

Attendance Line: 612-787-1199 option 1

Weekly Update 4 ~ September 27, 2018

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TH.SEP	27	5:30 PM K-8 Parent Information Night Tonight (Please Note Time Change)
		Wolf Ridge Paperwork due
FR.SEP	28	8:00 AM School Mass (Church)
		Middle School NET Retreat
MO.OCT	01	Out-of Uniform Passes may be used
TU.OCT	02	Marathon \$ Collection Day (Deadline to be entered in Friday drawing)
WE.OCT	03	NPH Sponsorship Day - (bring \$1 or more to wear Spirit Wear or Orange)
FR.OCT	05	8:00 AM School Mass (Church)
SA.OCT	06	ST. CHARLES SCHOOL MARATHON & Parish Fall Festival
SU.OCT	07	NPH Performances after Sunday Masses (DoranHall)
		3:00 PM Coast to Coast Rosary
MO.OCT	80	Out-of Uniform Passes may be used
TU.OCT	09	7:00 PM Parent Confirmation Meeting (St. John Education Center)
TU.OCT	09	Marathon \$ Collection Day
TH.OCT	25	6:00 PM Virtus Training Session (Doran Hall)

Dear Charger Parents,

I'm looking forward to seeing you tonight!

God bless you,

Danny Kieffer

St. Charles Principal

K- 8 Parent Information Night is TONIGHT!

- **5:30- Middle School Session in the cafeteria** (If you don't have a middle schooler, come at 6:00 PM)
- 6:00- All School Session in the cafeteria
- **6:35- K-4 Session 1 in classrooms** (if you don't have any elementary students, you are free to leave at this time)
- 7:00- K-4 Session 2 in classrooms (If you only have 1 elementary student you don't need to go to this session)

MARATHON is Saturday, October 6!

We hope to see all our students and their families next Saturday morning, Oct. 6. This is a fun day of fellowship, walking the Marathon route, and showing our support for Catholic schools. Plus, there's a FREE lunch and ice cream at the end for everyone!

Two things to note about this year:

- We will start Marathon Day with 8:00 AM Mass followed by the rosary on the front lawn. If you are unable to attend, please make sure you arrive at the school by 9:30 AM to get registered. Our 5th grade class will also have Caribou coffee available from 9 to 10 AM on Marathon Day. Grab a free cup and leave a donation to support their trip to Wolf Ridge Learning Center.
- Ready, Set, Go Students can now submit their favorite joke in the school office for the Joke Contest. The top 3 jokes will be announced on Marathon Day, and the winners will receive a prize and get to read their joke on stage!

On Marathon Day, we are also giving away two new bikes and other prizes to those who show up and get registered - so make sure to get there by 9:30 AM. Remember to wear your Spirit Wear or green & white for Charger Pride! If you're new to this annual tradition, please check out our website for more information about the event: Marathon.

Students can continue to collect Marathon donations until October 12. Prizes are drawn weekly for all students who turn in the suggested goal of \$185 or more. After the October 12 deadline, we will be drawing random names for additional Grand Prizes, such as an iPad, headphones, drones and much much more! The Top 6 Marathon contributors for 3 grade-level brackets will be the first to select their Grand Prize, but there will be 15 more randomly drawn winners as well. We will also randomly draw 6 students to win a LIMO ride and free lunch with Mr. Kieffer and Father Przybilla!

As a school we have raised a little more than \$25,000, which means our students have earned an extra Out-of-Uniform day. We still have work to do in order to reach our end goal of \$43,000. Go Chargers!

It's Not Too Late to Order Pictures

If you missed ordering pictures yesterday, Lifetouch is accepting late orders for up to 48 hours after Picture Day (September 26).

Go to https://my.lifetouch.com/mylifetouch/#/.

Enter Picture Day ID #: MI208190Y0

Enjoy a free 8x8 Shutterfly photo book when you order online.

Middle School NET Retreat Tomorrow



NET Ministries is a local group of young adults who are known for spreading the Gospel message, specializing in retreats for the young. They are a dynamic and knowledgeable group of men and women who inspire and engage the youth in prayer, discussion and reflection. Physical activities keep the students alert and animated throughout the course of the day. And they have fun!

Parish Fall Fest ~ Front Lawn from 4:00 PM - 9:00 PM, Saturday, October 6

Start the day with the Marathon and close out the day with Fall Fest!

