










# June

# 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT			
	1	2	3	4	 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Class Night 6:30 pm Hospitality Room <b>Dress Your Way Day</b> ★	6			
7	8	 Mass 10:00 am <b>Dads &amp; Donuts</b> Grades 3 - 8 8:15 - 8:45 am 	9	10	 Spring Concert 6:30 pm	 <b>Flag Day</b> Prayer Service <b>Dads &amp; Dogs</b> UPK, Pre-K & 2 1:30 pm  <b>Dress Your Way Day</b> ★	13		
 <b>Flag Day</b>	14	15	16	17	18	<b>No School</b> 	19	20	
<b>HAPPY FATHER'S DAY</b>	21	 <b>Field Day ! 1pm</b>	8 <sup>th</sup> gr. Graduation 6:30 pm K- 8 Last Day of School <b>Report Cards</b> 	23	Pre K & UPK In Session 9:00 am-11:00 am	24	25	26	27
28	29	30					All Dates are Subject to Change		



# JUNE 2026

St. Stephen School

*Meal Price*  
*Lunch - FREE*



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Macaroni & Cheese <b>1</b> Breadstick Broccoli NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Nacho's <b>2</b> Tortilla Chips, Taco Meat Lettuce, Cheese Corn NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Cook's Choice <b>3</b>	Brunch for Lunch <b>4</b> French Toast w/ Syrup Breakfast Sausage Hash Brown Patty NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Pizza <b>5</b> (Cheese/Pepperoni) *Garden Salad Tomato, Cucumber, NY State Apple / Fruit Cup
Popcorn Chicken <b>8</b> Tater Tots Sliced Carrots NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Soft Taco <b>9</b> Taco Meat Cheese, Lettuce, Salsa Corn NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Cheeseburger on a Bun <b>10</b> French Fries Green Beans NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Brunch for Lunch <b>11</b> Pancakes w/ Syrup Breakfast Sausage Hash Brown Patty NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Stuffed Crust Pizza <b>12</b> Garden Salad Tomatoes, Cucumbers Dressing NY State Apple / Fruit Cup
Chicken Fingers <b>15</b> Dipping Sauce Mozzarella Sticks Coined Carrots NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Taco in a Bag <b>16</b> Nacho Doritos Taco Meat & Cheese Lettuce & Salsa Rice, Corn NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	Cook's Choice <b>17</b>	Pizza <b>18</b> (Cheese/Pepperoni) *Garden Salad Tomato, Cucumber, NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	<b>Juneteenth</b> <b>No School</b> <b>19</b>
Mini Corn Dogs (Turkey) <b>22</b> Potato Smiles Broccoli NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	<b>K-8 Last Student Day</b> <b>23</b> Waffles Breakfast Sausage Hash Brown Patty NY State Apple / Fruit Cup	<b>Pre-K/UPK in Session</b> <b>24</b> <b>Half-Day</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>



Daily Alternate Entrées  
Yogurt Fun Lunch  
Cheese/Pepperoni  
PB&J Uncrustable Lunch



**Summer Meals and Summer EBT**  
Food for kids when school is out!  
[SummerMealsNY.org](http://SummerMealsNY.org)

Menu Subject to change due to availability.  
This institution is an equal opportunity provider





# The Finale 2026

*Important dates for May & June!*

## May

29<sup>th</sup>: K-8 Buffalo Zoo Trip

29<sup>th</sup>: UPK/Pre-K Bike Rodeo

## June

5<sup>th</sup>: 8th Grade Class Night, 6:30pm

9<sup>th</sup>: Dads & Donuts, grades 3-8 8:15-8:45am

11<sup>th</sup>: Spring Concert 6:30pm

12<sup>th</sup>: Dads & Dogs, grades UPK/Pre-K-2 1:30pm

16<sup>th</sup>: Kindergarten Graduation 9:30am

19<sup>th</sup>: Juneteenth-no school

22<sup>nd</sup>: Field Day, 1:00pm

23<sup>rd</sup>: Grades K-8 last day of school

23<sup>rd</sup>: Report Cards

23<sup>rd</sup>: 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation 6:30pm

