



# SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Attendance Line: 612-787-1199 option 1

## Weekly Update 21~ February 1, 2019

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- SU . FEB 03 Blessing of Throats and Social Sunday (Church and Doran Hall)
- MO . FEB 04 Out-of-Uniform Pass Day
- TU . FEB 05 **Super Hero or Sports Fan Day**
- WE . FEB 06 **NPH Sponsorship Donation & Spirit Wear Day**
- FR . FEB 08 8:00 AM All-School Mass (Church)  
2:00 PM Human Bowling (Gym)  
Middle School Open Gym and Dance
- SA . FEB 09 Liz Hickman Athletic Day
- MO . FEB 11 Out-of-Uniform Pass Day  
**5:30 PM Middle School Open House**  
SCRIP Orders Due
- TU . FEB 12 Middle School Field Trip  
7:00 PM Home and School Meeting (104)  
7:00 PM Rosary, 7:30 PM Womens Council, 8:00 Speaker (Doran Hall)

Dear St. Charles Parents,

We are starting to reschedule some of our Catholic Schools Week events. Next Tuesday, February 5, the students may come out of uniform if they dress in super hero or sports fan attire. On Friday, February 8, we will have our Human Bowling in the gym. (It will be a regular uniform day, but the girls may bring sweatpants for bowling.) We will be in touch about rescheduling the rest of Catholic Schools Week events. Watch for email updates.

Have a warm weekend.

God bless you,

Danny Kieffer  
St. Charles Principal

### Kids Heart Challenge ~ February 4- February 8

Kids Heart Challenge, formerly known as Jump Rope for Heart, is coming. Check out this link to see how to register: [Kids Heart Challenge](#). Contact Mr. Carpenter with questions at [tcarpenter@stchbs.org](mailto:tcarpenter@stchbs.org).

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### NEW: Middle School Open Gym and Dance ~ Friday, February 8

On Friday, February 8, the St. Charles **Charged to Serve** team is hosting an evening of fun, food, and dance for all students in grades 5-8. Grades 5 & 6 may attend from 5:00-7:30 and grades 7 & 8 may attend from 6:30 - 9:00. The fee for this event is \$5. Permission forms are due in the school office by Wednesday, February 6. See the attachment for permission form and more details.

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### **NEW: 14th Annual Liz Hickman Athletic Day ~ Saturday, February 9**

While she was a student at St. Charles, Liz Hickman battled brain cancer for many years. She inspired countless souls during those years by the grace and courage with which she faced her cancer. The first Liz Hickman Day was held in February 2005, three months after her passing. Since that time, \$59,035 has been raised for Make-A-Wish of MN and the St. Charles Gary Wilmer Scholarship Fund. Please join us on Saturday, February 9, for a day of basketball, food, and fundraising. All of the six St. Charles teams plus the intramural teams will play during the day. The day begins at 9:00 and ends after the 5:00 game. Admission for the last 2 games of the day is \$3.00 for adults and \$1.00 for students. See the [Athletic Calendar](#) for February 9 for the schedule of the day.

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### **NEW: Annual Children's Concert ~ Sunday, February 10**

The St. Paul Civic Symphony, that Mrs. Seashore is a member of, is hosting its annual Children's Concert with activities starting at 2:00 PM, and the concert at 3:00 PM. A fun afternoon for all. Find details at: <https://spcsmusic.org/season-2018-2019-annual-childrens-concert/>

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### **2018 Education Tax Information**

Click here for the 2018 [K-12 Education Subtraction and Credit Form](#).

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### **2019-20 School Enrollment is Open to the Public**

Admissions for the 2019-20 school year are open to the public. Please let your family, friends and neighbors know. All applications are completed online at this site: [Admissions](#)

Find tuition information here: [2019-20 Tuition](#).

There is a non refundable tuition deposit of \$50 per child with a cap of \$100 per family required for enrollment. Please note that this is a deposit that will go toward 2019-20 tuition, and not a fee. If you wait until after February 28 to complete enrollment (including submitting required paperwork), an additional fee of \$25 per child will be added but not applied toward tuition. This fee will increase to \$50 per child on April 1.

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### **Scholarship Opportunities**

The Aim Higher Foundation provides two types of scholarships for students to attend a Catholic school in the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. The application period for scholarships for the 2019-20 academic year closes **February 17, 2019**. We aim to award the scholarships and notify families and schools in early March. For more details see the attached flyer.

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Do you know a family who may be interested in learning about St. Charles School?

For information and a tour, simply have them contact Danny Kieffer at 612-781-2643 or sign up on our website: [Tour & Information Request Link](#)

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## PARISH OPPORTUNITIES

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### **NEW: Calling All Women: Fearless Courage**

Join us for wine and chocolate on Tuesday, February 12, at the next Women's Council Meeting. Our speaker is Jessica Balzarini, the Director of Discipleship and Mission at St. John the Baptist in New Brighton. She will be speaking on Fearless Courage: How the Blessed Mother Shows Us Who We Are as Women and How She Draws Us Closer to Her Son. Rosary will begin at 7:00 PM in the atrium, business meeting at 7:30 in Doran Hall and speaker at 8:00 PM. (You can even attend the Home and School Meeting at 7:00 and join us afterwards for the speaker!)

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### **SAVE THE DATE: PICK YOUR TEAMS! Dodgeball Tournament - Saturday, March 2**

The St. Charles Women's Council is hosting its second annual Dodgeball Tournament on Saturday, March 2, 2019 in the St. Charles School Gym. More information regarding how to sign up coming soon!

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### **NEW: Save the date for Extreme Faith Camp!**

All current 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade students are invited Monday, June 24 - Friday, June 28 to Extreme Faith Camp! EFC is a great week centered on faith, fun, and friendship. More information and registration will be coming soon. For questions in the meantime, please email St. Charles' Youth Director Rachel Houglum at [rhoulum@stchb.org](mailto:rhoulum@stchb.org).

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### **NEW: Save the date for Totus Tuus! July 7- 12**

Details to come.

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### **Prayer Corner ~**

If you would like to add someone to our prayer corner, please email the information to Danny Kieffer at [dkieffer@stchbs.org](mailto:dkieffer@stchbs.org)

- ❖ For Henry R.'s grandmother, for a full recovery from heart surgery.
  - ❖ For the repose of the soul of Lucille Jones, mother of staff member Mark, and for the comfort of her family.
  - ❖ In thanksgiving for Jackie P.'s full recovery, (extended family of staff member Amy K.)
  - ❖ For prayers for staff member Mary Kate Calhoun's mother, Kathleen Marin.
  - ❖ For healing for Jim Montury, father of staff member Angela, grandfather of former students, Nicole ('10), Abby ('13) & Natalie ('18), great grandfather of student, Leo A.
  - ❖ For healing for diabetic complications for Don Krieger, grandfather of student, Jake K.
  - ❖ For all St. Charles families, new and old, that they may be strengthened by their faith and sheltered in God's loving mercy.
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### **Additional Links**

St. Charles Website ~ [www.stchbschool.org](http://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/>

[St. Anthony Boosters Baseball](#)

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**★Weekly Update article deadline: Wednesday 9:00 AM - Send submissions to  
mwappes@stchbs.org.★**

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