



SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Attendance Line: 612-787-1199 option 1

Weekly Update 5 ~ October 3, 2019

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- FR. OCT 04** 8:00 AM School Mass (church)
7:00 PM Middle School Friday Night Live/FNL (youth room)
- SA. OCT 05** **ST. CHARLES SCHOOL MARATHON**
- MO. OCT 07** **NO** out-of uniform passes today - thank you!
7:00 PM Home & School meeting (104)
- TU. OCT 08** 2:40 PM Middle school Bible Series (youth room)
- WE. OCT 09** 2:40 PM Middle school open youth room
7:00 PM **Green** Team meeting (cafeteria)
- TH. OCT 10** **NPH \$1 Sponsorship Spirit Wear** or **Orange Day**
- FR. OCT 11** 8:00 AM School Mass (church)
NPH Visit to St. Charles
2:40 PM Middle school JPPII Society (youth room)
- SU. OCT 13** International Pilgrim Statue and Rosary Coast to Coast (church)
- MO. OCT 14** Out-of Uniform Passes may be used
3:30 - 8:00 PM Parent Teacher Conferences
- TU. OCT 15** 3:30 - 8:00 PM PM Parent Teacher Conferences
6:30 PM School Advisory Council meeting (104)
- WE. OCT 16** School NOT in session - CSCOE Summit of Excellence + MEA
- TH. OCT 17** School NOT in session - CSCOE Summit of Excellence + MEA
- FR. OCT 18** School NOT in session - CSCOE Summit of Excellence + MEA
- TH. OCT 24** **6:00 PM VIRTUS Training Session** (St. Charles Doran Hall)

Dear St. Charles Parents,

Earlier this year, I mentioned that our new (K-4) music teacher had arrived, but I never shared his name. Maybe your children have told you about Mr. Vanedrwaal, his first name is Peter. Mr. Vanderwaal is also serving as the parish music director at St. Charles Borromeo Church. Aside from being an accomplished organist/pianist, Mr. Vanderwaal has been a music teacher at River Tree School in Crystal Minnesota. He received his Bachelor's of Sacred Music from the Moody Bible Institute in Illinois and a Masters in Liturgical music from St. John's University.

Marathon day is rapidly approaching, and you'll find a detailed schedule for the day below. This event is rain or shine, so dress for the rain because we will probably be walking in it. If there is lightning we'll proceed to the gym.

Conferences are rapidly approaching, so please sign up for conferences using the link below!

God bless you,
Danny Kieffer
St. Charles Principal



MARATHON is THIS Saturday, October 5 ~ Rain or Shine

Let's pray for good weather on Saturday! We are still looking for volunteers to sit at the Spirit Wear table, please sign up if you are able.

Marathon schedule is listed below, if it is raining more than a drizzle, the contingent locations are marked in **red**.

9:00 AM	<u>Mass:</u> Celebrate Mass with Father Przybilla at St. Charles Church
9:45 AM	<u>Rosary:</u> After Mass, we will be praying the rosary on the front lawn or in the church for all the prayer intentions collected and in dedication to all those give so generously to our school during this fundraising effort.
10:15-10:30AM	<u>Registration:</u> Every student will receive 2 slips of paper at the registration table on the front lawn or in the gym to write their name on. 1 slip will go into a drawing for 1 bike and the other slip can go into a prize bucket of the students choosing. All students can participate!
10:30AM	<u>Marathon Begins:</u> Opening Prayer – (circle the route as many times as you like or stay in the gym)
11:00 AM	<u>Donuts, Snacks & Refreshments</u> available on the front lawn or in the gym. Maggie's coffee, hot cocoa and cider will be available for a donation to support our 5th graders Wolf Ridge trip.
11:45 AM	<u>Drawing</u> for bike and other prizes.

Noon	Closing Prayer
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Remember to wear your Spirit Wear or green & white for Charger Pride!

Fall conferences - October 14 and 15

Scheduling is now available. Conferences will be held **from 3:30 to 8:00 PM on Monday, October 14, and Tuesday, October 15.**

To schedule conferences, visit: http://www.ptcfast.com/schools/St_Charles_Borromeo_School
This link will bring you to the St. Charles School scheduling page. Select relevant preschool, elementary teacher(s) and/or a middle school time slot. Then register your name and contact info. This creates a registration for each conference and sends you a confirmation email with a link to choose appointment times.

- **Preschool** conferences will be scheduled in 15 minutes time slots with your child's teacher.
- **Grade K-4** conferences will be scheduled in 20 minute time slots with your child's teacher.