24<sup>th</sup>: UPK/Pre-K last day/ Graduation 9-11am

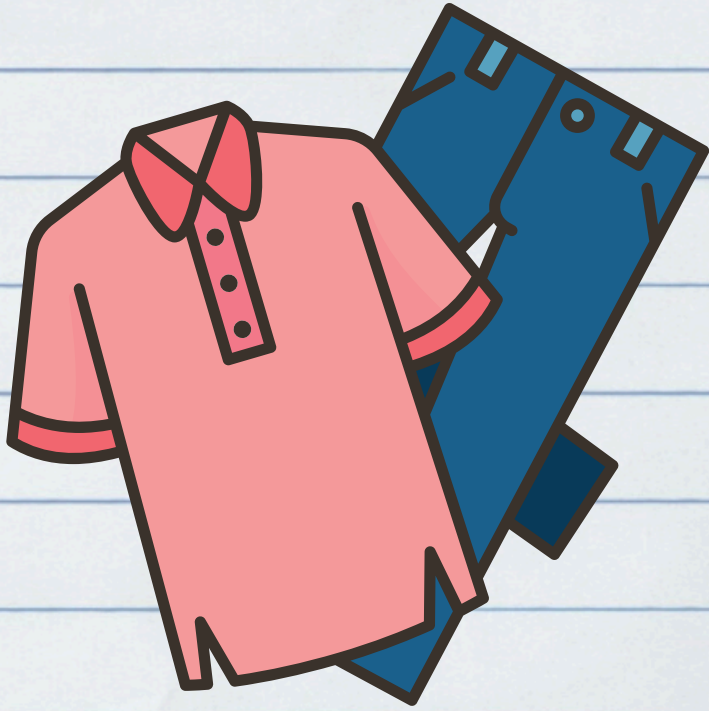


# Buffalo Zoo Attire

For the Buffalo Zoo trip on Friday,  
May 29<sup>th</sup>, please wear your GYM  
UNIFORM! The dress down day  
will be moved to a later date!

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This Friday's Dress Your Way  
dress down day will be moved to  
Monday, June 1st!



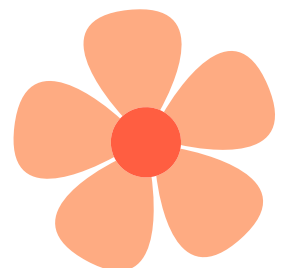


**Please join us for St. Stephen School's  
Spring Concert  
on Thursday, June 11th.**

**The concert will be held in  
St. Stephen Church at 6:30 PM**

**Come see our Pre-K to Grade 8  
children perform a variety of songs  
to build up one another!**

**Performers may dress in their best  
Spring colors!**



# DAD'S N DOGS

Our annual "Dads N Dogs" Father's Day celebration will be held on Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup> from 1:30 - 3 pm for UPK - 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade. Please meet us on the playground for a hot dog cookout. We look forward to seeing you there!





# END OF YEAR AWARD CEREMONY GRADES K-8

**JUNE 9TH**

ST. STEPHEN CHURCH  
9:15AM

Students who participated in any club, sport, or are receiving the Eagle of Excellence Award this year are invited to have family and friends come and cheer them on as they receive their award! We encourage you to stay for Mass at 10am with grades K-8!

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL DANIELLE  
DUCK AT [DUCKD@STSTEPHENS.GI.ORG](mailto:DUCKD@STSTEPHENS.GI.ORG)

# Angela's Angels



Help us stock St. Patrick's  
Pantry with summer treats to  
support our community  
during the break.



