



SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Attendance Line: 612-787-1199 option 1

Weekly Update 22~ February 20, 2020

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TH . FEB 20	6:30 PM Catholic Watchmen (Doran Hall)
FR . FEB 21	8:00 AM K-8 School Mass (church) 6:00 PM Ignite for Middle School Youth (St. John's in Savage)
SU . FEB 23	Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast after Masses & Church Library Book Sale 2:00 PM Preschool-4th Grade Lucky Charm Dance (cafeteria)
MO . FEB 24	Out-of-Uniform Pass Day Artist-in-Residence Begins
WE . FEB 26	8:00 AM Ash Wednesday K-8 School Mass
TH . FEB 27	Spirit Wear Day
FR . FEB 28	8:00 AM K-8 School Mass (church) 5:45 PM Lenten Soup Supper (Doran Hall) 7:00 PM Stations of the Cross (church) 7:00 PM Middle School Friday Night Live
MO . MAR 02	Out-of-Uniform Pass Day
FR . MAR 06	End of Trimester 2

Dear St. Charles Parents,

Our Artist-in-Residence, Angela Manella-Hoffman, visited classrooms on Wednesday. It was a great way to get the excitement going! Her residency begins next week, and I'll provide updates on how everything is going. We would like to have an opportunity for parents to visit and see some of the work our kids are doing - it will likely be informal and rather brief.

Next week begins the season of Lent if you can believe it! Our students will attend Mass on Ash Wednesday and receive ashes. This is one of our beautiful Catholic traditions reminding us of our humanity and God's love for us. Most years, we have attended Stations of the Cross on Friday afternoons. This year we will be attending the Stations on Tuesdays at 1:50 instead. The exception will be the week when our 8th graders perform Live Stations of the Cross. This will be March 27 at 1:50 PM. Parents and family members are invited to join us for Stations throughout the Lenten season.

God bless you,
Danny Kieffer
Principal of St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School

Lucky Charm Dance ~ THIS Sunday, February 23

Charge to Serve is hosting the Second Annual Family Dance for Preschool to 4th grade students and

their parents from 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM on Sunday, February 23. The cost is \$10/adult. Students are free. The dance will be held in the school cafeteria. The goal is to create fun memories and to raise funds to pay for Cash, our new service dog. Desserts and beverages will be sold at the event, dress is semi-formal, and there will be an amateur photographer present to take photos. RSVP/Purchase tickets with this [Google Forms Link](#). Walk-ins welcome at the door!!

On Sunday, please enter through Door 4 in the upper parking lot at the back of the cafeteria.

Turn in Your Box Tops by Friday, February 28

Please send your box tops to school with your student. Box tops are due Friday, February 28, in order to get credit for this school year. Thank you!!

Order your 2019-20 Yearbook ~ Now through March 27

Yearbooks may be ordered now through Friday, March 27. **This is the only time to reserve a copy of our 2019-20 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:1260920. Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express accepted.

2019 Education Tax Information

Click here for the 2019 [K-12 Education Subtraction and Credit Form](#).

Household Paid Tuition Tax Report

Families can pull this information directly from their TADS account. A parent can access their "Household Paid Tuition Tax Report" under the Billing tab in their TADS account. There is a link to this report on the right-hand side above their account listings. Alternatively, this report can be accessed under their Billing Account page by clicking on Reports on the blue bar in the middle of the screen.

This report details what the family has paid towards school tuition & fees in a given tax year. As this report runs off the tax year, multiple school billing years can be listed on this report. Any TADS fees that were paid by a family are not listed on this report.

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

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

Parish Corner

Events for Middle School Youth

Please note: NO Middle School JPII Society at 2:40 PM on Friday, February 21. Ignite for 6th-8th grades begins at 6:00 PM for those already signed up.

Check out the youth page on the parish website to learn more about upcoming camps and events for middle schoolers: <https://www.stchb.org/youth>

Events for the Whole Family

Family Fun Dodgeball Tournament ~ Saturday, March 7

Please join us for the 3rd Annual Family Friendly Dodgeball Tournament on Saturday, March 7 in the school gym. Registration will open at 12:15 PM, and the tournament will begin at 1:00 PM. Teams can have up to 8 players. Each team needs to have at least one parent/adult on the team. Registration, liability waivers, and entrance fee (\$10 per team) will be completed on-site on the day of the tournament. Each player must have a parent-signed liability waiver before playing. Brackets will be drawn up after registration is complete. Want to play and don't have a team? We will find you one, just come and have some fun!!! Concessions will be available, and prizes will be awarded to the winners. Download waiver here: [Waiver](#) Sponsored by the Women's Council.

Events for Women

March 14: Lenten Morning of Reflection. Mark your calendars and invite a friend for a special Lenten Morning of Reflection on Saturday, March 14. You won't want to miss Liz Kelly's presentation on "An Introduction to Blessed Benedetta Bianchi Porro." Find out more about Liz at LizK.org. More details to come.

February 29: Mothers of Young Children Lenten Morning of Reflection opportunity for mothers of young children - sponsored by the Cana Institute. Register here: [Retreat](#). For more information contact Brigid at brigidbarrett7@gmail.com.

Events for Men

TONIGHT: Catholic Watchmen. 6:30-9 PM in Doran Hall with social, dinner, and talk. This month enjoy a presentation by Jacob Nelson, "Every Man is a Father: Recovering the Meaning of Manhood!" It's an event, not a group, so no experience or commitment required. Bring a buddy and join fellow St. Charles men for food, faith, and fellowship. More info at [Watchmen](#).

Prayer Corner

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

- ❖ In thanksgiving for a cancer-FREE report for 2-year-old grand nephew Liam of staff member Glenn Kaslow!!!
- ❖ For the health of all our students, families, and staff in this continuing season of so much illness.
- ❖ For the repose of the soul of Dan Bilotta, cousin of the Kenney family, and for the comfort of all his family.
- ❖ For a successful surgery for Ben W's grandfather and for healing from a stroke for Ben's grandmother
- ❖ For healing for staff member Hannah Meidl's grandmother.
- ❖ For healing for staff member Dana Huggar's mother, Kathy Carlson, as she battles cancer.
- ❖ For the repose of the soul of Sue McSherry and for the comfort of her family.
- ❖ For healing for student Holden C's grandmother Beverly.
- ❖ For Kelly K, former staff member, for healing from cancer.
- ❖ For Susan B, for healing as she battles cancer -- mother of former students.

- ❖ For healing for great, great aunt of Lilly and Leo M. and Noah, Luke, and Mike S., who has stage 4 leukemia.
- ❖ For all St. Charles families, new and old, that they may be strengthened in 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>

SANB Softball registration is now open <https://www.saboosters.org/page/show/629529-registration>

Chesterton Academy Open House on March 3 ~ [Chesterton Open House](#)

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