



SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Attendance Line: 612-787-1131

Weekly Update 35 ~ June 2, 2022

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- TH. JUN 02** Last day of Preschool & Pre-K
NO extended day for Preschool & Pre-K
- FR. JUN 03** 8:00 AM K-8 Mass
9:15 AM Preschool & Pre-K Final Program
Instrument testing 4th grade
Last day of classes for 8th grade
ALL library books due
- MO. JUN 06** Out-of uniform passes may be used
1:45 PM 8th grade graduation practice & floor hockey (no classes) church atrium
- TU. JUN 07** 8th grade Mass, graduation, and reception
- WE. JUN 08** Last day of Kindergarten
Last day of after care
6:30 PM Kindergarten graduation
6:00 PM 4th-7th Ignite Youth Group (youth room)
7:30 PM 8th-12th Ablaze Youth Group (youth room)
- TH. JUN 09** Carnival Day
11:30 AM dismissal for all students
11:30 AM **NO bus service for the way home**
4:30 PM End-of-the-Year Tailgate Celebration

Dear St. Charles Parents,

Into the final countdown we go. Last week, we released the State of the School Address, and I hope you had the chance to read it. If not, please go through it, I promise it is worth your time! (emailed on 5/27 at 3:31 PM)

Tomorrow is the 8th graders' last day of school, their graduation Mass is on June 7th, and they celebrate at Valleyfair on June 8th. Yearbooks will be given out tomorrow as well!

Today is the last day of school for our preschoolers, and their end-of-the-year concert is tomorrow!

Kindergarten's last day of school is June 8th, and grades 1-7 will finish on June 9th at 11:30 AM. There will be no bus on this day, so we'll have a large number of students being picked up. I'll be in touch about plans for that day. On June 9th, we'll go to Mass together, have some fun in the yard with carnival games, and have a little bit of time at the end in classrooms as teachers and students say their last goodbyes. Students will be in uniform for the last day of school, and then you can put the uniforms away for a while.

This is certainly a bittersweet time of year that brings many emotions for staff and students. When the kids leave the building on the last day, there is always a bit of sadness while looking back at the year, how these kids have grown, and how we'll miss their presence in the coming months. I can say with sincerity that the staff here loves your children, and we miss them when they're gone!

On the other side of that is the excitement of the summer, new routines, and hopefully waking up a little later in the morning.

The tailgate celebration begins at 4:30 PM in the St. Charles parking lot on June 9th, and I hope that everyone can make it!

God bless you,
Danny Kieffer
St. Charles Principal

Important End-of-the-Year Information

- **Final tuition payments are now due. Please make plans for any remaining payments.**
 - **All library books are due back to school tomorrow, June 3.**
 - **Please pay all library fees for lost books by Friday, June 3.**
 - **Last day of school for grades 1-7 is Thursday, June 9. Students will be dismissed at 11:30 AM.**
 - **Last Day of After Care is Wednesday, June 8.**
 - **Since After School Care payments are billed through TADs, your final bill will be due mid June. You will receive an invoice from TADs.**
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End of the Year Tailgate Celebration

<https://www.stchbschool.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/Tailgate-Party-Flyer.pdf>

More details coming soon!

2022-23 Calendar

Please see below for our one page calendar of days for the 2022-23 school year.

[English Calendar](#)

[Spanish Calendar](#)

Home & School Corner

There are still a few volunteer opportunities on [Sign-up Genius](#) including 8th grade graduation clean-up help. Thank you ALL for contributing to these efforts!

Spirit Wear Online Shop

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.

Floor Hockey Camp for current 4th-8th graders (6/13- 6/16) **Due June 3**

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

Parish Camps (see Parish Youth Activities section below)

Phoenix Counseling “Camp I Can for Girls” for girls currently in 1st-8th grades

www.campicanforgirls.com

Looking for Summer Tutoring?

