



September 4, 2026

Dear St. Anne Families,

It has been wonderful to welcome our students and staff back to St. Anne. Our first four days have gone very smoothly, and it has been great to see our hallways once again filled with the energy, excitement, and laughter of our students. We are off to a great start!

This week, I met with each grade level to review our school-wide behavior expectations and talk about what it means to be a responsible, respectful, and caring member of the St. Anne community. I reminded our students that each of us has an important role in making St. Anne a welcoming and positive place to learn and grow.

I am excited to welcome Ms. Amelia Gamble to St. Anne as our new music teacher! Ms. Gamble brings a wonderful background in music, education, and ministry, and we are thrilled to have her join our school community. She began teaching music on Tuesday, and I know our students will enjoy learning with her throughout the year. Please join me in giving Ms. Gamble a warm St. Anne welcome!

We are also happy to welcome Mrs. Jasmine Severino, who has joined our staff as a classroom aide working with our first-grade and third-grade students. We are excited to have her as part of the St. Anne family!

Mass will continue to be an important part of our Catholic school community. Students will attend Mass at 8:45 a.m. on First Fridays and on the other three Thursdays of each month. When a week includes a Holy Day of Obligation, students will attend Mass on that day instead. Students will next attend Mass on Friday, September 11.

As I have shared many times in my letters, **the safety of our students is always our number one priority**. One area where I would like to remind everyone of our safety procedures is parent pickup. When you arrive on Easton Avenue, please **remain in your vehicle until you reach Hickory Street**. Student pickup for car riders takes place on Hickory Street, not on Easton Avenue.

To help keep traffic moving safely and efficiently, please:

- Remain in a **single line** on Easton Avenue.
- **Do not double park** or pass other vehicles on Easton Avenue.

LEARN SUCCEED LEAD

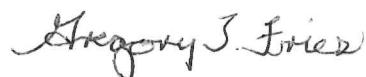
- Remain in your vehicle and wait until you reach Hickory Street to pick up your child.
- **Please do not park in the parking lot near the shopping center** while waiting for your child.

We appreciate everyone's cooperation in following these procedures. These guidelines help us keep traffic moving and, most importantly, ensure that our students, families, and staff remain safe during dismissal.

A packet of paperwork was recently sent home with each student for families to complete. The packet contains important information and forms, including details about parent communication, reporting absences, dismissal changes, early dismissal, the illness policy, and arrival and dismissal times. The packet also includes a Student Information Sheet, Family Survey, Home Language Survey, Photograph and Media Permission Form, Loan of Textbooks and Instructional Materials Form, and the Agreement for the Use of Computers and Telecommunications Parental Consent Form. We ask that all paperwork be completed and returned to school by **Monday, September 14**. Please take a few minutes to review the information and complete all applicable forms. We appreciate your help in making sure we have the most up-to-date information for your child and family.

I am grateful for the wonderful start to our school year and for the enthusiasm our students and teachers have already brought to St. Anne. I look forward to all that we will accomplish together this year! Thank you for being such an important part of our St. Anne community. Let's make it a great year!

With gratitude and prayers,



Dr. Gregory T. Fries
Principal

St. Anne, Pray for Us.

IMPORTANT REMINDER, DISMISSAL PROCEDURE

Car Riders

Enter via Hickory Street, this is one way from Easton Ave.

Row 1 proceed to Cloverleaf St. and stop at the sign posted car line.

Park **ONLY** at the curb on the school side.

Rows 2,3,4 will stop at the one-way designated at Millard St.

In all we will form 4 lines for dismissal on Hickory Street.

Residents living on Hickory St. across from the school are permitted to curb parking on their side of the street. SAS **CANNOT** block this parking; however, those residents are not permitted access during PM dismissal time.

AT NO TIME YOUR VEHICLE TO BE RUNNING IF THE DRIVER IS NOT SEATED BEHIND THE WHEEL.

There should be **NO** parking on Millard Street to cross over Hickory Street to pick up your child.

