

# **Crusader Connection**

## May 6, 2022

2021-2022 School Calendar

Good afternoon,

Happy Mother's Day! We hope you have a wonderful weekend and great Sunday. Maybe your kids will even clean the house and make you breakfast (or maybe it's better if they take you out?).

We started our end of year MAP testing in reading, math and language this week. We are seeing a lot growth and progress from our children and classes in the preliminary data. We're looking forward to seeing how the rest of our students test next week. Help minimize the stress by reminding them that this is just an opportunity to show what they know. Also remind them that school isn't quite over yet - do their best!

I hope to share a full staff directory very soon, but will provide a quick update now:

- Mrs. Adams, in middle school, will not be returning next year. Mr. Trauth, who is currently teaching in Mrs. Ackerman's room, will fill her position next year.
- Mrs. Durcholz, Kindergarten teacher, will not be returning next year. Ms. Carley Scales will be Mrs. Hoffman's partner teacher in Kindergarten next year.
- Mrs. Ifcic, preschool teacher, will not be returning next year. We are in the process of searching for her replacement.
- Ms. Craig, PE teacher, is moving from the gym to a teacher support role. We are in the process of searching for her replacement in PE.

We are thankful for the work and dedication Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Durcholz and Mrs. Ifcic gave to St. Henry, and we wish them the best of luck in the future. We're looking forward to Ms. Craig taking on more of a student support role, which she has begun this year.

Additionally, we are working to bring on two interventionists and two teacher aides next year. I look forward to making a fuller staff update as soon as possible.

We've been enjoying lunch all week and will be enjoying Izzy's today and Gurley

BBQ Monday. I hope you enjoy your lunch, too! Have a great weekend.

St. Henry, pray for us!

#### May After Care Link

#### **COVID UPDATE**

We didn't have any Covid cases last week. Please continue to update us in the office if any symptoms arise. We also are continuing with testing when and if necessary.

#### **New This Week**



#### **DPAA**

#### **Fundraiser**

Each year, schools across the Diocese of Covington are asked to make a donation to Annual Diocesan Parish Appeal (DPAA). This year, two eighth grade students made a design about St. Henry Catholic School. The designs were then colored by students in all grades. Each were cut out and buttons were made. Beginning next week, students will be asked to buy them for 25 cents each. Students may buy as many as four, at first, and then possibly more will be available later. The buttons may be worn on their uniform to show their support for the DPAA. The buttons have numbers on them and each day numbers will called. Students who have those numbers will be given a piece of candy. All proceeds will go to the Diocesan Parish Annual Appeal on behalf of St. Henry Catholic Church.



#### **Art Supplies Needed**

If you are spring cleaning and would like to re-home crafting items, our art teacher, Mrs. Turvey, would love to have them! Think beads, buttons, crafting items you might have started but didn't finish (we ALL have those!) such as pot holders, sand art, bracelets, scrapbooking items, etc., send them into school labeled ART ROOM. You never know what nifty things might be stashed in drawers/closets that the kids could use at St. Henry somehow to be creative. Thank you!

If you have questions, please email Sheri Turvey, <a href="mailto:sturvey@sthenrynky.com">sturvey@sthenrynky.com</a>.



#### Olympic Day is Monday, May 23

**Volunteers needed:** VIRTUS compliant volunteers are needed to work Olympic Day games. Time frame is 8:00 AM-2:00 PM, with a break for lunch provided. All volunteers must be Virtus trained and up to date on bulletins.

If you are available to volunteer, please email one of our front office staff members:

Mrs. Lageman, <a href="mailto:clageman@sthenrynky.com">clageman@sthenrynky.com</a>, <a href="mailto:kggodridge@sthenrynky.com">kggodridge@sthenrynky.com</a>, <a href="mailto:kggodridge@sthenrynky.com">kspradling@sthenrynky.com</a>

**Supplies needed:** We also need some supplies for the day; if you are able to

help out, please drop them off in the school office by Wednesday, May 18. Thank you!

