



Crusader Connection

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November 11, 2022

2022-2023 School Calendar

Good afternoon,

This weekend we kick off our third annual CruGiving campaign. CruGiving started during the Covid pandemic because of not being able to have our Crusader Royale, and we've had great success with it. The week kicks off this weekend with our middle school St. Henry children speaking at our parishes Saturday and Sunday Masses. This is always a proud moment for me to see our children share with full congregations what it is about St. Henry school that they love so much.

As the week progresses, we have out of uniform days and service projects along with our fundraising foci. The big focus this year is raising money to maintain the support staff that we have been blessed to hire with Covid relief funds. Our additional staff have helped in tremendous ways and have been part of our children closing learning gaps created because of Covid.

It takes a lot - volunteers, time, money and more - to keep our great school going. And we ask a lot. We just sent information out about our CruClub, a separate fundraising arm here at St. Henry. The main focus there is to reach community members.

The main focus for CruGiving is to reach alumni, friends and family of St. Henry. We of course very much appreciate any and all supplemental financial support from our current families. In addition to prayerfully considering making a monetary donation, we also ask that you spread the word about CruGiving and our great school. In a few short weeks we'll have our Open House and be inviting families to tour and considering joining our family. Begin spreading the word now about how much you love our community.

We hope to see you at the Classic tonight or this weekend and look forward to a fun week next week!

St. Henry, pray for us!



 ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Please prayerfully consider supporting St. Henry Catholic School this year as we continue to grow and enhance the Body of Christ in our community. When we, as many parts come together, we can have an even deeper impact for the future of our children.

Donate Today!











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St. Henry is a great place because our community - you! - makes us a great community. We grow and strengthen because of support from you and those around you, ultimately resulting in success for our children. St. Henry Catholic School is asking for your help to sustain and grow our excellence in education. Please consider donating to our beloved school during CruGiving Week in November! Each day of our CruGiving campaign will include student-led charitable learning projects, actions and giving. Support us while we support others! Please contact cruclub@sthenryny.com with any questions. Thank you for your consideration to give generously, and for your prayers always.

Monday, 11/14	Tuesday, 11/15	Wednesday, 11/16	Thursday, 11/17	Friday, 11/18
LONGTERM STAFF CONTINUITY  <p>To keep our incredible support staff (counselor, interventionist, enrichment teachers) employed long-term, we are seeking funds to help with annual retention = \$30,000</p>  <p><u>Student Service Focus:</u> Saint Vincent DePaul canned goods drive collection kick-off</p>	FACULTY LOUNGE TURNAROUND  <p>Let's give our faculty lounge a much-needed upgrade with potential items like newer appliances, lounge furniture and a carpet = \$10,000</p>  <p><u>Student Service Focus:</u> Students make cards & crafts to give to Diocesan Children's Home & Parish Kitchen</p>	SUPPORT THE FINE ARTS  <p>Art/Theater are proven ways to increase student creativity, self-expression, and confidence. Help our programs continue this trend with new supplies and updated curriculum = \$5,000</p>  <p><u>Student Service Focus:</u> Bake sale to raise funds for students to make prayer blankets for the sick and shut-in</p>	POSTER PRINTER & LASER CUTTER  <p>Help us purchase and maintain a state-of-the-art poster printer & laser cutter that all departments, clubs, and organizations can utilize for promotions and instruction = \$5,000</p>  <p><u>Student Service Focus:</u> Candy Gram sales to benefit the SHCS Student Council efforts</p>	GENERAL DAY OF GIVING  <p>As needs arise throughout the year, it is extremely helpful to have general funds available to support them - think teacher training, student prizes, new paint= \$10,000</p>  <p><u>Student Service Focus:</u> Cut out and string angels for the church Giving Tree to benefit over 425 people in need over the holidays</p>



SPIRIT WEEK: The Week of CruGiving will include fun dress up themes for the students and staff. Please remember to adhere to the Student Handbook guidelines when in question about out of uniform appropriate attire. We hope this helps students get excited about the week of Giving and Giving Back!

MONDAY 11/14: Pajama Day!

TUESDAY 11/15: Hawaiian Day! Wear your best Hawaiian shirt or school appropriate beach gear (appropriate length shorts or leggings with grass skirts over them are permitted).