*We are collecting:*

*Small containers of ketchup and  
mustard, salt and pepper packets,  
sugar packets, freeze pops, Kool-Aid  
packets, and small bags of chips.*



*Drop off donations to St.  
Stephens School or Church by  
June 18<sup>th</sup> at 2080 Baseline*

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**The St. Stephen Annual Rummage Sale is back!**

**Held in the air-conditioned school gym!**

**COME SHOP:**

Early Bird Shopping:

Thursday, June 18th 5:00pm-7:00pm

Friday, June 19th 9:00am-1:00pm

Saturday, June 20th 8:30am-5:30pm

Bag Sale- \$4.00 per bag.

Sunday, June 21st 10:00am-1:00pm

**Help is needed!**

**This is a St. Stephen School/ Parish event. If you can spare some time and would like to help with this event, please call Lynn Ortiz at 716-866-1077 or email [ortizl@ststephengi.org](mailto:ortizl@ststephengi.org). Students who need community service, please reach out to Mrs. Ortiz!**

**DONATION**

**DROP-OFF:**

Please drop off items at Door #4. We are NOT accepting: clothing, computers, mattresses, or TV's.

Friday, June 12th

9:00am-12:00pm

Saturday, June 13th

9:00am-12:00pm

Monday, June 15

9:00am-12:00pm &

6:00pm-8:00pm

Tuesday, June 16th

9:00am-12:00pm

Wednesday, June 17th

9:00-12:00pm

**Only accepting  
cash**



# Dad, let's dance!

Making memories one dance at a time! Join us for a night of fun with your dad or any special father figure!

THURSDAY, JUNE 18<sup>TH</sup> FROM 6-7:30 PM  
IN THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA!

All grades welcome.

Tickets \$20/pair  
Additional tickets \$5



Scan to buy tickets now!  
St. Stephen students only.



Contact - HSA @ [Ststephenhsa@yahoo.com](mailto:Ststephenhsa@yahoo.com)

## **The Adventures of Flat Jesus**

FLAT JESUS was created as a way to keep our church connected as we approach the busy summer season.

FLAT JESUS is a reminder that we need Jesus' presence with us everywhere we go!

Take FLAT JESUS with you wherever you go!

(playground, camp, family reunion, vacation, dinner etc...)

And take lots of pictures!

Email your favorite picture to [cambriar@ststephensgi.org](mailto:cambriar@ststephensgi.org) and we will post and will print the pictures and pin them on the FLAT JESUS bulletin board at church!

Prizes will be awarded .....

It's an amazing adventure. Take Flat Jesus with you and see what happens!

**And remember the real Jesus is always with you!**





# HSA SPOTLIGHT



Keep up to date on  
HSA News by joining  
**REMIND**  
Text @sshsa to  
81010

HSA Contact Email:  
ststephenhsa@yahoo.com

### Dress Your Way Upcoming Dates

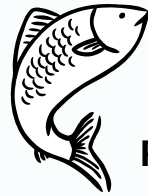
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- 6/5

*Dads Save the Date*

*Dads and Donuts (3rd-8th)  
June 9<sup>th</sup>*

*Dads and Dogs (UPK-2nd)  
June 12<sup>th</sup>*

*Father Daughter Dance  
June 18th*



## Fish Fry Overstock Available

French Fries 5 lb bag.....\$5  
Mac & Cheese .....\$14

Contact Kate Burke to purchase  
@ 716-228-1626

Keep an eye out for the final  
fundraiser of the year  
coming home next week,  
your support keeps SSS vibrant,  
thank you!

Parents save the date for this  
years FIELD DAY  
Monday, June 22  
[Signup Here to Volunteer](#)

## Ongoing Fundraisers

### Bottle/Can Returns

Label your returns and drop off at GI  
Location (next to Mighty)

### Box Tops

Download the app through app store  
and link to SSS

***Please contact us if you  
or anyone you know may  
be interested in  
sponsoring one or more  
of our fundraising events!***



Please Join Us For  
**DADS**  
&  
**DONUTS**

Who: 3rd-8th Graders and their Dads

Date: Tuesday June 9th

Time: 8:15 AM



### **Business Manager Full-Time Salaried (Exempt) – 12-Month Position**

The Parish Business Manager is an administrator who supports the Pastor in fulfilling responsibilities to the parish and parish family. This position serves as a steward of the parish's physical, financial, and personnel resources and carries out these responsibilities within the framework of shared ministry rooted in Christian and Catholic values.