- Live music The Elements
- Food Truck Jake's Grille City
- Beverages Stinson Wine, Beer, & Spirits
- Amazing Raffle
- Games & Prizes

8th Grade Parent Confirmation Meeting ~ 7:00 PM on Tuesday, October 9

As part of the preparation for Confirmation there will be a meeting for the parents of the eighth graders on Tuesday, October 9, 2018 at 7:00 PM in St. John Education Center. Father Przybilla, Rachel Houglum, Director of Youth and Young Adults, and Michael Hartnett, 8th Grade Religion Teacher, will explain the Confirmation Program. Please plan to attend.

Volunteer Opportunities at St. Charles

Check out all the ways you can get involved at St. Charles School: signupgenius

NEW to Volunteering at St. Charles?

If you are new to volunteering at St. Charles and would like to volunteer in the classroom, chaperone a field trip, help out at concessions, etc, please sign up for a required VIRTUS training session.

St. Charles will host one more VIRTUS Training Session this school year on Thursday, October 25,

from 6 - 9 PM. There are only 13 spots left, but other sessions are held throughout the diocese. There are other volunteer requirements, but this is the only one that cannot be completed online.

Please see the attached Registration Instructions for New Users to complete your VIRTUS training

registration and other requirement details. Only one live training session is required and will cover your requirement anywhere in this Archdiocese and in most dioceses in the United States. If you have already completed a live VIRTUS training, you will not need to attend another. All of the volunteer requirements need to be updated online every three years. Please contact Ann-Marie Magee if you have questions (amagee@stchbs.org). Advanced registration is required for the VIRTUS Training sessions at www.virtus.org. Thanks for your service to St. Charles School!

Wolf Ridge Calendars and Coffee Fundraiser

Contact a fifth grade student or the school office to purchase beautiful Wolf Ridge calendars for \$17 and delicious coffee for \$10 each. All proceeds will go toward the fifth grade trip to Wolf Ridge this November.

October is the Month of the Rosary - More Opportunities than Vikings Turnovers

Annual Archdiocesan Candlelight Rosary Procession - 7:00 PM Friday, October 5 Gather at the State Capitol at 6:30 PM (pick up a candle). The procession will begin at 7 PM and end with prayer and benediction at the Cathedral. If you are unable to walk in the procession, please feel free to go directly to the Cathedral to pray the Rosary. Candlelight Procession

Mass and Rosary to Kick Off the Marathon - 8:00 AM Saturday, October 6 New this year: Start off the Marathon with 8:00 AM Mass in the church followed by praying the Rosary on the front lawn. We can lift up all our donors and their intentions.

Coast to Coast Rosary - 3:00 PM Sunday, October 7

Join people across the country at 3:00 PM on October 7 to pray the rosary for our country and world. St. Charles Borromeo Church is a host site for this event. Gather in front of church at 3:00 PM. For more information go to CoasttoCoastRosary. People all across the country will be praying the rosary at the same time for our nation. If you can't make it to a host site, you can pray from your home or car or wherever you are!

Living Rosary - 7:00 PM Tuesday, October 9

All are invited to pray a Living Rosary in Doran Hall on Tuesday, October 9, at 7:00 PM. A living rosary is a rosary prayed together, where the people present make up the beads of the rosary. Each person will lead one of the prayers that represent the bead where they are sitting. (Copies of the prayers are at each seat.) Following the rosary, Barb Ernster will be talking on Fatima. Families are welcome!

Prayer Corner ~

If you would like to add someone to our prayer corner, please email the information to Danny Kieffer at dkieffer@stchbs.org

- ❖ For healing for Jim Montury, father of staff member Angela, grandfather of former students, Nicole ('10), Abby ('13) & Natalie ('18), great grandfather of Leo A.
- For healing for diabetic complications for Don Krieger, grandfather of student, Jake K.
- For the repose of the soul of Delores Grace Dreher, grandmother of Theresa Thompson, our preschool assistant teacher, and the comfort of her family.
- For the repose of the soul of Daryl Ulrich, grandfather of staff member Laura Bilski's husband, and for the comfort of his family.
- For all St. Charles families, new and old, that they may be strengthened by their faith and sheltered in God's loving mercy.

Additional Links

- St. Charles Website ~ www.stchbschool.org
- St. Charles Google Calendar ~ St. Charles Calendar Link
- St. Charles Lunch Calendar ~ St. Charles Lunch Calendar Link
- St. Charles Google Athletic Calendar ~ St. Charles Athletic Calendar Link
- St Charles Volunteers ~ SignUpGenius St. Charles
- St Charles Facebook ~ https://www.facebook.com/stchbs
- St. Charles Parish ~ http://www.stchb.org/

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