



Crusader Connection

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October 21, 2022

2022-2023 School Calendar

Good afternoon,

We're working on getting our water heater back up and running in the cafeteria but are waiting for parts to arrive. One part is in and will be installed Monday, hopefully resolving the issue. As soon as we are back to full functioning, an update will be sent to parents.

Grades for quarter one and MAP results for children will be available today. Here are a few high level notes about the beginning of year MAP tests:

- Our current first graders scored higher this year than they did at the end of the year as Kindergarten students. This was the case for seven grade levels, and it's not always the case due to "summer slide".
- On average, our beginning of year MAP scores are higher this year than they were last year.

And the growth is not just showing up on MAP tests. So far this year children in grades across the school are moving up reading levels, as measured on our Scholastic Book Room reading assessment.

I know some of this data may be unclear or confusing. The bottom line is that our children are progressing well. Teachers will share more at conferences Monday, and I'll be available to talk as well.

St. Henry, pray for us!

School News



We Are Family!

#MANYPARTSONEBODY
#ILOVESTHENRYCATHOLICSCHOOL



Walking for a Cure

Ten years ago, St. Henry Catholic School's counselor, Shannon Wilson's life changed when she was diagnosed with a brain tumor at the end of her freshman year of high school (Notre Dame Academy, Blessed Sacrament). Throughout the last decade, she has experienced some pretty intense highs and lows. Between surgery, radiation, and general recovery/rehabilitation, she has been tested in more ways than she ever thought possible. However, on Sunday, 30 of her coworkers and friends surprised her at the Walk Ahead for a Brain Tumor Cure walk, ready to join her in standing up to cancer. Shannon was immediately reminded of the beauty that often arises amidst the toughest moments in life. Shannon said, "The gratitude I feel is hard to put into words, but I am renewed by the hope that people like the ones pictured exist to help carry the load on the craziest of journeys."

Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

On All Souls Day, Wednesday, November 2, St. Henry Catholic Parish will hold their annual Commemoration of the Faithful Depart Mass. This Mass commemorates those from our parish that have passed away late October 2021 through September 2022. This year, two Crusaders will be remembered: Steve Montgomery and Carrie Williams. All are welcome to join us as we pray for all the faithful departed.

It's Scholastic Book Fair Time!

Online shopping runs until Monday, October 24. Parents can set up an e-wallet for their children by following the instructions on the homepage. If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Bohman, mbohman@sthenrynky.com.

**SCHOLASTIC BOOK
FAIR**

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El **8** LOCO
RESTAURANT

Wednesday, October 26
11:00 AM-9:00 PM
621 Stevenson Road, Erlanger

Athletic Boosters News

Dear Parents,

The 2022 Crusader Classic is approaching and begins on Friday, November 4, which is Crusader Night. Crusader Night always starts with a pep rally at the school, and includes Mr. Crusader and Miss Crusader competition among the students. It's a Crusader Crazy day!

The tournament runs from November 4 through November 20 and, like everything we do here at St. Henry that makes us great, we are in need of volunteers.

We are asking all parents to work this year as in the past we haven't been able to fill these roles.

The Classic is one of the most rewarding events to our student athletes. Please consider giving of some of your time during this tournament to continue its excellence.

Go Cru!

Spirit Wear

Basketball, archery, and Crusader Classic spirit wear is available through midnight Sunday, October 23. Items will deliver November 3. Please send me an email if you have any questions. jfedders@vbsprint.com

New Users: <https://shcs.vbsenterprise.com/sec.../NewUserPassword.epm...>
Password-Crusader

Existing Users:
<https://shcs.vbsenterprise.com/>



PTO News

Men's Day Out: Bengals & Brews

Our next PTO event is for the men! We will gather at House of Orange, Sunday, November 6, at 12:30 PM to enjoy Bengals' game and brews! We've reserved the location; you'll just need to pay for any food or drinks purchased. Please use the Google Form link below to register so we can let them know how many to expect!