DO NOT get out of your car if you are parked on Easton Ave. You need to wait until the lines pull up on Hickory Street to proceed forward.

There should also be **NO** parking/pickup on Cloverleaf since that is designated for Bus Pick up **ONLY!**

These safety plans are put in effect to protect the children and were approved by the Bethlehem Police Department. It works if everyone works together. Please be patient!

St. Anne School

Back To School

Night For Grades

1 through 4

Parents ONLY

When: September 9, 2026

Where: Community Center

**6:00-6:10 - Opening Blessing,
Principal Comments, Intro to
Faculty and Staff**

6:20-6:30 PSA Presentation

**6:35-6:55 Classroom
Presentation - Session 1**

**7:00-7:20 - Classroom
Presentation - Session 2**

St. Anne School
Back To School
Night For Grades
5 through 8
Parents ONLY

When: September 10, 2026
Where: Community Center
6:00-6:10 - Opening Blessing,
Principal Comments, Intro to
Faculty and Staff
6:20-6:30 PSA Presentation
6:35-6:55 Classroom
Presentation - Session 1
7:00-7:20 - Classroom
Presentation - Session 2



EXTENDED CARE POLICIES

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

- You must re-register for Extended Care each year. Forms are attached. Please fill out the forms completely
- Registration fee is \$35.00 per child and due with the application
- Extended Care is open 7 AM to 9 AM and 2 PM to 5:30 PM
- St. Anne Extended Care uses ProCare for attendance and billing. If you are new to Extended Care you must create an account. Once you create an account ProCare will send you an invite email (check your spam), accept the invite and receive a pin #.
- Invoices will be sent via email on the 1st of every month with payment due no later than the 15th. For example: On October 1st you will receive an invoice for September. That invoice must be paid no later than October 15th.
- All Extended Care accounts MUST be on autopay. This means you must add to your ProCare account a checking, savings or credit card. Your child will not be allowed to go to Extended Care if you do not have autopay.
- Your child will not be able to attend Extended Care if you have a delinquent balance.
- Extended care is \$9.00.
- Every child who attends Extended Care must have a registration form on file.

Thank you for your cooperation.

LEARN SUCCEED LEAD

Good Evening Students and Parents,

We had a wonderful Instrument Demonstration Assembly this afternoon at St. Anne. Students were attentive and I really enjoyed their participation. It was so good to see everyone!! There were squeaks, honks, and laughter as we practiced each "band face" and played a first sound/note on the instrument. Did you know? Band is a time to hang out with your friends and make music! Many thanks to Dr. Fries, the teachers at St. Anne, and especially the students for a great day!

Your student came home today with a brochure from Northeastern Music Programs. If you've already enrolled, you do NOT need to send in the white section. BUT, if you haven't enrolled yet, we'd love to have you join us! Please complete the white section and return it to school on Thursday or Friday. The Parent Information Meeting is next Tuesday evening at 6:30pm on Zoom. If your student has expressed interest in learning a new instrument or continuing on the old, the Parent Meeting will explain all the details about the program. You'll find the Zoom link and additional meeting dates at www.northeasternmusicprograms.com/parentmeeting

I am looking forward to another amazing instrument year! Reach out if you have questions.

Thank you,
Mrs. Riggins

EXTENDED CARE REGISTRATION FORM

Date: _____

Please check the approximate time(s) your student may attend Extended Care.