WEDNESDAY 11/16: Wacky Wednesday! Wear your wackiest gear from head to toe.

THURSDAY 11/17: Sports team vs Superhero! Dress up as your favorite superhero or in your favorite sports team gear.

FRIDAY 11/18: Be You Day! Wear your favorite outfit.

SCHOOL WIDE INCENTIVES: The goal of CruGiving is to raise as much money as possible to help sustain the excellence in education and community in which St. Henry Catholic School is currently operating. To help us reach our goals, the following schoolwide incentives are in place:

TIER ONE SCHOOL GOAL: \$20,000 = Sundaes at lunch

TIER TWO SCHOOL GOAL: \$45,000 = Out of uniform the week after Thanksgiving

TIER THREE SCHOOL GOAL: \$60,000 = Mr. Wolff gets SLIMED! Participating students in each homeroom are entered in a drawing to slime Mr. Wolff!

CruGiving SVDP Drive

Help us help others during the Christmas season! Our student council will be collecting non-perishable food items, along with toiletries and cleaning supplies. All items will be given to the St. Henry St. Vincent de Paul pantry.

CruGiving Candy Grams

Back by popular demand - Candygrams! Junior High students will be accepting sales to benefit Student Council. You can order in three ways.

1. Fill out an individual form and send labeled cash/check to school in an envelope. Small candygrams are \$1 each: <https://forms.gle/psHvJhGF5g1wpPhT6>
2. Fill out a group form (for an entire homeroom) and send labeled cash/check to school in an envelope. Group candy is \$20 per homeroom: <https://forms.gle/cMEb6H6vkhXfiGVb6>
3. Purchase individual or group candygrams in person during lunch on Thursday 11/17. You DO NOT need to fill out an online form if you purchase at school.

Your order will not be delivered until cash is received. Orders will not be accepted after Thursday 11/17. Candygrams will be delivered by Tuesday 11/22. Thank you for your support!



The inaugural Carrie Williams Memorial Scholarship Euchre Tournament will be held on Saturday, December 3, at the Sterling Event Center on the campus of St. Barbara Church.

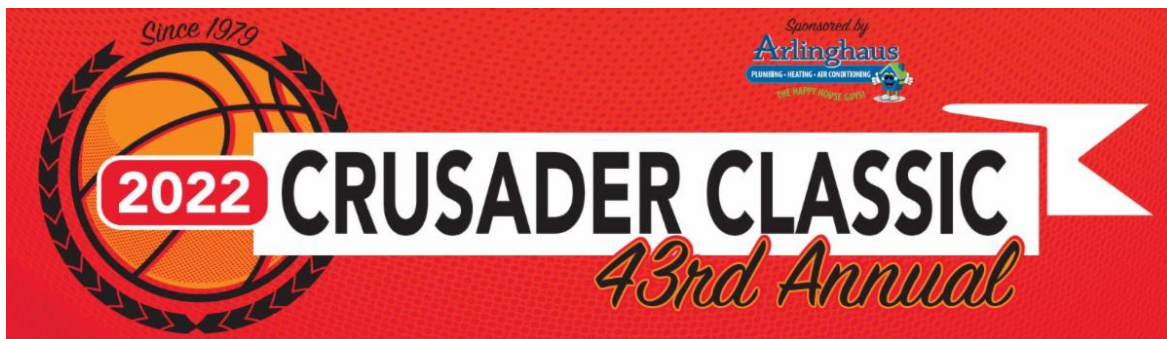
Along with the euchre tournament, there will be a silent auction where you can bid on a multitude of items. Non-players are welcome to stop by to check out the auction, hang out, and have a drink at the bar.

Register for the euchre tournament:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e44a4a82fa2f8c34-carrie>

If you're interested in sponsorship opportunities, please contact carriewilliamsmemorial@gmail.com.

Athletic Boosters News



Congratulations, John Lewis!

On behalf of the St. Henry's Booster's organization, Principal Dennis Wolff, St. Henry Catholic School, and our parish community, we would like to recognize John Lewis for his extraordinary service.

John, his wife Cresta, daughter Samantha, and son, Jack have been a fixture in the St. Henry community for more than a decade. Their passion and support for all things Crusader have left an indelible mark on our

school, parish, and athletic programs. John has never shied away from helping out with whatever was needed. For more than ten years, John called bingo on a monthly basis in our school cafeteria and is still known to fill in whenever called upon.