Men's Day Out RSVP



PTO Connection

OCTOBER 2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

THE 2022-2023 PTO BOARD HAS BEEN HARD AT WORK GETTING NEW EVENTS ON THE CALENDAR. WE HOPE THESE NEW EVENTS ALLOW OUR ST. HENRY COMMUNITY TO COME TOGETHER BY VOLUNTEERING OR PARTICIPATING. WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT AN EVENT SOON!

WE'VE RECEIVED \$1321.60 FROM KROGER REWARDS SO FAR THIS YEAR. LINKING YOUR KROGER CARD TO ST. HENRY IS AN EASY WAY TO HELP US EARN ADDITIONAL MONEY!

REMINDERS:

- LINK YOUR KROGER CARD TO ST. HENRY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
- DOWNLOAD THE BOX TOP APP AND SCAN YOUR RECEIPTS
- DINE TO DONATE - SKYLINE 10/4, EL OCHO LOCO 10/26

WANT TO GET INVOLVED?

EMAIL: PTO@STHENRYNKY.COM

UPCOMING CRUSADER EVENT:



FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

THE ADDAMS FAMILY

OCTOBER 15TH, 6PM, ST. HENRY GYM

JOIN US FOR THIS FREE EVENT.

SIGN UP VIA GOOGLE FORM.

BRING A CAMPING CHAIR OR SLEEPING BAG.

SNACKS AND TREATS WILL BE PROVIDED.



YEARLY CALENDAR:

OCTOBER

- 11 - PTO MEETING
- 15 - FAMILY HALLOWEEN MOVIE NIGHT

NOVEMBER

- 6 - MEN'S DAY OUT, BENGALS AND BREWS
- 8 - PTO MEETING
- 14-18 - CRUGIVING

DECEMBER

- 2 - FATHER DAUGHTER DANCE - CHRISTMAS IN PARIS
- 13 - PTO MEETING
- 19-20 - SANTA'S WORKSHOP

JANUARY

- 10 - PTO MEETING
- 13 - LADIES NIGHT OUT
- 27 - MOTHER/SON HOCKEY GAME
- 30 - CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

FEBRUARY

- 10 - MOTHER/DAUGHTER EVENT - VALENTINES DAY
- 15 - PTO MEETING
- 26 - FAMILY OUTING AT STRIKE AND SPARE

MARCH

- 4 - PARENT SOCIAL
- 14 - PTO MEETING

APRIL



- 2 - FAMILY EASTER EGG HUNT
- 19 - PTO MEETING

MAY

- 1 - TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK
- 2 - CONFIRMATION RECEPTION
- 9 - PTO MEETING
- 24 - 8TH GRADE BRUNCH
- 25 - KINDERGARTEN CELEBRATION RECEPTION

Cafeteria News

Click on the menu below for a printable PDF.