The ideal candidate is an experienced professional with strong finance, accounting, human resources, and managerial skills. The Business Manager must possess excellent organizational abilities, attention to detail, accuracy, efficiency, and the ability to manage multiple priorities in a fast-paced environment. Strong interpersonal and problem-solving skills are essential, along with the ability to work collaboratively with staff, parishioners, volunteers, contractors, and diocesan personnel.

### **Primary Responsibilities**

- Oversee parish accounting operations, office administration, maintenance, and custodial staff
- Manage all human resources functions, including bi-weekly payroll and employee benefits administration
- Supervise accounts payable and accounts receivable utilizing established accounting and census software programs
- Prepare monthly, quarterly, and annual financial reports for the Pastor, Trustees, and Finance Council
- Develop and monitor departmental budgets in collaboration with parish leadership and staff
- Serve as liaison with the Diocese, Audit Department, financial institutions, and contractors
- Oversee parish buildings and properties with maintenance staff
- Coordinate, monitor, and manage approved repair, maintenance, and improvement projects

### **Qualifications**

- Strong background in finance, accounting, and business management
- Human resources and payroll experience required
- Excellent organizational, communication, and leadership skills
- Ability to maintain confidentiality and exercise sound judgment
- Proficiency with accounting software and Microsoft Office applications
- Ability to work effectively with diverse personalities and volunteers

### **Compensation**

- Full-Time Salaried Position      Salary Range: **\$63,000 – \$68,000**

**JOB POSTING St. Stephen Parish Office – Front Office Admin. Assistant**

**St. Stephen RC Church is in search of a FRONT OFFICE Admin. Assistant**

**This individual must have a pleasant personality that promotes the feeling of welcoming hospitality which is so crucial to our parish success.**

**Approx. 20–30 hrs./wk. 12 mo. position 8:30am-2:30pm Monday - Friday**

**Good Phone Skills are a must, efficient with Computer and Microsoft products, good letter writing skills, strong working knowledge with CANVA is a large plus.**

- **Welcome all Callers and assist or direct caller to appropriate staff member**
- **Complete requests for Mass Cards & accurately maintain the Mass books**
- **Assist with and work on Family Bulletin each week**
- **Take calls for funerals, baptisms, and other sacramental needs.**
- **Generate Sacramental Certificates for callers as requested**
- **Tend to copier, keep paper stocked and complete copy projects**
- **Maintain ample supplies for the parish office – assist with ordering**
- **Assist Clergy, business manager, and staff as needed with support work**
- **Assist Parish Organizations with scheduling needs in facility**
- **Maintain strictest of confidence and be a Team Player!**
- **Apply great attention to detail on all tasks!**
- **Offering \$18 - \$20/hr. based on experience – all work is on-site**

**Reply to: [businessmgr@ststephengi.com](mailto:businessmgr@ststephengi.com)**

## **JOB POSTING #1 Part-Time Bookkeeper St. Stephen School**

**St. Stephen School Grand Island is looking for a Part-Time Bookkeeper to begin June 1, 2026 or sooner. This position is for 12-18 hrs./wk. to facilitate financial bookkeeping work in support of the parish business manager & principal.**

