



**St. Luke**  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL  
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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Soon your child will be completing one of the most important milestones of his or her life – the first day of school! I am looking forward to working with you and your child this year and helping the children achieve their full potential. Our days and weeks will be filled with many wonderful experiences and opportunities to learn and grow. We are so excited you will be part of our school family this year!

### **PRE-K OPEN HOUSE/ORIENTATION/BACK TO SCHOOL MASS**

A **mandatory Open House/Orientation** is scheduled for you and your Pre-K4 child on Friday, August 11<sup>th</sup>. Immediately following the Open House there will be a **New Families Gathering at 6:30 pm**.

**The Open House/Orientation will be on Friday, August 11<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 to 6:30 pm** in your child's Pre-K4 classroom. You will have the opportunity to meet and talk to the teachers, see the classroom environment, have your questions answered, and meet other children and their parents. The Open House helps the transition from home to school to be more comfortable for your child. The VPK Attendance and Tardy Policy will be discussed along with other important information.

### **PRE-K SHIRTS:**

After the Open House, the Pre-K uniform T-shirts will be sold. The shirts come in red, yellow, blue, orange, and green. Your child will need one of each color as they are part of our learning activities. The price for each shirt is \$5.00. Please be prepared to purchase one full set of shirts. (\$25.00) Please make checks payable to St. Luke Catholic School or have exact change. Thank you.

The **Pre-K shirts will also be sold during the Used Uniform Sales** on these days:

1. **Tuesday, August 1<sup>st</sup>: 11am to 3pm**
2. **Wednesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>: 12 to 4pm**
3. **Thursday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>: 9am to 1pm**

\* **PRE-K students do not wear the P. E. shirt.**

\* **Extra sets of shirts are available after the first week of school.**

### **BACK TO SCHOOL MASS/MEET THE TEACHER:**

On **Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, there will be a Back to School Mass at 11 AM**. There will be a **Meet the Teacher time immediately following in the classrooms**. You are welcome to stop in the classroom again to drop off any items you may have for us, meet us if you were not able to attend on Friday evening, or just get one last look at the classroom.

The schedule for the first week of school is as follows: \*All students come every day.

Monday, August 14 <sup>th</sup>	7:50-12:00	<b>Early dismissal, no lunch</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Extended Day available 12-6PM</b></li> <li>• Pack a lunch and drink if your child is going to Extended Day on 8/14/17.</li> <li>• Fill out Extended Day registration paperwork at Open House on 8/11/17.</li> </ul>
Tuesday, August 15 <sup>th</sup>	7:50-3:10	(full day) send lunch
Wednesday, August 16 <sup>th</sup>	7:50-3:10	(full day) send lunch
Thursday, August 17 <sup>th</sup>	7:50-3:10	(full day) send lunch
Friday, August 18 <sup>th</sup>	7:50-3:10	(full day) send lunch

### SCHOOL SUPPLIES

All school supplies will be provided. However, your child will need a lunch box and ice pack (no coolers), and a backpack without wheels and large enough to hold a lunch box, school work and daily communication binder (these binders will be provided), and a **small blanket** for rest.

**Blanket** must be a **small children's throw blanket 46" x 60" or smaller.** **Make sure it is not too bulky.** It must fit inside the cubby along with your child's extra set of clothing. **Blanket comes to school on Monday and is sent home on Fridays to be laundered.**

### Pre-K Uniform

It is the responsibility of parents to send your child to school in the proper school uniform. Attire must be purchased through Harris Uniforms, with the exception of the uniform T-shirts. Uniform T-shirts will be available immediately following the Open House on August 11<sup>th</sup> and during the used uniform sales.

For boys and girls:

- **Shorts/Pants:** navy blue or khaki (**elastic waist/no belt**)
- Girls may wear the uniform plaid shorts. These are only available through the St. Luke Used Uniforms and not available through Harris Uniform Company.

Harris Uniforms: 561-881-8689  
4152 Blue Heron Blvd. W. , Suite 118  
Riviera Beach, FL 33404

- **T-shirts (set of 5 colors)** to be purchased on August 11<sup>th</sup> and also during the used uniform sales on August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- **Shoes: MUST BE VELCRO, NO LACES, NO LIGHT UP! No tie shoes may be worn to Pre-K.**

SNEAKERS/TENNIS SHOES	LEATHER SHOES
White, black, gray, or navy	Black, brown, or navy

- Socks: White, navy, or black socks only and socks must be visible above the shoe line.
- **COLD WEATHER ATTIRE:**
  1. No hooded sweatshirts permitted.
  2. Fleece jackets with SLCS logo ONLY may be worn over the uniform.
- **PLEASE REFER TO FAMILY HANDBOOK** on our website for complete uniform policy and personal appearance and hairstyle guidelines.

I believe that a good parent-teacher relationship is necessary for maximum school success. Throughout the year I will communicate with you through notes, telephone calls, report cards, and parent-teacher conferences. I encourage you to contact me if you have any questions or concerns at any time by email: [nancy.fulk@stlukeparish.com](mailto:nancy.fulk@stlukeparish.com).

I am looking forward to a wonderful year with you and your child!

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Nancy Fulk