____ Mornings 7:30 am – 9 am

____ Afternoons 2 – 5:30 pm

Students Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____

Date of Birth: _____ **Male:** ____ **Female:** ____ **Grade/Homeroom:** ____

Medical/Additional Information:

Allergies: _____

Other: _____

Student's

Interests: _____

Student's

Fears: _____

Siblings (names, grade,

ages): _____

Parent/Guardian Information:

Parent/Guardian 1 Name:_____ **Email:**_____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone:_____ **Cell Phone:**_____

Employer:_____ **Work Phone:**_____

Parent/Guardian Information:

Parent/Guardian 2 Name:_____ **Email:**_____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone:_____ **Cell Phone:**_____

Employer:_____ **Work Phone:**_____

Parents: ___ Married ___ Divorced ___ Separated ___ Widowed ___ Single

If divorced or separated Custody agreements are required

In addition to Parents list people who are authorized to pick up your child(ren)

Name:_____ **Email:**_____

Home Phone:_____ **Cell Phone:**_____

Name:_____ **Email:**_____

Home Phone:_____ **Cell Phone:**_____

Name:_____ **Email:**_____

Home Phone:_____ **Cell Phone:**_____

Name:_____ **Email:**_____

Home Phone:_____ **Cell Phone:**_____

Name:_____ **Email:**_____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone:_____ **Cell Phone:**_____



School Counseling NEWSLETTER



September

Welcome to the 2026-
2027 school year!

Welcome new and returning students! It is time once again to get back into the hustle and bustle of following new schedules and learning new material.



988 SUICIDE & CRISIS
LIFELINE

24/7 CALL, TEXT, CHAT



What is happening this month?



September is National Suicide Prevention Month, with a focus on friendship, mental health, and community-building. If you or someone you know is struggling with thoughts of self-harm or suicide, talk to someone you trust or make an anonymous call to get help if you feel unsafe. There is hope!

<https://988lifeline.org/get-help/>



Upcoming Lessons

In September, students in grades K-4 will receive lessons focused on self-control.



Reminder!

Your school secretary has sent you an "opt-out" form for school counseling services through CIU20. If you **DO NOT** want these services, please return the form ASAP. If you want counseling services, you do not need to send anything back.



Contact Me:



Ms. Kaitlyn Peters
Email: kpeters1@ciu20.org
Work Cell Phone: (484) 350 1306



St. Anne School PSA NEWSLETTER

September 2026



Stay Connected!

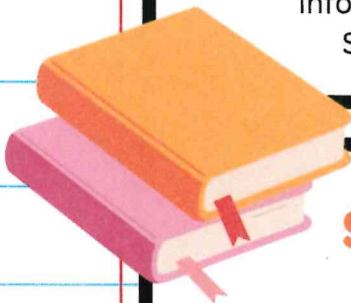
Sign up to receive emails from the PSA regarding events and volunteer opportunities. Join us in person for our first meeting, Monday September 14 at 6 pm in the convent - 434 Washington Avenue.

Email Sign-up



Grandparents' Mass & Brunch

Join your grandchildren for mass and brunch September 17, 2026 at 8:45am. Please see flyer for more information and sign up.
SPACE IS LIMITED!



First Meeting

Monday, September 14 at 6pm

Contact us:

st.annes.bethlehem.psa@gmail.com

Save the Date:

September

Monday, Sept. 14
PSA Meeting 6pm Convent
Thursday, Sept. 17
Grandparent Brunch

October

Thursday, Oct. 1
Dance-A-Thon Kickoff during lunch
Monday, Oct. 19
PSA Meeting 6pm Convent
Wednesday, Oct. 21
Martellucci's Dine and Donate
Tuesday, October 27
Pumpkin Carving Comm. Center 6pm
Friday, Oct. 30
Middle School Creepy Crawl

You're invited to St. Anne's
Grandparents' Day

SEPTEMBER 17TH

*We're thrilled to honor and celebrate the love, wisdom,
and support that grandparents bring to our families!*

**JOIN US FOR MASS
8:45AM**

**FOLLOWED IMMEDIATELY BY LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WITH YOUR
GRANDCHILDREN IN THE COMMUNITY CENTER. PLEASE ENTER
THROUGH THE DOORS ON HICKORY STREET, YOUR STUDENTS WILL
MEET YOU THERE!**

Grandparent Only Event

**RSVP REQUIRED, SCAN BELOW
PLEASE SELECT THE NUMBER OF GRANDPARENTS
ATTENDING AND WRITE THE STUDENTS' NAME IN
THE COMMENTS.**

**SPACES ARE LIMITED AND ARE ON A FIRST COME
FIRST SERVE BASIS. PLEASE ONLY REGISTER IF YOU
ARE ABLE TO ATTEND. ONCE SPOTS ARE FILLED
NO MORE RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

**PLEASE DIRECT QUESTIONS TO
ST.ANNES.BETHLEHEM.PSA@GMAIL.COM**



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Watch Fr. Esposito, Fr. Mai, and Fr. Tauber in their action packed 2026 Cooks with Collars video. Donate today to show your support for our favorite priests!!



