

## 2019-2020 SERVICE PROJECT CALENDAR

### SEPTEMBER

Focus: No Plastic Pledge (Protect the Oceans)

**#SMICares \$1 Dress Down Day: September 20**

*Marine Conservation Institute*

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.*

### OCTOBER

Focus: Diaper Drive for Newborns

**#SMICares \$1 Dress Down Day: October 18**

*Alpha Pregnancy Center*

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: For the health and protection of babies and the unborn.*

### NOVEMBER

Focus: Humanitarian Efforts

**#SMICares \$1 Dress Down Day: November 15**

*Aid to the Church in Need*

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: For help and healing of those in need around the world.*

### DECEMBER

Focus: Giving Tree (items for children)

**#SMICares \$1 Dress Down Day: December 13**

*Quest for Grace*

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: For children in our community and around the world to experience love and joy at Christmastime.*

### JANUARY

Focus: Pick Your Project

**#SMICares \$1 Dress Down Day: January 17**

*Classroom Charity of Choice*

**National Day of Service: January 27** (Classrooms pick their own project to do this day)

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: pray for your selected cause.*

### FEBRUARY

Focus: Jump Rope for Heart

**#SMICares \$1 Dress Down Day: February 13**

*American Heart Association*

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: For healing of those impacted by heart conditions.*

### MARCH

Focus: Feed the Homeless

**#SMICares \$1 Dress Down Day: March 13**

*Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless*

*School-wide Meal Preparation Day: TBA*

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: For our homeless brothers and sisters, that they find safe housing and resources.*

### APRIL

Focus: Earth Day Clean Up

**#SMICares \$1 Dress Down Day: April 22**

*Auriesville Shrine*

**Clean Up Day: April 22 @ Auriesville Shrine** (some grades who are not testing will take a field trip to the Shrine for a Clean Up Day)

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: For the protection of our home— the Earth.*

### MAY

Focus: Cancer Survivors

*Classrooms will be asked to collect Pennies for Patients to help the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society*

**Survivor Day at St. Mary's Hospital: TBA**

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: For those impacted by cancer and that scientists will discover a cure for cancers.*

### JUNE

Focus: Random Acts of Kindness

*Classrooms can execute their own random acts of kindness this month*

*"Pray Everyday" Intention: For a world filled with kindness.*

