



## Crusader Connection

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# August 19, 2022

2022-2023 School Calendar

Good afternoon,

One week down and some more to go. We hope it's been a great first week for you, as it has been here at school for us.

We're starting with all the back to school stuff during this first week, including uniform. I wrote about the uniform toward the end of last year, and want to continue this year.

School uniform details can be found in this year's family handbook, which is on our [website](#) and in your Sycamore account. We feel that it's our responsibility to promote an environment where the dress code is followed, let's work together to support that.

Vision night is this Wednesday beginning at 6:30 PM. We will assemble in the church at that time to hear brief messages from Father Lange and me. After that, teachers will be available for three fifteen minute group rotations starting at 7:00 PM. We're excited to see everyone and talk about the upcoming year!

St. Henry, pray for us!

## School News



### All School Mass

Our students started off Friday (and almost every Friday) by going to the all school Mass. Our new pastor, Fr. Joshua Lange, introduced himself to the students and he also introduced Mr. Simeon Skilling, Music Director at St. Henry Parish, who will be playing music for the all school Masses. Fr. Lange and Fr. Aby (Parochial Vicar) celebrated a "Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit" to kick off the school year, asking the Holy Spirit to bless the students, teachers, and staff. Red vestments were worn because red is the color of the Holy Spirit and it doesn't hurt that it's also the color of St. Henry Catholic School. It was the perfect way to start of this beautiful Friday. Masses are livestreamed to the [St. Henry Parish website](http://www.sthenryparish.org).



### Professional Development

After the first day of school Monday, teachers and staff from all the feeder schools to St Henry District High School (St. Henry, Immaculate Heart of Mary, Mary Queen of Heaven, St. Paul, and St. Timothy) met for lunch at SHDHS. After lunch, speaker Tommie Lewis spoke on "the power of we," everyone working together. It was a great start to the school year and our staff and teachers enjoyed collaborating with the other schools.



### Kelsey Sorrell Memorial Golf Outing

Don Rohman, Dennis Wolff, Rob Duncan and Nick Wolff played in the Kelsey Sorrell Memorial Golf Outing on August 6.

Kelsey, an alumni of St. Henry Catholic School, was just 18 years old when she was killed in a car accident 15 years ago. The family has chosen to honor her memory through the Kelsey Ann Sorrell Memorial Scholarship Fund hosting fundraising events that will benefit deserving high school age boys and girls by providing financial assistance with their education expenses.



## Assistant Robotics Coach

An assistant robotics coach is needed for our junior high CruBotic team. Commitment would involve at least one day a week practice with the lead coach. Practices begin in late August, with competition held in early December. No coding knowledge needed, but helpful.

If interested, contact Mrs. Dietz, [ldietz@sthenrynky.com](mailto:ldietz@sthenrynky.com) for further information.



# Join THE CHOIR

- Open to students in first through eighth grades
- The choir will sing at school Masses
- Practice will be after school until 3:00 PM every Tuesday beginning August 23

Questions? Contact Emily Scheper  
[escheper@sthenrynky.com](mailto:escheper@sthenrynky.com)

Students in first through eighth grades are invited to join our choir! Details are above; if you have questions, email Emily Scheper, [escheper@sthenrynky.com](mailto:escheper@sthenrynky.com).



### **Substitute Teachers Needed**

St. Henry Catholic School always has a need for substitute teachers. In order to be placed on the substitute list you must be VIRTUS trained and up-to-date on bulletins. We try to notify subs as soon as we know there is a need; however, sometimes it may be at the last minute.

If interested, contact Cindy Lageman in the school office, 859-342-2551, or email [clageman@sthenrynky.com](mailto:clageman@sthenrynky.com).

## **Cafeteria News**

### **School Lunches**

Student lunch prices for the 2022-23 school year will remain the same as they were pre-COVID. The price for elementary students is \$2.90 and 40 cents for students with reduced meals. Complementary meals will not be provided for the 2022-23 school year. Families must submit a [free/reduced lunch application](#) to qualify for free or reduced meals.