<div>  <h1>OCTOBER 2022</h1> <h2>ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL</h2>  </div>					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
3 Mini Corn Dogs Mac & Cheese Corn Broccoli w/ Dip Peach Cup Frozen Sidekicks Milk	4 Hamburger or Cheeseburger Potato Wedges Baked Beans Pear Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	5 Salisbury Steak Dinner Roll or Chicken Patty on Bun Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	6 3- or 4-Way Chili Spaghetti Kidney Beans, Diced Onions Shredded Cheese Oyster Crackers Veggie Boat, Glazed Carrots Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit Milk	7 Cheese Bites with Marinara Sauce Steamed Broccoli Garden Salad 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¢ Water: \$1.30 Bagged snacks: 80¢ Rice Krispie Treat: 80¢ *Meat options not offered on Fridays **Menu subject to change by product availability.
10 Chicken or Cheese Quesadilla Salsa, Sour Cream Refried Beans Corn Frozen Sidekick Peach Cup Milk	11 Hot Dog or Cheese Corvey Roasted Potatoes Diced Onions, Shredded Cheese Carrots/Celery with Dip Pear Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	12 Roast Beef with Gravy Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	13 Chicken Nuggets Mac & Cheese Baked Beans Veggie Boat Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	14 Fall Break No School	
17 Chicken Patty on Bun Baked Beans Waffle Fries Frozen Sidekick Peach Cup Milk	18 Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza Carrots with Dip Steamed Broccoli Pear Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	19 Spaghetti with Meat Sauce Bread Stick Corn, Garden Salad Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	20 Coriotti Pancakes Sausage Patty Smile Fries Veggie Boat Baked Apples Fresh Fruit Milk	21 Pizza Crunchers Marinara Sauce Green Beans Garden Salad Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk	
24 Chicken Tenders Roasted Potatoes Green Beans Mini Biscuit Frozen Sidekick Peach Cup Milk	25 Beef Taco Shredded Cheese Salsa, Sour Cream Corn, Black Beans Pear Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	26 Chicken Drumstick Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes Glazed Carrots Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	27 Baked Ziti Breadstick Steamed Broccoli Garden Salad Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	28 French Toast Egg Omelet Salsa Veggie Boat Baked Apples Fresh Fruit Milk	
31 Mini Corn Dogs Mac & Cheese Corn Broccoli w/ Dip Peach Cup Frozen Sidekicks Milk	1 All Saints Day Holy Day of Obligation No School	2 Salisbury Steak Dinner Roll or Chicken Patty on Bun Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	3 3- or 4-Way Chili Spaghetti Kidney Beans, Diced Onions Shredded Cheese Oyster Crackers Veggie Boat, Glazed Carrots Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit Milk	4 Cheese Bites with Marinara Sauce Steamed Broccoli Garden Salad Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk	

This institution is an equal opportunity employer



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.

Up next week, our kind kindergarten parents and friends! Sign up at the link below!



The Best Monday Night Bingo in the Tri-State!

18 faces for \$15

October 24

Scare up your best costume for a chance to win a prize!

Play Big Boss for a chance to win a 55" Smart TV!

Lucky Loser Drawing

Progressive Jackpots

The Fort: \$2,400

Triple Crown Derby: \$950

Hog Wild: \$900

**NO Bingo on
Halloween**

Doors Open: 5:00 PM

Jitneys: 6:45 PM

Regular Games: 7:15 PM

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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
October 3 December 19 February 27 May 8	October 10 December 26 March 6 May 15	October 17 January 2 March 13 May 22	October 24 January 9 March 20 May 29	November 7 January 16 March 27 June 5

Bingo Volunteer Sign up

VIRTUS®



Anyone who volunteers in our school or parish must be VIRTUS trained and compliant. For current volunteers, the October bulletin is posted and is due Tuesday, November 1.

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
St. Catherine of Siena Ft. Thomas	Thursday, October 27	6:30 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



Investiture Ceremony

Please keep our eighth graders in your prayers as they prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. On Wednesday evening, October 26, they will sign the Contract of Investiture as the next step on their journey of faith.



HALLOWEEN- THE CATHOLIC WAY

What is HALLOWEEN?



"ALL HALLOWS' EVE" is where the name of halloween comes from. A hallowed person is another name for a saint.

We call October 31 - All Hallow's Eve because it is the eve of All Saints' Day which is on November 1.



The mass that the Catholic Church celebrated on Nov. 1 was called "Allhallomas". This meant mass of all the hallowed (saintly people). It was commonly called "All Hallows' Day".

The night before Nov.1 became known as Allhallowe'en, which was short for "evening before All Hallows' Day." It was then shortened to what we now know as Halloween.



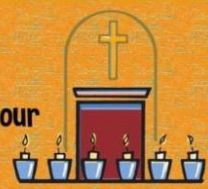
Why do we celebrate All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day?



November 1 is a special day called the feast of All Saints. It is the day the Church celebrates with all the people who have died and are now with God in heaven. Everyone who has lived and died in Jesus' love is a saint. We do not know the names of all the saints. Some of these people were so much like Jesus that after they died, the Church said they were definitely in heaven.



