

**WHAT TO BRING:**  
**ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC SCHOOL**  
**8TH GRADE RETREAT**  
**Mount St. Francis Retreat Center, IN**

1. We are really glad you have chosen to be a part of the 8th grade retreat. Please come with an open mind and an open heart.

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*Housing is similar to a dorm room with bunk beds. Showers and bathrooms are down the hall.*

- Towels, linens, a pillow and sleeping bag.
- Pack clothing for two days and one night. Casual clothes, jeans etc.
- Bring your own shampoo, toothpaste and other toiletries
- Snacks to share (Homemade cookies/brownies are best!)
- A watch (**you will not be able to use** use your cell phone clock)

**WHAT NOT TO BRING:**

- Anything of value (portable radio/CD players, iPods, computer games) not recommended
  - **NO CELL PHONES. PLEASE LEAVE THEM AT HOME!**
  - Schoolwork. There won't be time for it. You will be given the opportunity to go to your locker and gather books for the weekend when we return.
2. You will be missing one day of classes-plan ahead with your teachers as to how you will make up missed notes, assignments and tests.
  3. This 8th grade retreat is considered an official school function and all of the usual school rules apply. All rules in the student handbook and the Code of Conduct will be enforced.
  4. THIS IS A RELIGIOUS RETREAT, so be prepared to talk about faith issues etc. We encourage you to join in and get involved in sharing the whole experience together.
  5. We will return to school by 3 p.m. on Thursday, December 1<sup>st</sup> and you will need to be picked up at that time.
  6. *In case of emergency*, you can contact Jonna O'Bryan at 812 449-6560 and the phone number at Mount St. Francis retreat center is **923-8817** (not long distance).