Sheyenne Bauer – This was my fourth year teaching, and my second year teaching 4th grade at St. Charles. I can tutor any subject grades k-5. I am available on weekdays during the day. If interested or you would like more information, please feel free to contact me at sbauer@stchbs.org

Jeanne Sharp – I am a licensed middle school math teacher. I have been teaching at St. Charles for two years and in Catholic schools for 18 years. I am available to tutor math grades 6-8 on Wednesdays this summer. Please contact me at jsharp@stchbs.org.

Victoria Paine – I have been teaching middle school for 20 years. I am a reading specialist in addition to my regular work with any English subject matter (reading, writing, grammar, spelling). I will tutor students in 4th grade and above. I am available Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday during the day. If you are interested in booking a time slot or would like more information, please contact me at vpaine@stchbs.org

Looking for a Summer Skills Program for your student to do at home?

Check out this website: <https://www.summerskills.com/>

Lost and Found

The Lost and Found is overflowing. Stop by to take a look before unclaimed items are donated at the end of the school year.

Minnesota Catholic Conference (MCC) School Safety Legislation Request

Last week, the Minnesota Catholic Conference (the lobbying arm of the bishops of Minnesota) put out a request through the Archdiocesan Office for the Mission of Catholic Education (OMCE) urging Catholic schools and their families to ask Governor Walz to address student safety in ALL schools, public and nonpublic. Check out: [MN Catholic Conference](#). Your timely input would be helpful on this sensitive subject!

Parish Youth & Family Activities

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

Youth Ministry Newsletter www.stchb.org/youth.

Ignite on Wednesdays for current 4th-7th graders

All 4-7th grade students are invited to attend Ignite on Wednesdays from 6-7:30 PM in the youth room.

Ablaze on Wednesdays for current, June 8

All 8-12th grade students are invited to attend Ablaze on Wednesdays from 7:30-9 PM in the youth room.

Tuesday Morning Mass and Breakfast

A time to pray, have breakfast, and play games together! Starting on Tuesday, June 14, from **8am - 9:30am** your 5-8th grade student can join us for 8:00 AM Mass and then have breakfast in the youth room with us! If your student will be walking home after this, please let Katie know.

June 14, June 28, July 5, July 12

Summer Youth Opportunities

Please get your registration forms and deposits 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!

7/6- 7/8 Extreme Faith Camp Day Camp for Pre-K to Incoming 5th Grade from 9am-12pm!

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

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 those souls, their families, and all of the people who are suffering unthinkable grief because of the tragedy that took place in Uvalde, Texas
- ❖ For Grant Anderson, close friend to the Villella/Gasik family, seriously injured in an ATV accident and in need of prayers for healing and support for his family. Grant is 15 years old.
- ❖ For successful June surgeries and speedy recoveries for 2nd grade teacher Anita Juntilla for her hip replacement surgery and for her husband Don for his partial knee replacement surgery.
- ❖ For Craig Vana, St. Charles parishioner, former teacher and administrator at our school, and longtime head of our school advisory as he faces health issues.
- ❖ For a complete and speedy recovery from hip surgery for Pat Malone, brother to kindergarten teacher, Jane Malone-Miller.
- ❖ For healing for St Charles student Sylvi and for guidance for her family and medical team.
- ❖ For healing for the granddaughter of our retired teacher Marion Patton.
- ❖ For quick and complete healing from a back injury for Roberta, mom to students Annabelle and Siddalee.
- ❖ For recovery from surgery and healing from cancer for student Henry R's grandfather Rollie.
- ❖ For healing for Dolores, mother of staff member Marilyn Seashore.
- ❖ 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 Zabinski, husband of piano teacher Mary Ann, for healing of 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.
- ❖ [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 ~ [SignUpGenius- St. Charles](#)

St Charles School Facebook ~ <https://www.facebook.com/stchbs>

St. Charles Parish Website ~ <https://www.stchb.org/>

2022-23 St. Charles Enrollment ~ [start your application here](#)

Links for Outside Activities and Opportunities

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

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

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