

St. Mary's School Scrip Program

What is Scrip? Scrip is a program where business help non-profit organizations through the selling of gift certificates to their stores at a discount to groups, like St. Mary's School.

Why should you purchase it? First and foremost it supports St. Mary's School and the families that attend the school.

How does St. Mary's make money? The school sells scrip (gift certificates/cards) at face value, while the school purchases it at a discount price (a percentage off as noted on the registration form). That difference in price is profit to the school.

Is it costing me any money? The beauty of this program is for every scrip dollar you purchase, you get a dollar's worth at your chosen business. You buy a \$100 gift card with cash or check, you get \$100 gift card.

What can I use scrip for? You can use scrip for grocery shopping, clothing, school supplies, books, going out to eat, door prizes and gifts for such occasions as Christmas, Mother's Day, Father's Day, Graduation, showers and weddings. Don't forget to purchase scrip for your college student's gas and food! Scrip also makes a great gift for teachers and coaches! Who doesn't love to get gift cards?

How do I get scrip? You can purchase it after Mass at St. Mary's or St. Augustine. You can also stop by the school office from 9:00 AM to 3:00PM.

How to place an order for scrip:

1. Look at the order form to see what store or business you would normally shop at.
2. Complete the order form, filling in your name, date, phone number and circling the dollar amount of gift card you want to purchase and write the number of cards wanted from that store.

Example: Menards \$25 x 2 = \$50
Nelsons \$25 x 1 \$100 X 1 = \$125

3. At the bottom Add up the total and attach payment to the order form. You may pay with Cash, Check made payable to St. Mary's Scrip or by using Chamber Bucks. *Also located on the bottom of the form there is a section to write the Family Name whose children attend St. Marys School to receive credit for your Scrip purchase.*
4. If the ON-HAND gift cards are available at Mass, you will go home with them. If the gift card is not available ON-HAND, the form and payment will be returned to St. Mary's Parish office to be filled and will be brought back the following Sunday for you to pick up after Mass.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the School or Parish Secretaries or talk to one of the volunteers after Mass each Sunday.

Thank you for your support!!