

Mother of Divine Providence School and HASA Calendar 2009-2010

SEPTEMBER				
9/01	Tuesday	Summer Information Packet Pickup	School Lobby	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
9/08	Tuesday	Early Childhood (PreK – 1 st) Back to School Night for Parents	Providence Hall/Classrooms	7:00 PM
9/09	Wednesday	School begins for grades 1 – 8; Faculty In-service in afternoon		Dismissal at Noon
9/10	Thursday	Full day grades 1-8; PreK 3 & 4 “Meet the Teacher” in classrooms		10:00 AM
9/11	Friday	Kindergarten “Meet the Teacher” ; 9/11 Remembrance in classes	Kindergarten – Rooms 7, 8	10:00 AM
9/11	Friday	Petrucci’s Ice Cream Night (HASA) dished up by teachers		6:00 – 9:00 PM
9/14	Monday	HASA Board Meeting and Committee Chairs Meeting	Parish Office Conf. Room	6:00 PM & 7:30 PM
9/15	Tuesday	Band Assembly for grades 4 – 6 (<i>Students encouraged to join!</i>)	Gym	2:00 PM
9/17	Thursday	School Mass	Church	10:00 AM
9/17	Thursday	Grades 2 - 8 Back to School Night for Parents	Providence Hall/Classrooms	7:00 PM
9/19	Saturday	Parish Picnic, sponsored by HASA, AA, KofC – <i>Great fun!</i>	Parish Center & Kitchen	After 5:15 Mass
9/20	Sunday	Catechetical Sunday – Blessing of Teachers & Catechists	Church	11:30 Mass
9/21	Monday	Tipping Photos – Student/Teacher Picture Day	Providence Hall Lobby	9:00 AM PreK-3 to 8th
9/22	Tuesday	Band Parents’ Meeting	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
9/25	Friday	No Classes ; Faculty In-service; Sally Foster Drive ends		
9/27	Sunday	Mass of the Anointing of the Sick	Parish Center	2:00 PM
OCTOBER				
10/01	Thursday	Homeroom Parents’ Meetings; Entertainment Book Drive begins	Providence Hall	10:00 AM & 7:00 PM
10/03	Saturday	Chess Tournament	Providence Hall	9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
10/05	Monday	High School Information Expo for 6 th – 8 th students & parents	Providence Hall	7:00 – 9:00 PM
10/08	Thursday	Student Assembly – “ <i>Flow Circus</i> ,” sponsored by HASA	Gym (PreK-3 rd / 4 th – 8 th)	9:15 AM & 10:30 AM
10/12	Monday	No Classes ; Faculty In-service		
10/15	Thursday	HASA Fall Meeting: <i>Study Skills</i> ; Entertainment Book Drive ends	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
10/17	10/18	Parish Time & Talent Fair Weekend	Parish Center	After all Masses
10/20	Tuesday	HASA Family Food Night at Ruby’s		
10/21	Wednesday	School Mass	Church	10:00 AM
10/30	Friday	Halloween Carnival – Student Council & HASA	School & Parish Center	Throughout school day
NOVEMBER				
11/10	Tuesday	First Penance Parents’ Meeting (2 nd Grade)	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
11/11	Wednesday	School Mass	Church	10:00 AM
11/12	Thursday	HASA Family Food Night at Jimmy John’s		
11/19	Thursday	8 th Grade Universal Archdiocesan High School Visitation Day		

