

St. Benedict the Moor Catholic School

Mission Statement

The mission of St. Benedict the Moor Catholic School is to provide a safe, nurturing, and spiritual environment while instilling academic excellence and Christian values.



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Donuts for Dad

One father figure per family is cordially invited to the Thursday, November 7th school event **“Donuts for Dad.”** Starting at **8:00 AM** and ending at **9:00 AM** father roles will join his student family for refreshing donuts and refreshments. The school’s family advocacy is sponsoring the event.

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THANK YOU ! On November 11th Happy Veterans Day and a big thank you to all !

Make-Up Picture Day

For students/staff members there will be a make-up picture day on Monday, November 11, 2024.



Donation to House of Bread

Students donated \$123.00 to the House of Bread. Funds from “out-of-uniform days” were used in order to help the organization. Holding the check, student council president Akins Redd presented the check to Melodie Bennett, director of House of Bread. Mrs. Sherman and Mrs. Akpore accompanied Akins. **Thank you students for your support!**

Eastern Stars Equity Chapter #102

In mid October the Dayton Chapter of Eastern Stars Equity Chapter #102 donated a check for \$300 that would help furnish school supplies. Previous years the Eastern Stars have generously donated hats, gloves, socks, and underwear to our students. Thank you Eastern Stars for your dedication to St. Benedict the Moor Catholic School.



Acting Principal Day accepts check from Cheryl Coakly-Benn of Eastern Stars



Are you aware of the free dinners and childcare activities from Leaders for Equality & Action in Dayton? Every other Tuesday at St. Benedict the Moor School the LEAD organization unites families together. The meeting times are 6:00 - 7:30 PM that include dinner, childcare, child activities that include homework help, and prizes. For more information please contact Destiny Brown, the community organizer, at 937-240-2898 [cell phone], 937-877-5651 [office phone], or email amotherslovecommunity@gmail.com



Thanksgiving break will be from November 25 - 29th

Contact: Jackie Layne at jlayne@stbenedictdayton.org for articles to be submitted to "The Rising Star Newsletter" or call 937-268-6391 extension 2013

School Website

<https://stbenedictthemoorcatholicschool.org>

Muse Machine Production

Starring Kindergarten, First, Second, and Sixth Graders



Beth Wright, manager of Muse Machine preschool & elementary program rehearsed throughout the month of October with kindergartners, first, second and sixth graders. She choreographed the following presentations: “Bringing the Rain to Keep It Plain” (retell story and water cycle) by Kindergarten, “Parts of a Story” (The Leaf Thief) by grade 1, “Poetry, Life Doesn’t Frighten Me” (poem by Maya Angelou) by grade 6, and “The Water Cycle” by grade 2. It was a fantastic performance Muse Machine.

Have a Safe and Blessed Thanksgiving holiday!

Perfect Attendance

Students attending all 45 school days during the First Quarter August 15-October 18, 2024

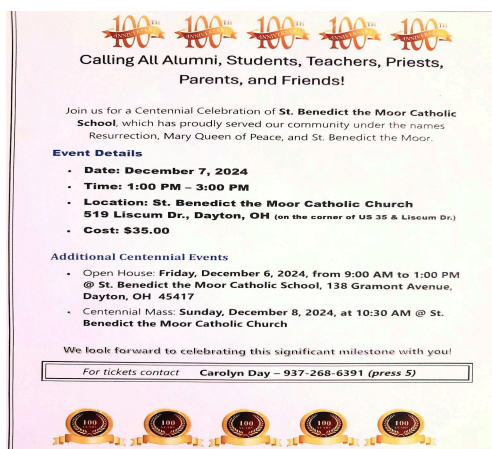
Journey Burks-K	Benoit Karenzi-Grade 5	Cruz Bernadino-6
Divine Leyah-K	Jovonie McClendon-5	Earl Edwards-7
Princess Ndayisanga -K	Micaiah McDougale-5	Fairra Benson Rutledge-7
Ketia Garubanda-Grade 1	Malachi Mills-7	
Diana Uwineza-Grade 1	Sydney Rockhold-Layne-7	
Mikeal Harris-Grade 2	Jovan Theophile-K	
Bridget Mercy-Grade 2	Camryn Johnson-2	
Eric Nzarora-Grade 4	Rereloluwa Iselaiye-1	
Jashawn Edwards-5	Oreofeoluwa Iselaiye-5	

Congratulations to you and thanks to your parents/guardians for being punctual.

Honor Roll Quarter 1

Principal Honors : Kira Akpore-2 ...Samantha Borrego-Mejias-2...My'Air Fountaine-2...
Gabriel Mukiza-2...Umimana Yezu-2...Francine Prayer-4

Honor Roll: Zaire Cole-1...Susan Niyonsaba-1...King Rhodes-1...Rhylien Reese-1...
Abdiel Medina-1...Michael Manishimwe-1...Maurelle Yates-1...Jemiah Daugherty-2...
Ednel Jerome-2 ... Camryn Johnson-2...Bridget Mercy-2...Justin Favors-3...
Anaweza Florence-3...Dakari Rose-3 Payton Chappel-4...David Hernandez-4...
Edson Imani-4...De'Miya Sanders-4...Eric Nzarora-4... Sifa Aber-5...
Promese Elivaida-5...Attegeka Iratuzi-5...Oreofeoluwa Iselaiye-5... Benoit Karenzi-5...
Kevin Sanchez Gaistardo-5...Pauline Akuzwe-6...Dy'Eirre Parks-6...
Sydney Rockhold Layne-7...Scovia Umutoni-8



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Calling All Alumni, Students, Teachers, Priests, Parents, and Friends!

Join us for a Centennial Celebration of **St. Benedict the Moor Catholic School**, which has proudly served our community under the names Resurrection, Mary Queen of Peace, and St. Benedict the Moor.

Event Details

- **Date:** December 7, 2024
- **Time:** 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
- **Location:** St. Benedict the Moor Catholic Church
519 Liscum Dr., Dayton, OH (on the corner of US 35 & Liscum Dr.)
- **Cost:** \$35.00

Additional Centennial Events

- Open House: Friday, December 6, 2024, from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM @ St. Benedict the Moor Catholic School, 138 Gramont Avenue, Dayton, OH 45417
- Centennial Mass: Sunday, December 8, 2024, at 10:30 AM @ St. Benedict the Moor Catholic Church

We look forward to celebrating this significant milestone with you!

For tickets contact **Carolyn Day – 937-268-6391 (press 5)**



Upcoming Events

- ★ Donuts for Dads November 7
- ★ Picture Retake Day -November 11
- ★ Thanksgiving/Fall Break Nov 25-Nov.29
- ★ Centennial Celebration -Dec.6-8 Call school 937-268-6391 for Saturday lunch event with past Resurrection/Mary Queen of Peace/St. Benedict the Moor
- ★ St. Nick Day-December 6
- ★ Christmas on Campus-grades 1 and 2 at U.D. campus at 4:30 PM on December 6
- ★ December 16 Giving Angels pick-up
- ★ December 18 Christmas program