture.

Parent information will be sent home regularly through newsletter so that you know the Habit that we are focusing on that week.

Google Classroom

- Students will be using Google Classroom on their Chromebooks this year. Teachers will help students to join their Google Classroom group.
- Teachers will also teach their students how to use this online learning platform, which will be used both in the classroom and if we need to implement eLearning.
- It allows great interaction for students to join with their teachers , whether inside the classroom, or at home.
- It provides easy access to materials and assignments, even videos.
- It allows for differentiation of all subjects.
- All student work is saved in Google Drive.
- Students are engaged by using technology.
- It is very simple for students to maneuver around Google Classroom.

Administrative Staff

Mrs. King - Interim Principal jking@stbirish.net

Mrs. Veach - Instructional Coach jveach@stbirish.net

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Mrs. Royer

Mrs. Royer will begin her 21st year at St. Bartholomew School. Mrs. Royer LOVES third graders! They are smart, funny, easy to tease, independent, and still honestly try to do the right thing. Mrs. Royer graduated from Purdue University with a Bachelor's degree in education. She has a husband, a daughter, and two dogs at home. She actually likes the dogs the best! :) Her husband, Randy, is a landscape architect. Josie, her daughter, is a twenty year old St. Bartholomew alumni. She attended IU for two years and will be at IUPUC this year. In her free time, Mrs. Royer enjoys reading, exercising, walking her dogs, and going to Target. She has MISSED being at school with the kiddos- they are her FAVORITE part of her job!

Mrs. Treadway

I graduated in May of 2019 with a degree in Elementary Education. I have always loved reading which is why I choose English Language Arts for my area of concentration. Since graduating I have been working at Northside Middle School (BCSC) mostly with 8th graders. My position at Northside was as a Special Education Teaching Assistant to gain some teaching experience. During my time at Northside, I also received a lot of experience while serving as a substitute teacher. I recently completed a long-term substitute position for a Social Studies teacher on maternity leave. I completed my student teaching experiences at Fodrea in 1st grade and at Smith Elementary in 6th grade. When I am not at school, I love spending time with my family - my husband of 20 years Aaron and our 15-year old daughter Rachel. I also volunteer with Bartholomew County 4-H program and Dancer's Studio. In addition, I teach Sunday school at my local church where I have students that vary in age from kindergarten to 3rd grade. I am excited to be meeting all of you soon and having a great rest of the school year!

Curriculum

Third grade is a big year! The students are making the transition from learning to READ to reading to LEARN!

For language arts, we use the Wonders reading series and focus on the five components of reading: phonics, phonemic awareness, vocabulary, fluency, and comprehension. We use strategies such as visualization, story elements, asking and answering questions, finding main idea and details, text structure, and more to comprehend the fiction and nonfiction stories we read each week. Reading is the basis of all learning, and it is so important! Practice! Practice! Practice!

For 3rd grade math, we use Pearson Realize Envision plus tons of other materials in order to gain fluency in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Other topics covered are basic geometry including area and perimeter, fractions and word problems (no one loves these!) Math in third grade is fast paced and fun!

Curriculum

Science (Mrs. Royer teaches science to BOTH 3A and 3B) - In Science, we focus on investigating and problem solving while learning about plants, and animals, simple machines, rocks and minerals, fossils, motion, sound, and weather.

Social Studies- (Mrs. Royer teaches BOTH to 3A and 3B)- In Social Studies, the students study Native American Woodland Indians, early settlers, local community history and changes that have taken place, immigration, 3 branches of government, being a responsible citizen, hemispheres, goods and services. The students will be expected to label the Midwest states, major rivers, and Great Lakes on a map.

Religion- (Mrs. McKinney (3rd grade TA) teaches BOTH to 3A and 3B)- Third grade religion focuses on: The Mass, Sacraments, 10 Commandments, the Liturgical year and the life of Jesus.

Teacher Contact Info

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