He started coaching his son Jack's basketball team during Jack's second grade year. In 2017, along with Joe Montgomery, he helped take our fourth grade team to the finals of that year's Crusader Classic. That same year, 2017, John volunteered to take over the coordinating role for the Crusader Classic from its prior curator, Brian Casey. Despite his busy work schedule and family commitments, John has put in countless hours since then, not only on the stage, but mostly behind the scenes: working on brackets, pictures, answering coaches' questions, dealing with scheduling conflicts, finding referees, purchasing trophies, the list goes on and on. The Crusader Classic is in its 43rd year of existence. John's mark on our little tournament here in Elsmere has been enormous. Thank you for helping create so many wonderful moments and memories for these kids and for all of us. We are all tremendously grateful for

all your years of service and dedication. (As presented to John by Marty Fedders)

Friday, November 11

Be sure to join us tonight for lots of Crusader action, including:

- Honoring the **fourth grade** volleyball team at halftime of the 6:00 PM game
- Honoring the **seventh/eighth grade** volleyball team at halftime of the 7:00 PM game
- Honoring the SHDHS Boys State Championship Cross Country team at halftime of the 8:00 PM game, including SHCS alum **Dixon Ryan** who came in first place, along with **Lake Durrett** and **Jeff Stewart** who finished in the top ten!

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to make the Classic a success! Please sign up for your team's assigned time. If you can't make that time, please sign up for another slot. The Classic is perfect for high school students needing service hours! If you have questions, reach out to Liz Krallman, lizkrallman@gmail.com.

<https://signup.com/go/EsvwJpU>



Cafeteria News

Lunch Payments

Money can be added to students' accounts via cash or check (payable to St. Henry) and sent to the cafeteria. If you have multiple children and want a check split a certain way, please send it in with payment or we will pick the best way we feel fit for it. Money may also be added using the [K-12 Payment Center](#). You can add money to your child's account, transfer funds, and see their cafeteria purchase history all securely online.

Even if paying in person, we recommend making a K-12 Payment account to see your child's purchase history. If a child has money on their account and wants to get an extra, they will be allowed to do so. Payments CANNOT go through Sycamore. If you have any questions, please reach out to Jessica Andrews, jandrews@sthenryky.com.

Click on menu for a printable PDF.

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✠ ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
31 Mini Corn Dogs Mac & Cheese Corn Broccoli with Dip Peach Cups Frozen Sidekicks Milk	1 All Saints Day No School	2 Salisbury Steak Dinner Rolls Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	3 3 or 4 Way Chili Spaghetti Kidney Beans Diced Onions, Shredded Cheese Oyster Crackers Grated Carrots Veggie Boats with Dip Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit Milk	4 Cheese Bites Marinara Sauce Steamed Broccoli Garden Salads Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk	Alternate Meal Options* Milk and choices of daily fruits and/or vegetables offered with all alternate meal options. Peanut Butter/Jelly Sandwich Mozzarella string cheese, goldfish crackers Hummus Cup Tostito's chips, mozzarella string cheese Protein Pack Hardboiled egg, cheese cubes, goldfish crackers, pretzels Chef Salad Large salad with turkey or hardboiled egg, goldfish crackers, and pretzels Extras NOT included in the lunch: Milk: 50¢ Small juice: 50¢ Switch Can: 85¢ Water: \$1.30 Bagged snacks: 80¢ Rice Krispie Treat: 80¢
7 Chicken Nuggets Mac & Cheese Baked Beans Veggie Boats with Dip Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	8 Hot Dog or Cheese Coney Roasted Potatoes Diced Onions, Shredded Cheese Carrots and Celery with Dip Pear Cups Fresh Fruit Milk	9 Roast Beef with Gravy Dinner Rolls Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	10 Chicken or Cheese Quesadilla Salsa Cups, Sour Cream Refried Beans Corn Peach Cups Frozen Sidekicks Milk	11 Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Oyster Crackers Garden Salads Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk	
14 Chicken Patty on Bun Waffle Fries Baked Beans Peach Cups Frozen Sidekicks Milk	15 Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza Carrots with Dip Steamed Broccoli Pear Cups Fresh Fruit Milk	16 *COMMUNITY DAY* Turkey Roast with Gravy Dinner Rolls Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Stuffing Applesauce Pumpkin Pie Milk	17 Confetti Pancakes Sausage Patties Sesame Fries Veggie Boats with Dip Baked Apples Fresh Fruit Milk	18 Pizza Crunchers Marinara Sauce Green Beans Garden Salads Pineapple Fresh Fruit Milk	
21 Chicken Tenders Roasted Potatoes Green Beans Mini Biscuit Peach Cups Frozen Sidekicks Milk	22 Soft Taco Shredded Cheese Salsa Cups, Sour Cream Corn Black Beans Pear Cups Fresh Fruit Milk	23 No School	24 Thanksgiving No School	25 No School	
28 Mini Corn Dogs Mac & Cheese Corn Broccoli with Dip Peach Cups Frozen Sidekicks Milk	29 Hamburger or Cheeseburger Potato Wedges Baked Beans Pear Cups Fresh Fruit Milk	30 Salisbury Steak Dinner Rolls or Chicken Patty on Bun Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	1 *Community Day November 16; stay tuned for details!	2	

