



SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Attendance Line: 612-787-1199 option 1

Weekly Update 7~ October 24, 2019

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- FR. OCT 25** 8:00 AM School Mass (Church)
Balloon Rosary (in South parking lot following Mass)
2:40 PM Middle School JPPII Society (youth room)
5:00 -7:00 PM 5th-6th Grade Open Gym (gym)
7:00 -9:00 PM 7th-8th Grade Dance (gym)
- SA. OCT 26** 6:00 PM Apple Pie Sale (Doran Hall)
- SU. OCT 27** Apple Pie Sale after Masses & Donut Sunday (Doran Hall)
- MO. OCT 28** Out-of-Uniform Passes May be Used
- TU. OCT 29** 2:40 PM Middle School Bible Series (youth room)
6:00 PM Purely You Presentation for 5th & 6th grade parents (MSC)
6:45 PM Wolf Ridge Chaperone Meeting (MSC)
- WE. OCT 30** 2:40 PM Middle School Open Youth Room (youth room)
5:00 PM Ignite Retreat for 6th - 8th graders (off campus)
- TH. OCT 31** **Wear Orange and Black!**
- FR. NOV 01** 8:00 AM School All Saints' Day Mass with 1st Grade Saint Procession (church)
8:00 AM Opening of Eucharistic Days (church)
1:45 PM Staff/Student Volleyball Game (Gym)

Dear St. Charles Parents,

As you can imagine, this week has been extremely difficult with the funeral of Sue McSherry. Our staff is grieving. I'm extremely proud of the way our staff has supported each other and our students during this process. I'm also grateful to you, our parents, for your support and understanding that we are dealing with a difficult part of life. Please join us in continued prayers for the McSherry family.

You are more than welcome to come tomorrow for 8:00 AM Mass in the church followed by the release of the balloon rosary on the playground. Next week, please join us on November 1 for the All Saints Day Mass at 8:00 AM featuring our 1st grade students processing in dressed as their favorite saints. This Mass will kick off our parish Eucharistic Days. See the church bulletin or [this link](#) for more details on this special weekend.

The teachers will plan some Marathon fun for the students on Thursday, October 31 to celebrate another year of success. We raised over \$50,000 this year. Students are allowed to be out of uniform on this day if they wear orange and black. No accessories, costumes, or make-up please...save them for when the sun goes down.

Also on Friday, November 1, the St. Charles faculty will take on the Varsity Girls' Charger team in the gymnasium at 1:45 PM. We welcome parents to join as spectators.

God bless you,

Danny
St. Charles Principal

Lunch Update

Our lunch program migration is complete; however, it is taking awhile for all the accounts to be updated and money that was transferred to be entered into individual student accounts. We thank you for your patience as accounts are brought up-to-date. The Roseville district now receives all lunch payments and handles all of the billing. **One change with the new system is that each child has their own account instead of a family account. When you make a payment, please indicate all of your students and how much money should go into each child's account (equally divided or specific amounts to each)**

Questions About Our New Lunch Program?

See the attached RAS Lunch Info letter

Balloon Rosary Tomorrow! Friday, October 25

Join us tomorrow for our annual Balloon Rosary. The second graders will lead us in prayer. All are welcome to join us in the lower parking lot following 8:00 AM Mass

Wolf Ridge Calendars and Coffee Fundraiser

Please contact a fifth-grade student or the school office to purchase beautiful 2020 Wolf Ridge calendars featuring photography from Christian Dalbec for \$17 and bags of delicious Maggie's coffee for \$10 each. All proceeds will go to cover the cost of the November fifth-grade trip to Wolf Ridge.

NEW: Basketball Season is Almost Here - Register Today

Basketball registration is now open. Please register as soon as possible. Practices will start November 6 for 6th-8th graders and the week of November 11 for 4th and 5th graders. [Basketballregistration](#)

NEW: Thanksgiving Food Drive Begins October 28

The 4th Grade is excited and ready to begin running our 25th Annual St. Charles School Thanksgiving Food Drive! The donated food is brought to the Missionaries of Charity in Minneapolis, and to the Franciscan Brothers of Peace in St. Paul. The sisters are requesting specific foods/goods listed below. The Latino communities they serve would prefer these foods. The brothers are in need of any foods/goods donated. Please be generous in this Corporal Work of Mercy -- Feeding the Hungry! Food/goods may be sent to school beginning Monday, October 28. Food will be collected until Friday, November 22. Top donating students each week will have their names announced on Friday afternoon.

Requested foods/goods - dried beans, white rice, maseca flour, cooking oil, cereal (any), noodles (any including Ramen), spaghetti noodles, and sauce. Also appreciated are diapers in sizes 3, 4, 5 and paper products (toilet paper, paper towels, Kleenex) and personal hygiene products.

Donald's Uniform Sale

Donald's Uniform Store is running a 20% off sale through October 27. Check it out: [Donald's](#)

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

Catholic High Schools Open House Season

If you are interested in Catholic high school options, this is a great time to check them out during their fall open houses. All the information can be found on their individual websites.

Parish Corner

NEW: New and Improved Youth Room Open House ~ This Weekend

Check out the new Youth Room after any Mass this weekend. For more info.: [Youth Room Open House](#)
Find all the exciting middle school youth group event: [St. Charles Youth Ministry](#)

Tis the Season for...Fresh Homemade Apple Pies!!!

Fall is here, and this is the 26th year homemade apple pies will be made and sold at St. Charles! If you are 18 years of age or older, please consider volunteering your known or heretofore-unknown talents on Friday evening, October 25, and/or Saturday, October 26. Call Carol Yeung, 651-262-3584 about how you can make a difference. **Pies will be for sale after all Masses this weekend!** The pie sale is the only fundraiser for our amazing parish library.

Cabrini Household Goods ~ November 2-12

The Women's Council is hosting a collection drive to provide Welcome Home baskets to help individuals moving into apartments through the Cabrini Partnership Supportive Housing Program. All clients have been homeless and diagnosed with a mental illness and/or addiction. Items may be new or gently used. Some suggestions include: inflatable mattress, set of pots and pans, flatware for 4, set of dishes for 4, carving knife, mixing spoons, can openers, spatulas, kitchen towels, sponges, cleanser, dish soap, kitchen garbage bags, laundry soap, shower curtain liners, shower curtain rings, 2 potholders, toilet paper, etc. Collection baskets will be located in the church atrium. Thank you for your generous support!

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 Sue McSherry and for the comfort of her family.
- ❖ 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 Kelly K, staff member, for healing as she battles 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.★