



September 4, 2025

Dear St. Anne Families,

I hope you enjoyed a restful Labor Day weekend. It was wonderful to welcome our students back on Tuesday after the long break. Now that we are seven days into the new school year, I have been truly impressed with how polite, friendly, and respectful our students have been.

We are especially excited that, beginning this year, our students will attend Mass each Friday. On weeks when there is a special Mass for a holy day of obligation, students will participate in that liturgy instead of the Friday Mass. Some of my proudest moments as a parent have been attending Mass and watching my own children serve as readers, cantors, or altar servers. I know many of you share in that joy.

At the same time, I want to assure you that the **safety of our students and staff is always our highest priority**. Out of an abundance of caution, we are implementing additional security measures for school Masses this year. As in the past, parents and members of the public are warmly invited to attend the 8:45 a.m. Mass with the students. Please note that the church doors will remain open until 8:40 a.m., at which point all doors will be closed for security purposes.

We are also looking forward to our annual **Back-to-School Nights**:

- **Grades 1–5:** Wednesday, September 10, from 6:00–7:30 p.m. (beginning in the gym, followed by classroom presentations).
- **Middle School:** Thursday, September 11, at 6:00 p.m. in the Community Center.

Both evenings will begin with a blessing from Father Esposito, a welcome from me, introductions of our staff, a presentation from our PSA, followed by classroom presentations. Back-to-School Night is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about your child's classes and expectations for the year.

It is my goal to meet each family this school year. As I have shared in previous messages, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at the school office at **610-868-4812**.

Thank you for your continued support as we begin this school year together. I look forward to seeing you at Mass and at our Back-to-School Nights.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Anthony J. Esposito".

Principal

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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 by the telephone pole.

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.

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

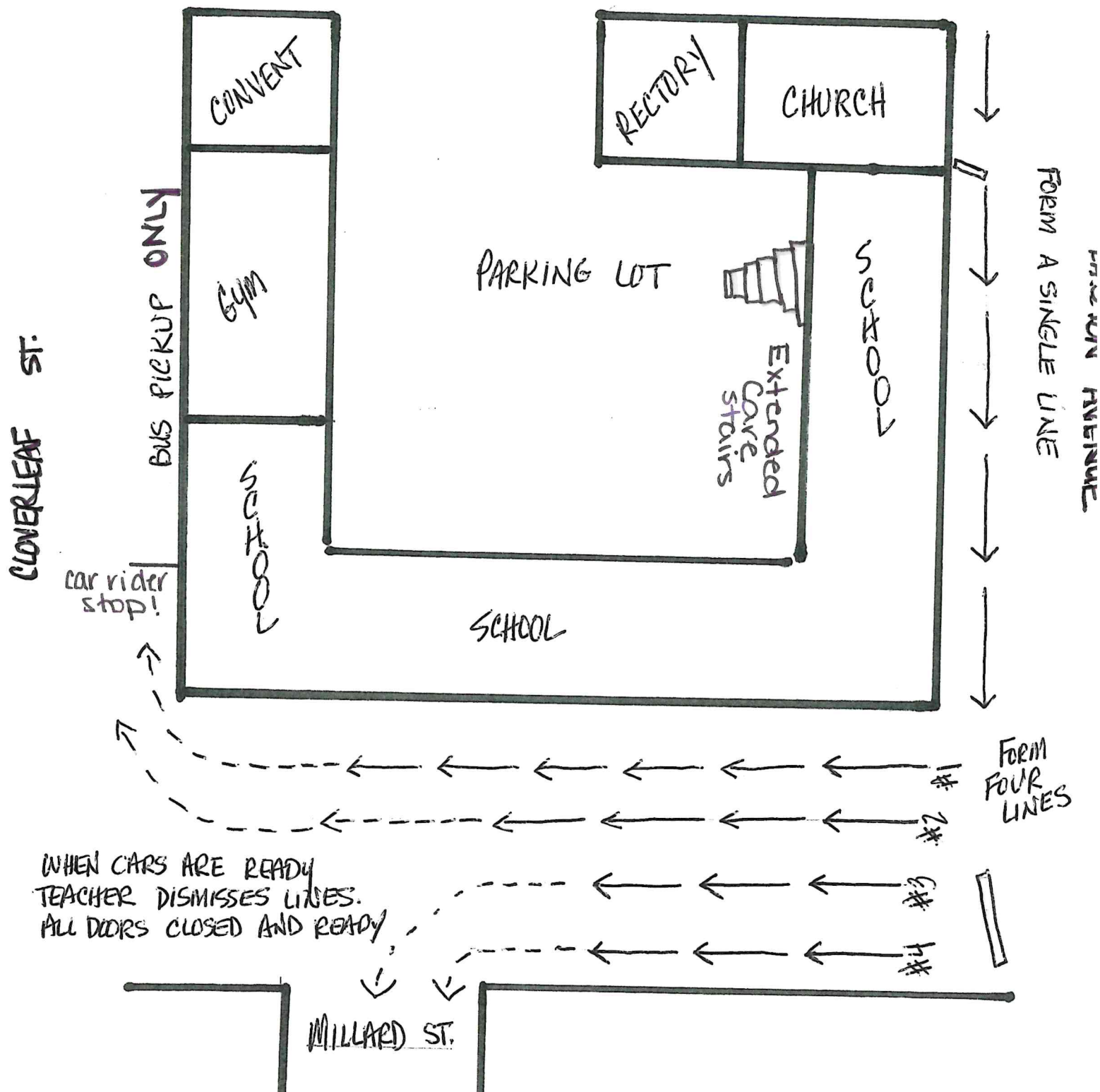
There should be **NO** parking on Millard Street to cross over Hickory Street to pick up your child.

