

2017-2018 St. Damian School Calendar

August

- 11 Packet Pick Up 12-4 pm & 6-7pm
- 20 Blessing of Backpacks – 11:00 am Mass
9:30 am Breakfast for **New Families** & Information Meeting
12 pm – 1:30 pm Open House for **all** school families
- 21 First Day of School – Pk-1st Grade 11:30 dismissal-Full Day Gr 2-8
Virtus Training for St. Damian Families 8:30-11:30 am
- 26 St. Damian Block Party
- 29 Beginner Band Testing During school day
- 30 St. Council Induction-Opening School Liturgy 9:00 am Mass
- 30 Jr. High Open House – 6:30-7:30 pm

September

- 4 Labor Day **No School-No Ext. Day**
- 5 Band Parent Open House 3:30-7:00 pm
- 6 Primary Curriculum Night (Gr K-2nd) 6:30 pm
- 8 **1:00 Dismissal** Bus & Extended Day Available
- 12 School Board Meeting 7:00 pm-Library
- 13 Intermediate Curriculum Night (Gr 3-5th) 6:30 pm
- 18 Confirmation Parent/Candidate Mtg.- Church 6:45 pm
- 19 School Pictures – **Dress Up Day**
- 23 Mum Sale Delivery – School parking lot
- 29 8th Grade Springfield Trip/Parent Meeting 7:00 pm
- 29 Tuition Exclusion Day

October

- 5 **Early Dismissal 11:30** - Parent/Teacher Conference 12:30-7:00 pm-**Ext Day Available**
*All Students grade K-8 must attend, Absences will be recorded
- 6 **No School**-Professional Development-**No Ext. Day**
- 9 **No School** -Columbus Day-**No Ext. Day**
- 10 School Board Meeting 7:00 pm Library
- 13 **1:00 Dismissal** Bus & Extended Day Available
- 14 Damian Dash 5K/Little Lancer Run
- 16 Grades 1,3,4 5 & 6th-Parent Mtg-Church 6:45 pm
- 20 Grandparents/Sweetheart Day
- 27 Trunk or Treat & Damian Mania Drawing
- 28 Religious Education Trivia Night-7:00 pm Shaw Hall

November

- 1 All Saints Day Liturgy 9:00 am
- 1 Picture Retake-**Dress Up**
- 6 2nd Grade Eucharist Parent Mtg.-6:45 pm Church
- 8 Yearbook/Group Pictures
- 10 **1:00 pm Dismissal** Bus & Extended Day Available
- 10 First Trimester ends
- 14 School Board Meeting 7:00 pm Library
- 17 Report Card Distribution
- 21 10:00 am Thanksgiving Para liturgy-**11:30 am Dismissal-No pm Ext. Day**
- 22-24 Thanksgiving Holiday-(**No School**) **Ext Day Available 11/22**
- 27 Classes Resume
- 30 Tuition Exclusion Day

December

- 2 Catholic High School Entrance Exam
- 3 Breakfast with Santa/Santa's Secret Shop
- 8 **1:00 Dismissal** Bus & Extended Day Available
- 11 Advent School Reconciliation
- 12 Christmas Band Concert 7:00 Grimmel Center
- 13 Kindergarten Christmas Play- Church
- 21 Advent Waiting Paraliturg - 10:00 am
11:30 am Dismissal-No pm Extended Day
- 22-Jan. 5 Christmas Break

January

- 8 Classes Resume
- 9 Graduation Pictures
- 9 School Board Meeting 7:00 pm Library
- 12 **1:00 pm Dismissal** Bus & Extended Day Available
- 15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day **No School Grades Prek-7th Ext. Day Available**

15 Confirmation Retreat –School day for grade 8 only

21 AFC/NFC Party

28-Feb 2 Catholic Schools Week

28 11:00 am Family Mass-Catholic Schools Week

Open House 12:00 – 1:30PM Prospective Families & School Families

29 Catholic Schools Week Liturgy 10:00 AM All Are Welcome **Ask about this time**

29 2nd Gr. Reconciliation Parent Meeting 6:45 pm Church

30 Faculty Appreciation Day

February

2 Student Appreciation Day

9 **1:00 Dismissal** Bus & Extended Day Available

10 Communion Retreat 2:30-4:30 pm-Mass at 5:00 pm

12 7th Gr Parent Mtg – 6:45 Shaw Hall

13 School Board Meeting 7:00 pm Library

14 Ash Wednesday

19 **No School** –Presidents' Day Ext. Day Available

21 Graduation Picture Retakes

22 St. Damian Gala at Gaelic Park

23 **No School** -Staff Professional Development

28 Tuition Exclusion Day

28 Second Trimester Ends

March

5 First Reconciliation-6:45 pm Church

9 **1:00 pm Dismissal** Bus & Extended Day Available

11 Girl Scout Sunday-11:00 Mass

13 School Board Meeting 7:00 pm Library

15 Spring Pictures

16 **No School** – Optional Parent Teacher Conference-11:30-3:00pm

21 National Junior Honor Society Induction – 7:00 pm Church

29 Holy Thursday – **11:30 pm dismissal-No pm Ext. Day**

30-April 6 Easter Break

30 Passion Play-3:00 pm Church

April

9 School Resumes

9 Confirmation Practice Candidate/Sponsor 6:45 Church

10 School Board Meeting 7:00 pm Library

13 **1:00 pm Dismissal** Bus & Extended Day Available

14 Confirmation 11:00 am

16-19 ACT/Aspire Testing for Grades 3-8

20-22 8th Grade Musical

May

1 May Crowning 10:00 am/8th Grade Ribbons

1 Tuition Exclusion Day

2 First Communion Practice 5:00-6:00 pm-Church

5 First Communion 11:00 am

8 Spring Band Concert 7:00 pm Grimmel Center

11 PreK & K Mother's Tea

11 **1:00 pm Dismissal-Ext. Day Available**

18 Food, Fun & Fitness

25 Third Trimester Ends

28 **No School-Memorial Day**

29 8th Grade Awards/Athletic Banquet Gaelic Park

30 8th Grade Great America Trip

31 8th Grade Party

31 Last Day for School Uniforms

June

1 **Baccalaureate Mass 10:00 a.m.-**

Dress Up Day All Students

1 **8th Grade Graduation 7:00 pm**

4 All School Picnic – Prk-7 Dress Down Day

4 Kindergarten Graduation-7:00 pm Church

4 Preschool Celebration 5:00 pm Fr. Grimmel Center

5 **Last Day of School-Dress Up-Para liturgy 9:45 am-**

No pm Ext. Day

Dismissal 10:30 am dismissal-Enjoy your summer

****Dates are subject to change**