- 8 ounce Styrofoam cups
- Oreo cookies (not double stuff, generic is fine!)
- 5 ounce paper cups
- Cases of water

#### **Sacrament of Confirmation and First Holy Communion**

Congratulations to our eighth graders that were confirmed by the Most Reverend John C. Iffert on Tuesday evening and to our second graders that received First Holy Communion on Sunday. Please keep them, their families, and their sponsors in your prayers.







## 2022 Girls Volleyball Registration Grades 3-8

Registration deadline: May 23, 2022

Google Form: https://forms.gle/4zyfYiDzkbPCJMm26

Payment can be made via GiveSmart <a href="https://Volleyball2022.givesmart.com">https://Volleyball2022.givesmart.com</a> with a credit card or a check can be sent to the office made payable to "St Henry Athletic Boosters."

#### Middle School Volleyball Clinics

Tuesday 5/17 4:30-6:30 PM Thursday 5/19 4:30-6:30 PM

Skills Assessments for 6th-8th grade competitive teams

Tuesday 5/24 4:30-6:30 PM Thursday 5/26 4:30-6:30 PM

## **From Previous Weeks**

#### **Fall Golf Team Opportunity**

This year we began partnering with World of Golf to provide golf instruction throughout the year. They have offered golf instruction on campus for grade school students as well as golf as an elective for our middle school students in the 2021-2022 school year.

We would like to expand golf as a school sponsored sport that is supported by our boosters. If you are interested, please take a few minutes to complete this survey.

World of Golf also has several scholarship opportunities for middle school girls to learn and play over the summer. If your middle school daughter is interested in this free opportunity (World of Golf will even provide clubs to use), please email <u>Dave Miller</u>. Spots are limited!



#### ST HENRY SCHOOL Book Fair

3825 DIXIE HWY, ERLANGER, KY 41018

May 6 - May 16

Thank you for visiting our homepage! Every purchase from the Book Fair earns rewards for our school, so please stop by and support us.



Check out the <u>elementary</u> and <u>Grades 6 and Up</u> interactive book flyer.

We were very lucky to be able to adapt and adjust our fairs over the last few years to be able to continually offer our students the opportunity to purchase new books. This Scholastic Book Fair is a celebration of reading and will offer an enormous amount of summer reading material for our students and families!

Volunteers are needed to help with the Scholastic Book Fair! All volunteers must be VIRTUS trained and compliant. Volunteer today!

#### **Summer Solutions**

Families have started to ask about summer work. To provide consistent recommendations, please see the list with links below to Summer Solutions, recommended by our teachers.

- <u>Kindergarten</u>
- First grade (option 1, option 2)
- Second grade <u>language</u>
- Third grade math / language
- Fourth grade math / language
- Fifth grade <u>reading comprehension</u> / <u>language</u> / <u>math</u>
- Sixth grade language
- Seventh grade language
- Eighth grade language





The first bingo in May saw a huge crowd of 154 patrons who purchased over 25,000 pull-tabs! Our first week team members, fourth grade parents, grandparents, and St. Henry supporters answered the call to serve and generated almost \$7,000 in proceeds for our school!

Thanks for selling pull tabs and representing fourth grade: David Klein, Jamie Powers, Emily Rohman, Lisa Timmers, Tracy Patrick, and Valerie Martin.

Special thanks to our regular Week 1 volunteers including: Katie Sieg, Meghan Franks, Ryan Bihl, Judy Crowder, Jill Lillich, Dan Hukle, Mike Thomas, Dick Wilson,

Anna Crawford, Deanna/Kevin Lalley, Katie Henderson, Erin Hammond, Allyson/Karen Egan, Katie Gross, Lauren Lantz, Joe Berberich, and Katie Meyer.

#### **Weekly Bingo Volunteer Schedule**

May 9: 3rd Grade May 16: 2nd Grade May 23: 1st Grade May 30: Kindergarten June 6: Preschool

For more information on volunteering, contact *Jamie Powers*, 859-814-9998, <u>jamielpowers00@gmail.com</u>, text or call Ryan Bihl, 859-760-3325, or click the link below!