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!** There are signs posted against the curb for bus pick up.

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!

WASHINGTON AVENUE



St. Anne Volunteer
MOBILE FINGERPRINTING EVENT

Thursday, September 18th 9:00 am – 3:00 pm
St. Anne Rectory Meeting Room

This Mobile Event is for the convenience of St. Anne Volunteers
Appointments are on a first come-first served basis
Appointment times run every 15 minutes

- ❖ Any St. Anne Parent, Guardian, Grandparent who wishes to volunteer, is required to obtain Fingerprints through the PA Department of Human Services (DHS).
- ❖ Employment Fingerprints may not be used to volunteer.
- ❖ **There is no cost** to obtain volunteer Fingerprints
- ❖ Additional State and Diocesan clearances must be obtained in order for anyone to volunteer at St. Anne School. Diocesan staff will be on hand to assist with obtaining additional required clearances.

To Schedule an Appointment:

Contact: Eileen Brida, Safe Environment Coordinator

ebrida@stannebethlehem.org



Back to School Night for Grades 1 through 5 Parents ONLY



When: September 10th, 2025
Where: St. Anne Gymnasium
(located in the main parking lot)
6:00-6:15 - Opening Blessing,
Principal's Welcome and Comments, Intro to
Faculty and Staff
6:18-6:25 - PSA Presentation
6:25 - Parent Dismissal to Classrooms
6:35-7:00 - Classroom Presentation, Session 1
7:00-7:10- Transition to next classroom (parents
with more than one child)
7:10-7:30 - Classroom Presentation, Session 2



St. Anne School

Back To School

Night For Grades

6 to 8

Parents ONLY

When: September 11, 2025
Where: Community Center
6:00-6:15 - Opening Blessing,
Principal Comments, Intro to
Faculty and Staff
6:18-6:25 PSA Presentation
6:25- Teacher Introduction
6:30-7:30 - Middle School
Teacher Presentation and
Expectations.

ST. ANNE PSA INFO BOARD

Upcoming Events

- SEPT. 15 6PM- PSA MEETING
1ST FLOOR CONVENT
- SEPT. 16-19 - BOOK FAIR
- SEPT. 19 - GRANDPARENT
MASS AND BREAKFAST

Stay Connected

**Sign up to receive email
updates**

<https://forms.gle/xoJd7hT8HUz1q9BfA>



GET INVOLVED

- JOIN US FOR OUR MEETING
- VOLUNTEER AT THE BOOK
FAIR- INFO COMING SOON
- CONTRIBUTE TO THE
GRANDPARENT BREAKFAST



Contact us

st.annes.bethlehem.psa@gmail.com



St. Anne School PSA

presents

Wawa Hoagie Fundraiser

Coupons are \$5 each

Each coupon purchased redeemable

For 1 Wawa Shorti



Name	Homeroom	# of coupons	Total \$

Quantities are limited. Please send orders to Parker Bednar Room 502.

Cash or Check made payable to: St. Anne School

****Wawa discontinued this fundraiser at the end of 2024. All coupons purchased must be redeemed by the end of 2025****

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

SEPTEMBER 19TH

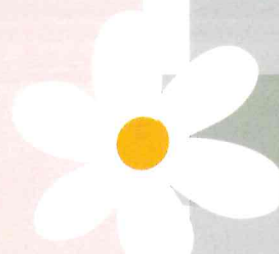
*We're thrilled to honor and celebrate the love, wisdom,
and support that grandparents bring to our families!*

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

**ENJOY LIGHT REFRESHMENTS IN THE COMPANY OF YOUR
GRANDCHILDREN IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING IN THE
COMMUNITY CENTER. BOOK FAIR WILL BE OPEN TO SHOP.**

Grandparent Only Event

**RSVP BY 9/12
LATE FORMS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED
PLEASE DIRECT QUESTIONS TO
ST.ANNES.BETHLEHEM.PSA@GMAIL.COM**



GRANDPARENTS' BREAKFAST ●

STUDENT NAME(S): _____

NUMBER OF GRANDPARENTS ATTENDING: _____

join the fun in SCOUTS

The Cub Scout program's outdoor adventures offer children the chance to explore a world that extends beyond their daily routines. Cub Scouts provides opportunities for all kids to try new experiences, build self-confidence, serve

others, forge new friendships, and, above all, have FUN!

Join us today and discover a way to Scout every day!

➤ **PINEWOOD DERBY RACES**

➤ **CRAFTS & COOKING**

➤ **FISHING DERBIES**

➤ **CUBMOBILE CHALLENGES**

➤ **CAMPING**

➤ **& SO MUCH FUN!**



Scan the QR Code to learn
more about Scouting!

Pack 306
Boys and Girls K-5
Meetings held every Friday
7:00 PM St. Annes Church Rectory
Contact Kathy for more info
j.ktobar3@gmail.com

Pack 359
Boys and Girls K-5
Meetings held alternating Sundays
6:00 PM at Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Contact Jim for more info
jamesmorin42@hotmail.com