For Middle School conferences, you will register for one-hour slots. During your hour, you may visit any middle school teacher in any order. If the line is long for a teacher, you may choose to visit another while the line shortens. Please introduce yourself and let each teacher know your child's name when you sit down. Middle school grade level teacher lists will be provided in the cafeteria on conference nights.

If you feel like you need more time for middle school, please schedule a meeting for another day with that teacher. We will allow a maximum of 14 middle school families to sign up per hour with the understanding that there will be some overlap from hour to hour. Please arrive on time for your hour. If you reach the end of your hour and you still have not seen the teachers you'd like to see, please feel free to stay until you have spoken to the necessary teachers. If you have other children in the elementary grades, schedule their conferences before or after your hour of middle school conferences.

You may contact the school office with questions at [612-781-2643](tel:612-781-2643).

Wolf Ridge Calendars and Coffee Fundraiser

Please contact a fifth-grade student to purchase beautiful 2020 Wolf Ridge calendars featuring photography from Christian Dalbec for \$17 and bags of delicious Maggie's coffee for \$10 each. Calendars are also available for purchase in the school office. All proceeds will go towards covering the cost of the November fifth-grade trip to Wolf Ridge. Calendars and a limited amount of ground coffee will be available for purchase at the Marathon this weekend which may be purchased with cash, check, or credit card. There will be complimentary hot coffee available while supplies last. A free will donation would be greatly appreciated to help cover the expenses to Wolf Ridge.

Volunteer Opportunities at St. Charles

Check out how you can get involved at St. Charles School.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0449afad29abfb6-volunteer>

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0449afad29abfb6-concessions1>

VIRTUS Training Session at St. Charles ~ Thursday, October 24, 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

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.

This is the last opportunity to attend a VIRTUS Training session at St. Charles. There are a few spots left. If you can't attend this one, you may attend another session in the diocese. There are other volunteer requirements besides the VIRTUS session, but this is the only one that cannot be completed online.

Please see this link for [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!

Piano Lessons at St. Charles

There are a few Monday piano lesson openings. If you are interested in registering your child for private piano lessons or would like information about piano, please contact Mary Ann at makzabinski@gmail.com.

St.Charles Community Outreach

Staff Services works to acknowledge life-changing events involving our staff, students (current and past), and their families. Such events may include critical illnesses and deaths. If you have information about current or former students who have lost a loved one, or are in need of prayerful support, please contact our Staff Service Committee liaison, Mrs. Teri Wysopal at 612.787.1107 or via email at twysopal@stchbs.org

Parish Corner

Youth Ministry for Grades 5-8

Check out the exciting new opportunities for middle school students [St. Charles Youth Ministry](#)

Annual Archdiocesan Candlelight Rosary Procession - 7:00 PM Friday, October 4

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. This is a great family event - all ages can participate!

<https://www.minnesotarosaryprocessions.org/>

Baby Goods Drive for the local Life Care Center ~ now through October 13 in the atrium

Unwrapped baby donations are gladly being accepted for Abria Pregnancy Resources/North Side Life Care Center now through October 13. [Baby Goods Drive](#)

Amazing Opportunity: Our Lady of Fatima Pilgrim Statue and the Rosary Coast to Coast - Sunday, October 13

St. Charles Borromeo is honored to be hosting the world-famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima and the Rosary Coast to Coast on Sunday, October 13 – the anniversary of the miracle of the sun at Fatima.

The Fatima statue has been traveling worldwide since 1947. Hundreds of favors and graces, including cures, and countless conversions are associated with the image. <https://www.bluearmy.com/MSPTour>

Private veneration before and after the Masses

12 Noon – Solemn exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

2:30 pm – Fatima talk

3 pm – ROSARY COAST TO COAST and Consecration to the Immaculate Heart on church front steps

3:45 pm – Reception in Doran Hall

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 the repose of the soul of Isaiah, 15 year old cousin of Annabelle and Josiah, and for the comfort of all his family.
- ❖ For healing for Holden's grandmother Beverly.
- ❖ For the repose of the soul of Jim Montury, father of staff member Angela, grandfather of alumni Nicole, Abby, and Natalie, and great grandfather of Leo & Flora. And for the comfort of his family.
- ❖ For our school office staff member Sue McSherry as she continues to battle cancer.
- ❖ For Kelly K, staff member, who was recently diagnosed with cancer.
- ❖ For Susan B who was recently diagnosed with cancer - a mother of former students.
- ❖ For healing for student Torin N's grandmother Jody.
- ❖ For healing for great, great aunt of Lilly and Leo M. and Noah, Luke, and Mike S. - who has stage 4 leukemia.

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>

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