Bingo Volunteer Sign up

## **SHDHS News**



At St. Henry District High School, we believe that every summer provides a window of opportunity for formative experiences that nourish the mind, body, and spirit. St. Henry District High School camps are an opportunity to support the previous year's learning and provide an exciting environment to engage in enriching academics and creative activities during the summer. Join the Crusader family this summer where there is time to slow down, explore, and have fun! Click here or each image below to learn more!







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## **VIRTUS**®



If you are interested in volunteering, there are many opportunities to attend the Protecting God's Children training; visit <u>VIRTUS.org</u> > drop down to select Covington, KY (Diocese) > select a session to attend and register. The upcoming sessions are listed below.

**Diocesan Curia,** Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, Covington, Thursday, May 12, 6:00 PM

St. Edward, school cafeteria, Cynthiana, Sunday, May 15, 1:00 PM

**Cristo Rey**, Fr. Luis Hall, Sunday, May 22, 3:00 PM *This session will be conducted in Spanish.* 

**Diocesan Curia**, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, Covington, Thursday, June 2, 9:00 AM

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If you have questions or need additional information, please reach out to our VIRTUS® coordinator, Kristina Goodridge, 859-342-2551, or email kgoodridge@sthenrynky.com.

Anyone who has experienced sexual misconduct by a cleric, employee, religious, or volunteer of the Diocese of Covington is asked to contact Julie Feinauer, Diocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator (859-392-1515. Professional assistance and pastoral support will be provided in confidentiality and with respect.

**Cafeteria** 

## **MAY** | 2022



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2	Mini Corn Dogs Mac & Cheese Green Beans Broccell with Dip Frozen Sidekick Diced Peaches Fresh Fruik Milk	3 Chicken Patty on Bun Potato Wedges Baked Beans Diced Pears Fresh Fruit Milk	4 Roast Beef with Gravy Masshed Potatoes Dinner Roll Com Pineapple Tablis Fresh Fruit Milk	5 3 or 4 Way Chill Speghetti Kidney Beans, Dicod Onions Oyster Crackers Glazed Carrots, Veggie Boat Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	6 Bagel Bites Steamed Broccoli Garden Salad Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk
9	Chicken Tenders Roseted Potatoes Green Beans Diced Peaches Frezen Sidekick Fresh Fruit MER	Sloppy Joe on Bun Waffle Fries Garden Salad Com Diced Pears Fresh Fruit Milk	11 Spaghetti with Mootbails Garlic Breadstick Glazed Carrots Garden Salad Pincapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	1 gamburger or Cheeseburger Potato Wedges Baked Beans Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	13 Grilled Cheese Tomato South Oyster Chadlens Garden Saled Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk
16	Chicken Patty on Bun Potato Wedges Baked Beans Diced Peaches Frozen Sidekick Milk	17 Shredded Beef Tacos Salsa, Sour Ceasm Corn Refried Beans Diced Poors Fresh Fruit Milk	Retini with Meat Sauce Gartic Bread Stick Garden Salad Seemed Broccoli Pineapple Tibbits Fresh Fruit Milk	Chicken Nuggets Mac & Cheese Green Beans Veggie Boat Nandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	20 French Toast Scrambled Eggs Solos Veggie Boat Baked Apples Fresh Frist
23	Olympic Day Lunch	24 Cheese Coney or Hot Dog Reasted Protations Onions, Shredded Cheese Carrots and Colery with Dip Diced Poars Fresh Fruit Milk	25 Dell Turkey and Cheese or Dell Horn and Cheese Sub Pickies, Lettuce, Tornato Waffle Fries Garden Salad Pineapple Tidbits, Fresh Fruit Milk	26 Last Day/Noon Dismissal	27 Hove a fantastic summer!
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Meat options not offered on Fridays. Menu subject to change by product availability.