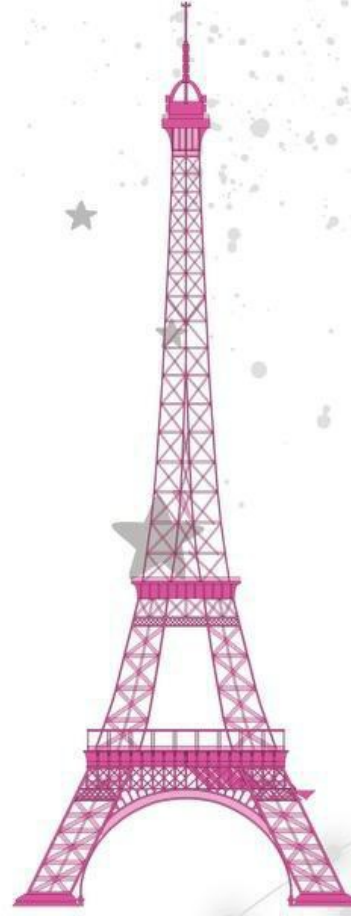
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PTO News

YOU ARE INVITED TO
St. Henry's
Father Daughter Dance



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Elsmere, KY 41018



Friday **DEC 2**
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7-9:30PM 2

Early Registration
\$20 Father
Daughter Couple
\$5 Additional
Daughter

Christmas in Paris!

The Father Daughter Dance is three weeks away! We will be serving food and providing a candy bar at the dance again this year. We need your help to make this happen and of course we want to give moms the opportunity to assist at the dance as well. Please consider helping where you can!

Father Daughter Dance Registration

Father Daughter Dance Donations

Father Daughter Dance Volunteers



Moms and sons! Save the date: January 27, for our annual Cyclones game! Meet some of your Marvel Super Heroes, Game time is 7:30 PM. Perfect stocking stuffer for your Crusader! [Tickets can be purchased today!](#)

DINE TO
Donate



Tuesday, November 15
5:00 PM-Close
Dine In/Carry Out
Crestview Hills Town Center



Did you know dinner is provided for our volunteers? We added salad and it is a BIG hit. Bingo is a great way to get involved in your school community! Sign up below or contact Jamie or Ryan for details!

Weekly and monthly volunteers are needed to help at bingo. Training is provided for all positions, along with dinner, drinks, and laughter. For more details, contact Ryan Bihl, watermobihl@yahoo.com, or Jamie Powers, jamielpowers00@gmail.com.

Effective immediately, anyone under 18 will not be permitted during our bingo sessions.

Up next week, our eighth grade parents and friends, slowly counting their bingo days! Sign up at the link below!

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

Bingo Volunteer Sign up



The Best Monday Night Bingo in the Tri-State!

18 faces for \$15

November 14 Jackpots

The Fort: \$2,400

Triple Crown Derby: \$1,700

Hog Wild: \$1,100

Doors Open: 5:00 PM

Jitneys: 6:45 PM

Regular Games: 7:15 PM



November 21: Thankful for our players!
November 28: Lucky Loser drawing and Play Big Hoss for the chance to win a 55" Smart TV!