- **Bill all tuition through the FACTS Tuition Management System (FACTS is an on-line ACH payment system specifically designed for schools.)**
- **Calculate tuition & registration fees due, perform data entry into the school system & our census program.**
- **Assist in posting Tuition Assistance & Bison Fund to each family account**
- **Assist with entry of school budget calculations**
- **Work in conjunction with the Home School Association posting deposits and check requests for the fundraising arm of our school.**
- **Assist Business manager in preparing Annual School Financial Report**
- **Provide monthly finance reports to the Diocese, School Board President, Principal, Business Manager and Home School Association.**
- **Assist with HR Paperwork and establish/maintain employee files**
- **Assist with calculating totals for payroll from time cards and time sheets in preparation of bi-weekly payrolls.**
- **Must have strong bookkeeping skills, organizational skills, working knowledge of computers and Microsoft products, Excel, Word, Google Docs. Good attention to detail is a must!**
- **Must maintain the highest level of confidentiality, be dependable, and an efficient worker with a pleasant disposition. Team Player!**

**Offering \$20-\$23/hr. based upon experience. Work to be completed during the hours that school is open 12 mo. Position on-site**

**Interested Reply to [businessmgr@ststephengi.com](mailto:businessmgr@ststephengi.com)**



# Foundation for WNY Catholic Schools



**Help ensure that Catholic schools remain open**

Dear Friend of Catholic Education,

For generations, Catholic schools have been one of the great strengths of Western New York. They have educated our children, strengthened our families, and helped shape the moral and spiritual foundation of our community.

But today, Catholic education in our region faces an urgent challenge.

In recent years, we have witnessed the heartbreaking closure of several Catholic schools across Western New York—schools that served generations of families and helped build the faith-filled communities we cherish today. Sadly, the reality is that **more schools may be forced to close their doors if we do not act now.**

At the **Foundation for WNY Catholic Schools**, our mission is simple but critical: to provide financial support that helps Catholic schools remain viable and continue offering a high-quality, faith-based education for families throughout our region.

Our goal is not only to respond to immediate financial challenges, but to build **long-term sustainability for Catholic education in Western New York.** To do this, the Foundation is working to:

- Help schools close annual budget gaps
- Support tuition assistance so Catholic education remains affordable
- Develop sustainable funding sources that will benefit Catholic schools for years to come

One example is our effort to establish **mission-driven business ventures that can generate steady income for our schools**, including the development of a **coffee and bakery shop whose proceeds will directly support Catholic education in our region.**

But we cannot do this alone. Your support today will help ensure that Catholic schools remain open, accessible, and strong for the next generation of students and families.

Catholic schools do far more than educate. They:

- Instill faith and values that guide students throughout their lives
- Provide safe and supportive learning environments
- Strengthen neighborhoods and parish communities
- Prepare young people to become leaders who serve others

**Without financial support from generous donors like you, many schools will struggle to survive.**

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**YES! I want to help sustain Catholic education in Western New York.**

Enclosed is my gift to the **Foundation for WNY Catholic Schools**:

- \$1,000      \$500      \$300  
 \$250      \$100      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

We would welcome the opportunity to meet with you to confidently discuss your gift intentions. Please contact President Michael C. LaFever at **716-479-4648** or **cclcbuffalo@gmail.com**.

### DONOR INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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### PAYMENT INFORMATION

Check enclosed  
 (Please make checks payable to **Foundation for WNY Catholic Schools**)  
 Please charge my gift to:  
 VISA    Mastercard    Discover    Amex  
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That is why I ask you to please consider making a gift today. Your contribution will directly support the work of the Foundation to protect and sustain Catholic education in Western New York. Together, we can ensure that the schools that shaped so many of us will continue to shape future generations.

Thank you for your generosity, your faith, and your commitment to Catholic education.

With gratitude,

**Dr. Michael C. LeFever**

President

Foundation for WNY Catholic Schools



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You may also support the Foundation by visiting:  
[cclcbuffalo.org/donate](http://cclcbuffalo.org/donate)  
or scanning the QR code below.



**TAX INFORMATION**

The **Foundation for WNY Catholic Schools** is a **501(c)(3) nonprofit organization**. Your gift is tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

*Thank you for your generosity and for helping protect the future of Catholic education in Western New York.*