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11/20	Friday	No Classes; Faculty Retreat ///// Preparation for Christmas Bazaar		
11/21	Saturday	Christmas Bazaar – <i>Come out and enjoy this parish event!</i>	All Facilities	
11/22	Sunday	Presentation of First Communion Candidates (2 nd Grade)	Church	9:30 Mass
11/25	Wednesday	Thanksgiving Liturgy of the Word; Half Day of Classes	Church at 10:00 AM	Dismissal at Noon
11/26	- 11/27	Thanksgiving Break; Red Cross Blood Drive on Friday	Providence Hall	8:00 AM – 1:00 PM
11/30	Monday	No Classes; Faculty In-service; (<i>Classes resume on Tuesday 12/01</i>)	Providence Hall/Classrooms	8:30 AM – 3:30 PM
		DECEMBER		
12/01	Tuesday	Confirmation Parents' Meeting (grades 6 & 7)*	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
12/04	Friday	First Trimester Ends – grades close		
12/07	Monday	HASA Family Night at Wendy's and Barnes & Noble Book Fair		
12/08	Tuesday	No Classes; Immaculate Conception Holy Day of Obligation		
12/10	Thursday	Early Childhood Christmas Concert	Gym	10:30 AM
12/11	Friday	Early Childhood Breakfast with Santa; Report Cards 1 st – 8 th	Providence Hall	10:30 AM
12/14	Mon. - Fri.	Secret Santa Sale	Room 1	Throughout school day
12/15	Tuesday	Christmas Band Concert	Gym	2:00 PM & 7:00 PM
12/16	Wednesday	School Mass	Church	10:00 AM
12/17	Thursday	Grades 1 st – 8 th Christmas Concert (<i>dress rehearsal in AM</i>)	Gym	10:00 AM & 7:00 PM
12/18	Friday	Half-day for students; Faculty In-service in afternoon		Dismissal at Noon
12/21	Monday	Parish Advent Penance Service hosted at Sacred Heart Church	Sacred Heart, Bridgeport	7:00 PM
12/22	Tuesday	HASA Christmas Celebration for students & faculty		Throughout morning
12/23	Wednesday	Christmas Liturgy of the Word; Half-day for students & faculty	School Gym at 10:00 AM	Dismissal at Noon
		JANUARY		
1/04	Monday	Classes resume		
1/05	Tuesday	* Snow date for Confirmation Parents' Meeting (grades 6 & 7)	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
1/10	Sunday	Presentation of Confirmation Candidates	Church	9:30 AM Mass
1/14	Thursday	HASA Winter Meeting; <i>Healthy Living ~ Nutrition</i>	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
1/18	Monday	No Classes; Martin Luther King, Jr. National Holiday		
1/20	Wednesday	HASA Family Food Night at Ruby's		
1/21	Thursday	School Mass	Church	10:00 AM
1/21	Thursday	Early Childhood Open House	Providence Hall / EC classes	7:00 PM
1/22	Friday	March for Life; Rosary for Life	Church	2:00 PM
1/30	Saturday	Technology Auction Preview	Providence Hall	After 5:15 Mass
1/31	Sunday	Catholic Schools Week begins – Open House	All facilities	After all Sun. Masses
		Catholic Schools Week 1/31 through 2/05/2010 – <i>invite guests!</i>		

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FEBRUARY				
2/01	Monday	Catholic Schools Week – through 2/06/2010 – <i>stay tuned</i>		
2/03	Wednesday	St. Blaise – Blessing of Throats (AM); Academic Panel (PM)	Gym	10:00 AM & 2:00 PM
2/04	Thursday	Spelling Bee	Gym	10:00 AM
2/05	Friday	Talent Show	Gym	1:00 PM
2/09	Tuesday	First Communion Parents' Meeting (2 nd grade)*	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
2/15	Monday	No Classes; Presidents' Day National Holiday		
2/17	Wednesday	Ash Wednesday Liturgy of the Word / Distribution of Ashes	Church	10:00 AM
2/20	Saturday	Technology Auction – <i>Night in Tropical Paradise</i>	Parish Center	6:00 – 11:00 PM
2/23	Tuesday	* Snow date - First Communion Parents' Meeting (2 nd grade)	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
2/25	Thursday	School Mass	Church	10:00 AM
2/25	Thursday	HASA Family Food Night – <i>Poor Man's Supper</i>	Providence Hall & Kitchen	6:00 – 8:00 PM
2/27	Saturday	First Penance (school children)	Church	3:00 PM
MARCH				
3/05	Friday	Terra Nova In-View Assessment – grades 3 - 8	Classrooms	First class period(s)
3/08	Mon. – Fri.	Terra Nova Assessment (all subjects) – grades Kindergarten - 8	Classrooms	First class period(s)
3/12	Friday	Second Trimester Ends – grades close		
3/17	Wednesday	School Mass – Feast of St. Patrick (<i>Kiss me, I'm Irish!</i>)	Church	10:00 AM
3/18	Thursday	Report Cards; Teacher/Principal for a Day; Chuck-E-Cheese Night		6:00 – 9:00 PM
3/19	Friday	Faculty In-service, <i>if</i> no snow days have been used to date	TBD	
3/23	Tuesday	Open House; Recruitment of new students	Providence Hall/Classrooms	7:00 – 9:00 PM
3/26	Friday	Living Stations of the Cross (presented by 5 th grade)	Church	7:00 PM
3/29	Monday	Shadow Day – new students; Living Stations of the Cross reprised	Church	2:00 PM
3/30	Tuesday	Parish Lenten Penance Service hosted by OLMC	Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	7:00 PM
3/31	Wednesday	Easter Egg Hunt; Easter break begins at dismissal.	Providence Hall & fields	10:00 AM
APRIL				
4/01	- 4/05	No classes; Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Monday	Parish services in church	Consult bulletin
4/06	Tuesday	Classes resume		
4/13	Tuesday	HASA Spring Meeting: <i>Parenting Center on Behavioral Concerns</i>	Providence Hall	7:00 PM
4/17	Saturday	First Communion Retreat	Parish Center	8:00 AM – 12:30 PM