Must be 18 or older to enter cafeteria

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VIRTUS®



Anyone who volunteers in our school or parish must be VIRTUS trained and compliant. For current volunteers, the November bulletin is due December 6.

If you are interested in volunteering in our school or parish, there are many opportunities to attend the Protecting God's Children training; visit VIRTUS.org > drop down to select Covington, KY (Diocese) > select a session to attend and register. **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.

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Diocese of Covington Curia Building Covington	Monday, November 14	9:00 AM
St. Francis Xavier Church Falmouth	Tuesday, November 15	6:00 PM

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.

News from St. Henry Parish

Church Bulletin Color Advertising Rates

Scott Franz, representing our Bulletin Publisher, Diocesan, is currently seeking new advertisements. Support our parish while you promote your business in print and digitally through social media. If interested, please contact Scott directly or call the parish office. Only a third down payment is required to reserve an ad.

Contact

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News from St. Henry District High School



ST. HENRY
DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL
CRUSADERS

OPEN HOUSE
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13
1:00-4:00 PM

[PLEASE CLICK HERE TO REGISTER!](#)

Come see why St. Henry District High School (SHDHS) was the **ONLY high school in the entire state of Kentucky to earn the 2021 National Blue Ribbon School distinction!**

SHDHS students, faculty, and staff members will welcome families with a brief guided tour of our beautiful campus.

Families will then have the opportunity to attend their choice of up to six different informational sessions:

- *STEM*
- *The Arts*
- *Faith & Service*
- *Academic Support*
- *High School 101 / College Prep*
- *Advanced Placement / Dual Credit / Vocational Opportunities*

SHDHS administrators, counselors, faculty members, athletic coaches, club moderators, and students will be available to answer any and all questions families may have.

Every 8th grade and high school transfer student who attends will be automatically entered into a **\$500 SHDHS tuition credit drawing!**

If you have any questions, or would like more information, please contact the SHDHS Enrollment or Admissions Departments (859.525.0255, enrollment@shdhs.org, or admissions@shdhs.org).

Enrollment Events

HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT TEST WORKSHOP (OPTIONAL)

- Tuesday, November 29, 2022
- Tuesday, December 6, 2022
- 8th grade students
- [Register today!](#)

HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT TEST

- Saturday, December 10, 2022: 8th grade students

PARENT Q&A

- Saturday, December 10, 2022: 8th grade parents

NEW FAMILY INFORMATION NIGHT

- Thursday, January 12, 2023: newly registered families + prospective families

COURSE SELECTION 1:1 MEETINGS

- February 2023: registered incoming freshmen + parents

Connect to SHDHS Online



St. Henry District High School's presents: The Wizard of Oz!

Follow the yellow brick road in this delightful stage adaptation of L. Frank Baum's beloved tale featuring the iconic musical score from the MGM film.

Showtimes:

Friday, 11/18, 7:30 pm
Saturday, 11/19, 7:30 pm
Sunday, 11/20, 2:00 pm

Tickets are available on <https://theater.shdhs.org/>.

Upcoming Events

- **November 4-20:** Crusader Classic
- **November 15:** Carrabas dine to donate (5:00 PM-close)

- **November 15:** Boosters Meeting
- **November 14-18:** CruGiving
- **November 18:** Second quarter mid-term
- **November 23:** Dine to Donate: El Ocho Loco (all day)
- **November 23-27:** Thanksgiving Break
- **November 27:** The First Sunday of Advent
- **December 2:** Father / daughter dance
- **December 3:** Carrie Williams Memorial Euchre Tournament
- **December 4:** The Second Sunday of Advent
- **December 6:** Dine to Donate: Erlanger Skyline
- **December 8:** The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Holy Day of Obligation, no school
- **December 13:** Dine to donate: The Hive
- **December 19-20:** Santa's workshop
- December 20: Dine to donate: Coldstone Creamery (12:00-9:30 PM)
- **December 20:** Boosters Meeting
- **December 21:** Beginning of Christmas break
- **December 28:** Dine to donate: El Ocho Loco (all day)



Our Parishes

St. Barbara

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St. Henry

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Cristo Rey

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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
Mike Lyman, Deacon

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
8:30 AM **Friday only**

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

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.

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