



SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Attendance Line: 612-787-1199 option 1

Weekly Update 24~ February 21, 2019

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TH . FEB 21	6:30 PM Catholic Watchmen (Doran Hall)
FR . FEB 22	8:00 AM All-School Mass (offered for Fr. LaFontaine) End of Trimester 2 7:00 PM Parent's Night Out (The Exchange Food & Drink)
SU . FEB 24	Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast after Masses
MO . FEB 25	Beginning of Trimester 3 Out-of-Uniform Pass Day
TU . FEB 26	Dress in Class Color Day
WE . FEB 27	6:15 PM Family Prayer Night (Church)
FR . MAR 01	8:00 AM All School Mass Report Cards Sent Home
SA . MAR 02	1:00 PM Family Dodgeball Tournament (Gym)
SU . MAR 03	2:30 PM Lucky Charm Father/Daughter, Mother/Son Dance (Cafeteria)
MO . MAR 05	Out-of-Uniform Pass Day SCRIP Orders Due
TU . MAR 05	3:30 PM Conferences
WE . MAR 06	8:00 AM Ash Wednesday All School Mass
TH . MAR 07	3:30 PM Conferences

Dear Parents,

We are still taking registrations for the Dodgeball Tournament (March 2) and still selling tickets for the Lucky Charm Pre-K to 4th Grade Mother/Son, Father/Daughter Dance (March 3)! Please see how to register or buy tickets (hopefully both) below.

This Friday is the last day of trimester number two. Report cards will go home with students on March 1. We look forward to seeing you at conferences on March 5 and 7. The sign-up link for conferences will go out tomorrow via email; please watch for it.

The closures due to weather have been abundant as has been the graciousness of our parents in understanding. I know that the St. Anthony District is adding two days to their calendar. St. Charles is not planning to add these days. I'm going to send out a communication explaining what led to our decision. I have spoken to School Advisory. I just want to double check a couple things before I officially open my mouth.

Spring is on the way, not this weekend, but it is on the way!
God bless you,

Danny Kieffer
St. Charles "Knee Deep" Principal

Tomorrow: Parent's Night Out! ~ Friday, February 22

We had so much fun last time - let's do it again! Mark your calendars and book your babysitter for Parent's Night Out - Friday, February 22 - 7 PM til close at The Exchange Food and Drink in New Brighton (cash bar). We will be in the party room. Come eat, drink, and be merry! We want to mix it up in the future so bring your ideas for our next [Parent's Night Out!](#)

Turn in Those Box Tops Tomorrow

Please send your box tops to school with your student. Box tops are due Friday, February 22. Thank you!!

NEW: Conferences Coming Up ~ March 5 and March 7

Mark your calendar and watch your email for more information on how to sign up.

Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteers are needed to sell tickets for the upcoming Lucky Charm Dance after Mass. The Lucky Charm Dance is a Father/daughter Mother/son event for Preschool through 4th grade students put on by our Middle School Charge to Serve team. Volunteers are needed for the following shifts. This would be a great opportunity for your 7th and 8th graders to earn service hours!

- Saturday, February 23 - 5:45-6:30 pm
- Sunday, February 24 - 8:45-9:30 am
- Sunday, February 24 - 10:45-11:30 am

You can sign up for a shift here - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0449afad29abfb6-stcharles>

Lucky Charm Father/Daughter, Mother/Son Dance ~ Sunday, March 3

What: First Annual Father/Daughter Mother/Son dance

Who: All **Pre-K to 4th grade students and their parents** are invited

When: March 3 from 2:30 PM to 4:30 PM

Price: \$10 per adult ticket (students are free)

Where: In our school cafeteria

Why: To create memories and to pay for Charger (the dog)!

Hosted By: Charge to Serve

- Semi-Formal (amateur photographer at event)
 - **Purchase tickets by Thursday, February 28 - see the attached ticket form**
 - Desserts and beverages will be sold at the event
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Order your 2018-19 Yearbook~ Now through March 29

Yearbooks may be ordered now through Friday, March 29. **This is the only time to reserve a copy of our 2018-19 yearbook.** All yearbooks need to be pre-ordered online. The price is \$20. The yearbook covers preschool through 8th grade. Stop by the office if you would like to see a copy of last year's school yearbook. To order your yearbook go to: <https://ybpay.lifetouch.com> and use School ID code: **1260919** (Please note corrected ID code!) Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express accepted. For more information: [2018-2019 School Yearbook](#)

2018 Education Tax Information

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

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.

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](#)

PARISH OPPORTUNITIES

TONIGHT: St. Charles Man Night ~ 6:30 PM

All men invited! It's an event to attend, not a group to join - just show up to reap the benefits of a weeknight "mini-retreat." You're guaranteed to return home refreshed, connected, rejuvenated, and better prepared to serve God, your family, and the wider community. Grab a buddy and come join us!

St. Charles Catholic Watchmen Nights are held on the 3rd Thursday of each month in Doran Hall. Each event features social time with local craft brews, a fine "manly" meal, brief presentation followed by group discussion, and ending with quiet adoration and confession opportunity. A free-will offering is requested to cover food costs. No reservation, long-term commitment, or experience is required - just show up and enjoy the fabulous food, faith, and fellowship!

NEW: Family Prayer Night ~ Wednesday, February 27 at 6:15 PM

Our third Family Prayer Night will be on Wednesday, February 27, beginning at 6:15 pm in the Church. Our topic will be on the Divine Mercy Chaplet. **All families, especially children, are invited** to join us for a brief teaching followed by the recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

DODGEBALL Tournament ~ Saturday, March 2

The St. Charles Women's Council is sponsoring a Dodgeball Tournament on Saturday, March 2 from 1:00 - 4:00 PM in the St. Charles School gym. This year's tournament is open to family teams, and there is a \$10 entrance fee per team. The tournament is limited to the first 12 teams registered so sign up NOW!! Follow the link for tournament details and to complete registration. [Dodgeball Registration](#)
There will be prizes: a 2 hour open gym time and a pizza gift card!

Save the date for Extreme Faith Camp!

All current 6th-8th 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.

Save the date for Totus Tuus! July 7- 12

Details to come.

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 peace and for healing of cancer for Adelai and Brady's Uncle Alan.
 - ❖ For complete healing for Jim, a 37 year-old friend of Adelai and Brady's family, who is recovering from a stroke.
 - ❖ Brady Swenson is a middle school student at Sacred Heart in Robbinsdale. On the way to school, he and his father were hit by a drunk driver. Brady had surgery this week. He could use support from all our prayer warriors.
 - ❖ Mrs. Noll's grandfather, Jim Warner, who is hospitalized and recovering from multiple strokes.
 - ❖ For Henry R.'s grandmother, for a full recovery from heart surgery.
 - ❖ 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
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](#)

[St. Anthony Boosters Softball](#)

[St. Thomas Academy STEM Event](#)

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mwappes@stchbs.org.★