Due to unforeseen circumstances the Diocese of Covington will not be transitioning to MySchoolBucks for the current school year. You should be able to login into your [K12payment.com](http://K12payment.com) accounts as of Tuesday, August 2. New families should call the school office and ask for Jessica Andrews or email [jandrews@sthenrynky.com](mailto:jandrews@sthenrynky.com).

***Click on the menu below for a printable PDF.***

AUGUST   2022					ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
1	2	3	4	5	<b>Alternate Meal Options</b> *Milk and choices of daily fruits and/or vegetables offered with all alternate meal options*  Hummus Grab n Go Hummus cup, Tostito's chips, cheese stick  Protein Pack Hardboiled egg, cheese stick, goldfish and pretzels  Chef Salad Large salad with turkey or hardboiled egg, goldfish and pretzels  Turkey OR Ham & Cheese Sandwich offered  Extras NOT included in the lunch: Milk: 50¢ Small juice: 50¢ Water: \$1.30 Bagged snacks: 80¢ Rice Krispie Treat: 80¢  *Meat options not offered on Fridays  **Menu Subject to Change by Product Availability
8	9	10	11	12	
15	16 Hot Dog or Cheese Coney Roasted Potatoes Onion, Shredded Cheese Carrots/Celery with Dip Pear Cup, Fresh Fruit Milk	17 Sliced Turkey with Gravy Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits, Fresh Fruit Milk	18 Chicken Nuggets Mac & Cheese Baked Beans Veggie Boat Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit Milk	19 Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Oyster Crackers Garden Salad Applesauce, Fresh Fruit Milk	
22 Chicken Patty on Bun Baked Beans, Waffle Fries Frozen Sidekick Peach Cups Milk	23 Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza Carrots with Dip Steamed Broccoli Pear Cup, Fresh Fruit Milk	24 Spaghetti with Meat Sauce Corn, Garden Salad Pineapple Tidbits, Fresh Fruit Milk	25 Confetti pancakes Sausage Patty Smile Fries, Veggie Boat Baked Apples, Fresh Fruit Syrup Cup Milk	26 Pizza Crunchers Marinara Sauce Green Beans Garden Salad Applesauce, Fresh Fruit Milk	
29 Chicken Tenders Roasted Potatoes Green Beans Frozen Sidekick Peach Cup Milk	30 Beef Taco Queso Cheese Salsa, Sour Cream Corn, Black Beans Pear Cup, Fresh Fruit Milk	31 Chicken Drumstick Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes Glazed Carrots Pineapple Tidbits, Fresh Fruit Milk	1 Baked Ziti Garlic Breadstick Steamed Broccoli Garden Salad Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit Milk	2 French Toast Egg Omelet Salsa Veggie Boat Baked Apples, Fresh Fruit Milk	

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## Athletic Boosters News



### 2022/2023 Boys & Girls Basketball Registration

Registrations for the 2022/2023 basketball season are open; **registration deadline is September 2, 2022.** Registration form link is below.

Registration fees: \$85.00 3rd-8th Grade.

Registration fees: \$60.00 for 1st-2nd grade. We will NOT collect fees for 1st and 2nd grades until we confirm that we have enough athletes to complete a full team. We will notify parents for 1st and 2nd grade for fee collection.

Sixth grade boys will have two evenly divided teams to play in our hosted league. Tryouts will be held in September for one 6th grade Competitive Team.

Final registration numbers for 7th and 8th grade boys will determine if there will be a need for tryouts for an A team.

Final registration numbers will determine if we have to combine grades to create a team.

We will be offering two options for payment: Give Smart for credit card payments, <http://e.givesmart.com/events/svO> or send a check into school made payable to "St. Henry Catholic School Boosters" no later than September 9, 2022.

Uniforms will not be handed out until payment has been received. We will do our best to make sure your athlete receives their correct uniform size, but please note we do have a limited supply of each size.

