

Attendance Line: 612-787-1131

Weekly Update 29 ~ April 21, 2022

MO.MAY 02 NO BUS SERVICE AVAILABLE

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FR.APR 22	8:00 AM K-8 Mass (church)
SA.APR 23	9:00 AM First Communion Retreat (Doran Hall)
SU.APR 24	Divine Mercy Sunday (church-https://www.stchb.org/)
MO.APR 25	Out-of uniform passes may be used
TU.APR 26	6:30 PM School Advisory Council
WE.APR 27	6:00 PM MS & HS Ignite Youth Group (church)
TH.APR 28	Spirit Wear Day
	2:40 PM 5th & 6th grade after school youth group (youth room)
FR.APR 29	8:00 AM K-8 Mass (church)
SU.MAY 01	Noon - First Holy Communion (church)

Looking ahead

SA.MAY 07	Borromeo Bash
TU.MAY 10	Elementary Concert honoring Our Blessed Mother
FR.MAY 13	School Not Session - Staff Development
TH.MAY 26	Middle School Band & Choir Concert

Dear St. Charles Parents,

The season of the Bash is here. If you have not registered yet, please scroll down and do it today! There is a link below. This event is exclusively for adults to gather, celebrate our school, and of course, show financial support in a way that works for each of us. It really is a great event and fabulous community builder! Volunteers are essential for this event, so please scroll down and register for that too!

We need continued prayers for staff members here at St. Charles. This week, two more teachers had their mothers pass away, Chiara Milikan (5th and 6th Language Arts and Math) and John Ott (Special Education). Please keep their families in your prayers during this difficult time.

Our 2nd graders are preparing for their First Holy Communion on May 1st, and they have a retreat this weekend! Please keep them in your prayers as well!

We received about 90 amazing entries for the "What I love about St. Charles" writing contest, and they were fantastic. The panel of judges had such a difficult time narrowing them down. Thank you to all of our Chargers who expressed how much they love their school.

God bless you!

Danny Kieffer

St. Charles Principal

Get your tickets to the Borromeo BASH and help volunteer for this fun event!

Roar back into your social life at the 2022 Borromeo BASH on Saturday, May 7, 2022, from 5:30 to 11:00 PM. Enjoy this swanky evening supporting our school and dining together with our St. Charles community. There will be a cocktail hour, a delicious buffet-style meal, dancing, games, and a chance to show your support with lots of awesome Silent and Live Auction items. We're putting on the Ritz, so 1920's-style attire is welcomed but not required. We hope you can join us. To purchase your tickets and to get A LOT more information (check out the tabs), go to: https://stchbschool.ejoinme.org/2022bash

Bash Volunteers: We need your help to put on a GREAT event for our community!

Sign up below for many ways you can help make this BASH event a huge success. Setup begins Thursday, May 5, into Friday, May 6. Or, come work a shift at the event on Saturday, May 7, or help clean up on Sunday, May 8. Many hands make light work! <u>Sign-up Genius</u>

Home & School Corner

Charger Parents and Guardians, Happy Easter!!!

Teacher Appreciation Week is coming up the first week of May! Please sign up to help sponsor this fun week for our teachers and staff! Let's shower them with wonderful things!!!! These small gestures help to show our gratitude for all they do for our families all year long!! Thank you to those who have signed up already! Sign-up Genius

There are still several volunteer opportunities for the Spring on Sign-up Genius: Check it out to volunteer for the Borromeo Bash, Band & Choir Concert hospitality, 8th grade & Kindergarten graduation activities!

Thank you ALL for contributing to these efforts!

Spirit Wear Online Shop

The gray and black baseball-style tee is now available in youth sizes! Check out all of the Spirit Wear items featuring our Chargers logo on Schoolbelles website:

http://www.schoolbelles.com/myschool/M37/s2945. Items are shipped directly to purchasers. If you have any questions, contact Mary Urdahl at urdahl.mary@gmail.com or Kari Domeyer at karidomeyer@gmail.com.

Summer Camps at St. Charles School

Correction: Art Camp is open to K-8 (not just K-6 as previously stated)

Art Camp for current K-8th graders (6/13-6/16)

Basketball Camps for <u>current</u> 3rd-8th graders (6/13- 6/16)

Floor Hockey Camp for <u>current</u> 4th-8th graders (6/13- 6/16)

Volleyball Camps for <u>current</u> 3rd-8th graders (6/27- 6/30)

Registration forms: https://www.stchbschool.org/activities/summer-camp/

Summer Camps at St. Charles Church

Extreme Faith Camp for current 6th-8th graders (6/20-6/24)

Extreme Faith Camp Day Camp for Pre-K to current 5th Grade (7/6-7/8 from 9-noon)

Camp Veritas for current 8th-12th graders (7/24-7/28)

Details: https://www.stchb.org/youth

2022-23 School Enrollment Open for New and Returning Families start your

application here

Do you know a family who may be interested in learning about St. Charles School? Your word goes a long way! Encourage them to sign up for a tour on our website: **Tour & Information Request Link**

Phoenix Counseling Services is now offering Camp I Can for Girls

"Phoenix School Counseling Services is now offering a social-emotional learning (SEL) experience for girls grades 1st through 8th, Camp I Can for Girls! This camp will be run by our counselor, Becca Gonsior, and two other Phoenix School counselors. Camp I Can for Girls offers the opportunity for girls to grow their social skills, emotional management, kindness and friendship, self-awareness, and conflict resolution. With a social-emotional learning platform, Camp I Can for Girls will integrate SEL activities and lessons, team-building experiences, fun games, and a place where each student can turn their "cant's" into "I can's!" For more information, please visit www.campicanforgirls.com. This link will provide the different dates for the camp and registration form, along with additional information. For additional questions, please email campicanforgirls@gmail.com. We hope to see you all this summer!"