Scan QR Code to watch now!!!



JOIN CUB SCOUT PACK 359



ADVENTURE STARTS HERE!



For boys and girls in Kindergarten–5th Grade



Meet Sundays evenings, 2–3 times each month



Activities include: Science Exploration, Cooking, Exercise, etc.



Camp



Hike



Serve



Race Pinewood Derby Cars



Make Friends



OPEN MEETING

Sunday 9/13 at 6:00 PM

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

3219 Santee Road, Bethlehem, PA 18020



Questions? pack.359.olph@gmail.com

CUB SCOUT PACK 306

Adventure Starts Here at St. Anne's Bethlehem!



REGISTRATION NIGHT

September 11

6:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Boys and girls in Grades K-5 are invited to discover friendship, outdoor adventure, service, leadership, and family fun with Cub Scout Pack 306.

What Scouts Do	Pack Details
• Camping & Hiking • Pinewood Derby Racing • STEM Activities • Community Service • Earn Badges & Awards • Make New Friends	Pack 306 Chartered by St. Anne Church Friday Nights at 7:00 PM The Convent (Use Back Entrance) 450 E. Washington Ave, Bethlehem, PA 18017

Families Welcome! Come visit a meeting and see what Cub Scouting is all about.

Contact Kathy Tobar

484-767-7407

scoutparent@live.com

Adventure • Leadership • Friendship • Fun
Join Today!
BeAScout.org

Notre Dame of Bethlehem
School Presents

NIGHT GLOW

Dance

DJ - Drinks - Glow sticks - Snacks

SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

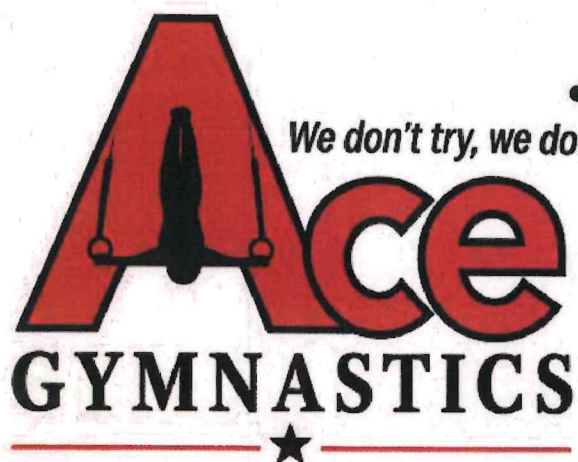
7PM-9:30PM

\$5 ENTRY FEE

GRADES 6-8

Pick up/drop off in the courtyard between the school and church.
Please note that all students must wear appropriate attire. The following are
not allowed: spaghetti straps, tank tops, halter tops, tube tops, bare midriffs,
hats, or hoods. Skirts, shorts, and dresses must be a suitable length

1835 Catasauqua Road, Bethlehem
PA, 18018



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available **1 or 2 days** per week.



TEAM PRACTICE SCHEDULE

SUMMER:

Monday & Wednesday | 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

SCHOOL YEAR:

Monday & Wednesday | 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM

WHY CHOOSE GYMNASTICS?

Gymnastics builds a strong foundation that benefits boys both in and out of the gym by developing:



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FLEXIBILITY



SKILL DEVELOPMENT &
ATHLETIC COORDINATION



LISTENING SKILLS



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SELF-DISCIPLINE



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