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4/18	Sunday	Parish <i>Forty Hours</i> led by Rev. Stephen Thorne – through 4/20	Church	7:00 PM each evening
4/22	Thursday	Earth Day – Activities TBD		
4/23	Friday	HASA Family Bingo Night	Parish Center & Kitchen	6:00 PM
4/27	Tuesday	Tentative Student Assembly	Gym	9:15 AM & 10:30 AM
4/29	Thursday	School Mass	Church	10:00 AM
		MAY		
5/1	Saturday	First Holy Communion (2 nd Grade)	Church (from McGrory Hall)	10:00 AM Mass
5/2	Sunday	First Holy Communion (2 nd Grade)	Church (from McGrory Hall)	9:30 AM Mass
5/6	Thursday	Early Childhood Spring Concert	Gym	10:30 AM
5/7	Friday	May Procession (Early dismissal for 8 th grade)	Church	10:00 AM
5/12	Wednesday	8 th Grade Field Trip to NYC (tentative date)		
5/12	Wednesday	HASA Family Food Night at Petrucci's Ice Cream		
5/13	Thursday	No Classes; Feast of the Ascension Holy Day of Obligation		
5/14	Friday	No Classes; school selected holiday (four day weekend)		
5/20	Thursday	Spring Concert – grades 1 - 8	Gym	7:00 PM
5/25	Tuesday	Band Concert	Gym	2:00 PM & 7:00 PM
5/28	Friday	Faculty In-service, <i>if</i> no snow days have been used to date	TBD	
5/31	Monday	No Classes; Memorial Day National Holiday		
		JUNE		
6/3	Thursday	Kindergarten Letter People Parade (and Wedding)	Gym	10:30 AM
6/4	Friday	Panther Walk	Neighborhood (from Gym)	10:00 AM
6/6	Sunday	King of Prussia 10 Miler & 5K Walk/Run	Heuser Park on Beidler Rd.	8:00 AM
6/8	Tuesday	Exams begin, continue through 6/11		
6/8	Tuesday	PreK 3 & 4 Field Day – Parents welcome to attend/help	Gym & Field	9:15 – 11:15 AM
6/11	Friday	Kindergarten Celebration; PreK Closing Presentation & Picnic	Gym (then field)	9:30 AM & 11:00 AM
6/15	Tuesday	Field Day (1 st – 8 th) and Hoagie orders for lunch	Gym (then field)	9:30 AM
6/15	Tuesday	Eighth Grade Graduation Dinner Dance	Parish Center	Approx. 6:00 PM
6/16	Wednesday	Half-day for students; Faculty In-service in afternoon		Dismissal at Noon
6/16	Wednesday	Eighth Grade Mass & Graduation	Church, Parish Center	7:00 PM
6/17	Thursday	Half-day for students; Faculty In-service in afternoon		Dismissal at Noon
6/18	Friday	Last Day of School with Benediction	Church @ 10:30 AM	Dismissal at 11:30 AM