Extras (not included in the free lunch):
Milk: 50¢
Water: \$1.25
Small juice: 50¢
Bagged snacks: 75¢
Pudding cup: 75¢
Rice Krispie Treat: 75¢

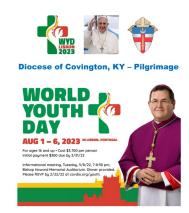
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## **Events Elsewhere**



#### Diocese of Covington Employment Opportunities

St. Henry Catholic School along with many schools in the Diocese of Covington are currently hiring. To learn more about the available opportunities, visit covdio.org/schools.



#### Join us for World Youth Day August 1-6, 2023

The Diocese of Covington is coordinating a pilgrimage to World Youth Day 2023 in Lisbon, Portugal, for youth and young adults ages 16 and up. The pilgrimage includes a day trip to the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Fatima. The cost is \$3,700 per person and includes roundtrip airfare, transportation, lodging, meals, and tours. To hold your spot, the initial payment of \$300 is due by May 31, 2022, with the full amount of \$3,700 paid by Friday, March 31, 2023. If you are interested in attending, leading a group, or making donations to help the youth of our diocese attend this powerful experience, please contact Isaak Abraham Isaak at 859-392-1529 or iisaak@covdio.org.



## FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT

#### WWW.JOHNBRANNENBASKETBALLCAMP.COM

OR



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## **RISING SERIES**

Small groups meet weekly to work on reading and math. A great blend of review & preview!

## 1:1 TUTORING

Personal tutoring in the areas of reading and math for grades PreK-8.

## **BOOK CLUBS**

Small groups to work on required or optional summer reading projects.

& MORE!



## KEEP YOUR STUDENT ENGAGED ALL SUMMER!

"This will be our third summer at Mind Over Matter! My kid asks me every year if he can go back. The teacher creates learning opportunities that are so fun and appropriate for his level. I highly recommend it!" M.T.

2510 DIXIE HIGHWAY SUITE 6, FT. MITCHELL KY 41017 www.mindovermatterkids.com



Open

House

May 7 12-2pm

#### **Calling All Catholic Teens 14-17**

Mary's Pro-Life Boot Camp, a ministry of the Franciscan Daughters of Mary and their special forces team, engage and equip the next generation of Pro-Life Catholics, July 7-11, at St. Anne Retreat Center, Melbourne. Retreat style weekend, daily sacraments,

hands on experience, national and local speakers, plenty of chow, family picnic at drop-off. Enlist online at <a href="www.prolifebootcamp.org">www.prolifebootcamp.org</a> by June 9. Registration: \$100, scholarships available. Have questions? Want to volunteer? Or Donate? Visit <a href="marysprolifebootcamp@gmail.com">marysprolifebootcamp@gmail.com</a>.

#### **Covington Catholic Grade School Football Sign ups**

Sign up for Covington Catholic's Colonels Youth Football (CYF) for 3rd through 8th grade now through April 30. CYF practices and plays home games on the Cov Cath

fields. Teams play in the Greater Catholic Youth League with the parish schools feeding Elder, Moeller, Roger Bacon, and LaSalle, while 7th grade team plays in NKY Middle School League. To register online or download the registration form, see our website at <a href="https://www.covcath.org">www.covcath.org</a>, click on Athletics, click on Colonels Youth Football. Any questions, email Bob Morris, CYF President, at <a href="mailto:bmorris@covcath.org">bmorris@covcath.org</a>."

# THOMAS MORE NOMEN'S BASKETBALL CAMP

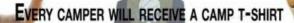
## Session 1: June 13-16 Session 2: July 18-21