Parish Youth & Family Activities

Questions: contact Katie kwalker@stchb.org 651-900-3310 or Andrew awagenbach@stchb.org

Ignite and Open Youth Room ~ Wednesday, April 27

All 5-12th grade students are invited to attend Ignite on Wednesdays from 6-7:30 PM in the youth room. 8th graders are invited to stay after Ignite and join the high school students for Open Youth Room from 7:30-9:00 PM!

Middle School After School Youth Group ~ Thursdays 2:40-4:00 PM

A time to pray, have snacks, and play games together! Parents, please pick your students up in the circle by the Atrium at <u>4:00 PM</u>. If your student will be walking home after youth group, please let Katie know.

April 28: 5th & 6th Graders May 5: 7th & 8th Graders May 12: 5th & 6th Graders

Faith Formation Night for Everyone ~ Wednesday, May 4

Families with kids of all ages are invited Wednesday, May 4, for the next Wednesday Formation! The Handmaids of the Heart of Jesus will be joining us, and we are sure that you don't want to miss it! The night will go from 6:00-7:30 PM.

Summer Youth Opportunities

Please get your registration form and deposit for Extreme Faith Camp or Camp Veritas to Katie ASAP! Spots are filling up quickly and we want to make sure that we have room for your student! Contact Katie with any questions! See above for camp dates. Details: https://www.stchb.org/youth

The Meal Train Ministry

Would you like to help provide meals for a person or family in their time of need? OR do you or someone you know have a short-term need (due to a birth, surgery, illness, etc.) for meals to be delivered to your home? Contact Beth at 612-384-2384 or email elizabethpollard@comcast.net.

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 Vicki Thorn, mother to staff member Chiara Millikan and for the comfort of her family.
- For the repose of the soul of Kitty Ott, mother of staff member John Ott and for the comfort of her family.
- For the repose of the soul of Pam, grandmother to students Dalton, Liam, and Isaac, and for the comfort of her family.
- For recovery from surgery and healing from cancer for student Henry R's grandfather Rollie.
- For a successful back surgery and complete recovery for Jim, husband of staff member Mary Wappes.
- ❖ For a full recovery for our St Charles business administrator, Tom, and in thanksgiving for all the good progress on his road to recovery already.
- For the repose of the soul of Valerie Anderson, mother of staff member Teri Wysopal, and for the comfort of her family.
- For healing for Dolores, mother of staff member Marilynn Seashore.
- For the repose of the souls of Kathe and Don Hall, aunt and uncle to staff member Marilynn Seashore, and for the comfort of their family.
- For the repose of the soul of Laverne Walberg, grandfather of staff member Edith Cross, and for the comfort of his family.
- For Gary Wilmer, St. Charles principal for 37 years, as he works through some ongoing health issues
- For Toni Magee, grandmother to student Elizabeth, as she battles cancer.
- ❖ For Roger, husband of piano teacher Mary Ann, for recovery and healing from surgery for a brain tumor.
- ❖ For a complete recovery from a stroke for Ben, father of students Brooks and Luke, and for his family during this recovery time.
- ❖ For healing from cancer treatment complications for Dana Huggar's mother.

- For Leanna, grandmother to students Braden ('21), Brett, Hailey, Elena, Tom, Joe, Peter, Grace, and Ava, as she battles cancer.
- For the health of all our students, families, and staff, and for peace in our families and communities.
- Humble heart of Jesus, make our hearts like Yours!!
- Surrender Novena

Links for St. Charles

- St. Charles School Website ~ www.stchbschool.org
- St. Charles School Google Calendar ~ St. Charles Calendar Link
- St. Charles Lunch Calendar ~ St. Charles Lunch Calendar Link
- St. Charles School Google Athletic Calendar ~ St. Charles Athletic Calendar Link
- St Charles School Volunteers ~ <u>SignUpGenius- St. Charles</u>
- St Charles School Facebook ~ https://www.facebook.com/stchbs
- St. Charles Parish Website ~ https://www.stchb.org/

Links for Outside Activities and Opportunities

Sterling Karate Tuesday After School Program ~ SterlingKarate.com/about-us

St Anthony baseball: <u>saboosters.baseball-and-clinic-registration</u>

St Thomas Academy Crack Drill Squad performances: cadets.com/drillevents

For His Glory (4HG): www.4HG.co/in-the-news.

St. Anthony Boosters soccer is open https://saboosters.sportngin.com/register/form/007396463

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