**The Boosters also need a boys basketball coordinator. Please contact the office if you are interested, 859-342-2551.**

**REGISTRATION FORM**



## **Volunteers Needed!**

St. Henry hosts the sixth grade volleyball league in our gym on Wednesday evenings. We cannot make the league a success without your help! Please consider donating your time to work the door or concession stand on a Wednesday evening now through October 20. Work a full shift, or split one with a friend -- Many Parts, One Body! All volunteers must be VIRTUS trained and compliant.

**Sign up to volunteer today!**

PIONEER @ KENTON COUNTY GOLF COURSE



## **ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL ATHLETIC BOOSTERS ANNUAL GOLF OUTING**

**OCTOBER 22, 2022**

**Tee time:** 1:00 PM  
**Cost:** \$90 per golfer  
includes lunch/dinner, cart,  
4 drink tickets

**Back by popular demand!**  
Parent/child 9-hole outing @ 9:00 AM.  
**Cost:** \$40/twosome includes cart &  
goodies!

Send payment by check to:  
St. Henry Catholic School Golf Outing  
3825 Dixie Highway, Elsmere, KY 41018,  
scan the QR code above or visit:  
<https://SHCSGolf22.givesmart.com>

To register a foursome or for sponsorship  
information, contact Jeremy Armbruster,  
[oasisjeremy@gmail.com](mailto:oasisjeremy@gmail.com) or 513-623-9282.

**PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE ATHLETIC PROGRAMS  
AT ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL**



**GOLF OUTING REGISTRATION**

**Volunteer Opportunities**





# Bingo



### Bingo Update

It was a beautiful Monday and all across the Crusader land, students dressed in St. Henry plaid, parents took pictures of their babies in front of the school, and teachers welcomed them into their classroom. And 129 people came out to the best bingo in town. Our kindergarten parents braved not only the first day of school, but also the first bingo of the school year and assisted the bingo team in earning over \$6,200 in proceeds for our school.

Thank you to our brave bingo volunteers: Amy Floyd, Julie and Mike Houle (pictured above),

Keven Scherrer, Phillip Goetz, David Hinkle, JR McCubbin, Tina Himebaugh, and kindergarten teacher, Staci Hoffman.

Thank you to our regular third week workers who show up every month to volunteer their time: Josh Feldman, Ryan Bihl, Jamie Powers, Joanie Linnemann, Katie Henderson, Jim Krallman, Dan Hukle, Bridget and Chris Price, Katie Seig, Meghan Franks, Judy Crowder, Beverly Schumacher, Julie Martin, Gerri Wernert, and Lisa Jacobs.

**Weekly and monthly volunteers** are needed to help at bingo. Monthly positions including Leader, Opener, Paymaster, and Paper Sales are open and looking for your skill set. Training is provided for all positions, along with dinner, drinks, and laughter. If interested or for more details, contact Ryan Bihl, [watembihl@yahoo.com](mailto:watembihl@yahoo.com), or Jamie Powers, [jamielpowers00@gmail.com](mailto:jamielpowers00@gmail.com). You can also scan the QR code to volunteer today!

**Up next week, our fabulous preschool parents and friends! Sign up at the link below!**

8th Grade	7th Grade	6th Grade	5th Grade	4th Grade
June 13 August 29 November 14 January 23 April 3	June 20 September 5 November 21 January 30 April 10	June 27 September 12 November 28 February 6 April 17	July 11 September 19 December 5 February 13 April 24	July 18 September 26 December 12 February 20 May 1
3rd Grade	2nd Grade	1st Grade	Kindergarten	Preschool
July 25 October 3 December 19 February 27 May 8	August 1 October 10 December 26 March 6 May 15	August 8 October 17 January 2 March 13 May 22	August 15 October 24 January 9 March 20 May 29	August 22 November 7 January 16 March 27 June 5

**Bingo Volunteer Sign up**

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*Donate*



El **8** LOCO  
RESTAURANT

**Wednesday, August 24**  
**11:00 AM-9:00 PM**  
**621 Stevenson Road, Erlanger**

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



### Give the Gift of Time

One of the greatest gifts anyone can give is the gift of their time. Many volunteer opportunities are available at St. Henry Church, St. Barbara Church, and Cristo Rey, the three parishes that sponsor St. Henry Catholic

School. School families who are receiving the Active Church Member Tuition Rate through their membership in one of these parishes are required to participate in activities of their Church (in addition to St. Henry Catholic School related events).

