# FATHER MICHAEL TROY



# WEEKLY PARENT MESSAGE

# Special Edition 2025: Getting Ready for Grade 8 and 9

We're thrilled to welcome both new and returning Grade 8 and Grade 9 students to another exciting year of learning, growth, and community at Father Michael Troy. This special edition newsletter is designed to help your family prepare for the upcoming school year. Inside, you'll find important dates, updated policies, and key information to ensure a smooth and successful start. As Father Michael Troy says:

"The best is never over; the best is yet to be. Let the good times roll."

### Key September 2025 Dates

• September 2 – Grade 8 Only, 8:40 AM – 10:10 AM Registration and school photos Students will meet with their homeroom teachers, and be assigned lockers and locks

- September 2 Grade 9 Only, 11:00 AM 1:00 PM Registration and school photos Students will meet with their homeroom teachers, and be assigned lockers and locks
- September 4 (Thursday), Day 1A All students return
- *September 8–12* Parent Contact Week – Expect an introductory email from your child's teacher
- September 10 Grade 8–9 Retreat Day (MAX Cost: \$55.00)
- September 18 Opening Mass at Corpus Christi Church Meet the Staff BBQ from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM



## **Lockers and Locks**

• All students will be assigned a school-issued three-digit combination lock. Lockers must be always locked. Students are responsible for personal belongings, including electronics.

### ETS Arc Cards

Available in the school office for \$60.00 - Replacement cards cost \$6.00

# TRYTON TRIBUNAL



### **Mobile Phone Policy**

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"Door to Door" Policy: Phones must be powered off and stored in lockers from arrival until dismissal.

### Athletic Clause (New)

To remain in good standing on a school team, student-athletes must:

- Stay current with schoolwork and show consistent effort
- Show respect to teachers, coaches, teammates, opponents, and officials

#### **Backpack Policy (New)**

Backpacks are not allowed in classrooms.

Students may access lockers: Before school, during locker break, at lunch

#### <u>PowerSchool – Stay Informed</u>

PowerSchool is an essential tool for families. Teachers update marks regularly, and it's important for parents to log in and monitor student progress.

#### School Supply List

Click to access the 2025–2026 School Supply List.

# <u>School Bell Times</u>

Click to view the 2025–2026 Bell Times.

### <u>Tryton Tribunal – Weekly Parent Communication</u>

The Tryton Tribunal is an important communication tool for families. It will be emailed and texted to parents every Friday afternoon and includes updates, reminders, and school news. <u>Click here.</u>

### <u>Stay Connected – Check the School Calendar</u>

Parents are encouraged to check our School Calendar regularly for updates on activities, game days, and important events throughout the year. <u>Click here.</u>