November 2 is a special day called the feast of All Souls. It is celebrated in honor and remembrance of the souls of our dearly departed loved ones, and to pray for other souls that still need our prayers. The Church honors this day as a solemn day for all souls in purgatory who are being cleansed before entering Heaven.



How can we celebrate Halloween?



1. Dress up like "Little Saints"

Let's do our best to remind everyone that this day is the eve of the feast of All Saints. We honor the saints by dressing up like them instead of dressing up as anything that glorifies sin, horror or rebellion from God. By our good example, people will be curious to learn more about "All Hallows' Eve" and may even study the lives of the saints.



3. Go to Mass

On Nov.1 and Nov.2, the most important thing we can do is to attend the Holy Mass and offer it for all the Holy Saints, and our dearly departed loved ones. By doing this, we give honor to them.

2. Visit the graves of our dearly departed

On Nov.1 and Nov.2, let's go to the cemeteries to pray at the graves of our dear departed. We can also adorn it with flowers and lighted candles.



4. We say a prayer

While we celebrate Halloween, we pray to and honor our saints and pray for our dearly departed. We can say the rosary or other prayers at home or upon visiting the grave of our departed loved ones.



VOTE YES ON #2

KY's ProLife Constitutional Amendment - NOVEMBER 8, 2022

As we head into this year's fall political campaign season, we recall the obligation we have as Faithful Citizens to be participants in our nation's political process and to bring our values to the shaping of public policy. As taught in Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship, every Catholic has a responsibility to be involved in



political life:

In the Catholic Tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation...[This obligation] is rooted in our baptismal commitment to follow Jesus Christ and to bear Christian witness in all we do. As the Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us, "It is necessary that all participate, each according to his position and role, in promoting the common good. This obligation is inherent in the dignity of the human person...As far as possible citizens should take an active part in public life" (nos.

1913-1915).

As Catholics we know that protecting the sanctity of life is not a political stance, but a fundamental and moral foundation.

Learn more: <http://www.faithfulcitizenship.org/>

Diocese of Covington News



WITH ONE HEART

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The With One Heart pastoral planning process will begin by listening to needs and hopes of clergy, religious, and lay faithful. Everyone with a heart for the Diocese of Covington and their parish are encouraged to participate in a Deanery Strategy Session. Sessions are open to everyone, not just parishioners of the host deanery.

All sessions are from 7:00–9:00 PM.

Northern Kenton County Deanery

Monday, November 7
St. Agnes Parish
Ft. Wright

Covington Deanery

Tuesday, December 6
Diocesan Curia
Covington

Southeast Deanery

Wednesday, November 9
St. Patrick School
Maysville



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News from St. Henry District High School



ST. HENRY
DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

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OPEN HOUSE

- **Sunday, November 13, 2022:** 6th, 7th, & 8th grade families

HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT TEST WORKSHOP (OPTIONAL)

- **Tuesday, November 29, 2022**
- **Tuesday, December 6, 2022**
- 8th grade students
- Registration will open in October

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

Upcoming Events

- **October 22:** Boosters Golf Outing
- **October 24:** Parent / Teacher Conferences - noon dismissal
- **October 26:** Investiture of Confirmation Candidates Ceremony, 7:00 PM Church
- **November 1:** All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation), no school
- **November 1:** Dine to Donate: Erlanger Skyline, all day
- **November 2:** Commemoration of the Faithful Departed Mass, 7:00 PM Church
- **November 4:** Saints Parade
- **November 4:** First Friday Adoration, 9:30 AM-1:15 PM
- **November 4:** Crusader Classic kick off

- **November 8:** PTO Meeting
- **November 14-18:** CruGiving
- **November 15:** Boosters Meeting
- **November 23:** Dine to Donate: El Ocho Loco
- **November 23-27:** Thanksgiving Break

Our Parishes

St. Barbara
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St. Henry
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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
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

✝ 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.

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