### On-Going Opportunities

- Altar serving for children that have received First Holy Communion in fourth grade and older. Servers are needed at both St. Henry and St. Barbara.
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion\*
- Lectors\*
- CCD catechists\* and substitute teachers\*, as well as student aides (high school students)
- St. Vincent de Paul: both St. Henry and St. Barbara have a SVDP Conference
- Walking with Moms in Need — coming soon to St. Henry
- Bingo

\*Adults 18 and older must be Virtus compliant to volunteer for these positions. See Virtus information on page 11.

## Rocktoberfest

Our gym teacher, Allison Kallmeyer, is running the Grand Raffle booth at St. Barbara's festival September 9-11. Volunteers are needed Saturday from 5:00-7:00 PM, 7:00-9:30 PM, and 9:30 PM-midnight and on Sunday from 2:00-4:30 PM, and 4:30-7:00 PM. Email Allison if you are able to help out, [akallmeyer@sthenrynky.com](mailto:akallmeyer@sthenrynky.com) if you are





available to help.

There are numerous other opportunities available as well, please click the link below to learn more and to help out.

[Rocktoberfest Volunteer Sign Up](#)

## VIRTUS®



For current volunteers, the August is posted and is due Tuesday, September 6. The decision has been made by the Diocese of Covington that there will no longer be "open" months in VIRTUS®. Effective immediately, if someone falls 12 bulletins behind, their VIRTUS® account will be inactivated and they will have to re-process their selection background check.

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

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

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
St. Patrick Church Maysville	Saturday, August 20	10:00 AM
Diocese of Covington Curia Covington	Tuesday, August 23	6:30 PM
St. Edward Cynthiana	Tuesday, August 30	5:30 PM

## The Battle For Our Faith!

Bishop Thomas Olmsted of Phoenix issued a challenge to all Catholic men to engage in the battle for our faith. Satan is waging war against us for our souls. He also wants the souls of our wives and our children. He wants to rip our families away from us! Bishop Olmsted calls us to step Into the Breach to stop his assault.

For twelve weeks our St. Henry TMIY group will go Into the Breach to answer the call and stand In the Breach. We ask you to join our army of faith as we confront Satan head on. Join us in Wehage Hall starting on September 14, from 6:00-7:15 AM as we fight for our faith and the faith of our families. Listen to the challenge to learn more...



## Diocese of Covington News

### Notre Dame Urban Education Center

**NDUEC** is seeking adult & high school volunteers to tutor children in grades K-10 for our Homework PLUS program from 3-5pm Monday through Thursday. Come and make a difference in the life of a child. For more information, please call **NDUEC** at 859-261-4487, [online](#) or email Sister Maria Therese at [smtherese@nduec.org](mailto:smtherese@nduec.org). Volunteers 18 and older must be Virtus compliant.

## Upcoming Events

- **August 23:** PTO kick off meeting, 7:00 PM - cafeteria
- **August 24:** Vision Night, 6:30 PM
- **August 24:** Dine to Donate: El Ocho Loco, 11:00 AM-9:00 PM
- **September 5:** Labor Day, no school
- **September 6:** Dine to Donate: Erlanger Skyline all day!
- **September 7:** Beginning of year MAP testing window opens
- **September 9-11:** St. Barbara's Rocktoberfest
- **September 16:** Picture day
- **September 20:** Boosters meetings
- **October 13:** End of first quarter
- **October 14:** No school for students
- **October 22:** [Boosters Golf Outing](#)
- **October 24:** Parent / teacher conferences - 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 Rey

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

## Join us for Mass!

### St. Barbara

*Fr. John Sterling, Pastor*  
*Chuck Melville, Deacon*

#### 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

*Fr. Joshua Lange, Pastor*  
*Fr. Aby Thampi, Parochial Vicar*  
*Deacon Mike Lyman*

#### 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

*Fr. Allan Frederick, Pastor*

#### 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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