## LIL SAINTS

GRADES 2-4 (FALL 2022) EACH DAY 9 AM TO 1/2 PM COST 57/5

## FUTURE SAINTS

GRADES 5-8 (FALL 2022) EACH DAY 9 AM TO 4 PM COST \$150



YOU CAN REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.THOMASMORESAINTS.COM/CAMPS OR PRINT AND MAIL IN CHECK

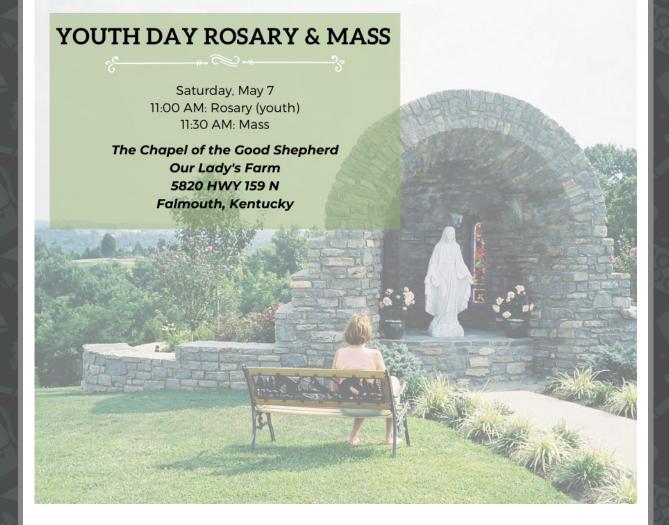
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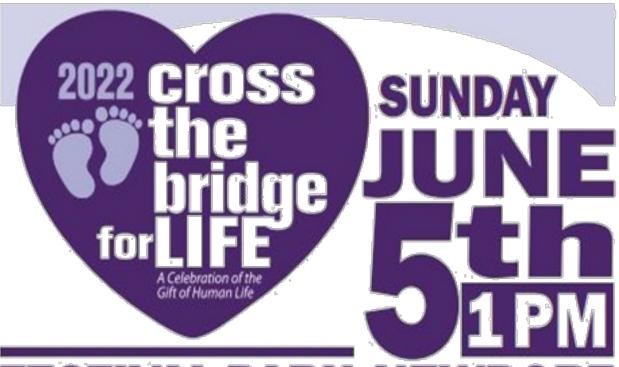
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SEE OTHER SIDE FOR REGISTRATION AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Registration Information





FESTIVAL PARK, NEWPORT Behind Newport on the Levee

CrosstheBridgeforLife.org

## **Upcoming Events**

- May 10: May Crowning, 1:00 PM
- May 9-13: Spring Scholastic Book Fair
- May 11: 2nd grade wax museum
- May 13: Middle School Dance
- May 20: 7/8th grades at Kings Island
- May 20: Spirit wear day
- May 23: Olympic day
- May 23: 8th Grade Clap Out
- May 24: 2nd/3rd grades at zoo
- May 25: 8th Grade Promotion & Brunch
- May 25: Dine to Donate: El Ocho Loco
- May 26: Kindergarten promotion
- May 26: Last day of school; noon dismissal

# Our Parishes

St. Barbara

4042 Turkeyfoot Road Erlanger, KY 41018 859-371-3100 stbarbaraky.org St. Henry

3813 Dixie Highway Elsmere, KY 41018 859-727-2035 sthenrychurch.net Cristo Rev

25 Cavalier Boulevard Florence, KY 41042 859-538-1175 micristorey.com

#### Join us for Mass!

#### St. Barbara

**Sunday Obligation Masses** 

4:30 PM Saturday

9:00 AM & 11:00 AM Sunday

**Eucharistic Service** 

10:00 AM Monday

**Daily Mass** 

10:00 AM Tuesday-Friday

St. Henry
Sunday Obligation Masses

4:00 PM Saturday 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM

& 7:00 PM Sunday

**Daily Mass** 

8:00 AM Monday-Saturday

Cristo Rey

**Sunday Obligation Masses** 

6:00 PM Saturday

9:00 AM, 11:00 AM &

1:00 PM Sunday

**Weekday Mass** 

6:00 PM Wednesday

## **† ST. HENRY** CATHOLIC SCHOOL

#### **Mission Statement**

St. Henry Catholic School is a place where we learn, grow, and become Disciples of Christ by embracing the Gospel message. We will work toward our full potential each day in order to demonstrate our respect for the sacrifices made by the entire St. Henry community to ensure our success. We will remain connected to God and others, gain confidence in our academic, social, and physical abilities, and contribute to the community through service and leadership.

## **Connect With Us**

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