



Crusader Connection

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September 23, 2022

2022-2023 School Calendar

Good afternoon,

We had a great "regular" week here at St. Henry. Thank you to everyone that dined and donated at MacKenzie River Wednesday night. Money raised from dine to donate events is earmarked for new resources and materials in our makerspace. This year in makerspace students have been building rockets in older grades, creating with their favorite LEGOs in younger grades and more.

Today after all school Mass our servers (grades 4 - 8) were trained by Father Lange. We had quite a few servers, so it's clear our children and families are eager to be back helping during Mass.

Our annual pet blessing for our school is scheduled for Tuesday, October 4 at 1:30 PM. We're asking families to sign up this year so we know who is attending and can bring some more organization to the event this year because you never know when a horse might show up. The sign up will be made available next week.

As a reminder, we have a **12 PM dismissal next Friday, September 30** because teachers are staying for a school safety training put on by Kentucky State Police. Aftercare will not be available.

That's it for now. Enjoy lunch and have a great weekend.

St. Henry, pray for us!

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School News



Welcome Fall!

Thanks to all of our students, the residents at The Village of Erlanger are ready for fall! Students in preschool through eighth grade came together painting and coloring leaves recently, helping to create door wreaths welcoming fall at The Village in Erlanger (Baptist Life Community). After consulting with the Activity Director of the Village, 45 wreaths were needed with 12 leaves per wreath. That meant our Crusaders cut out and decorated 672 leaves! The older students helped by cutting out the wreath templates, leaves, and gluing them together. Teachers also had students write letters to Village residents, hoping to bring some additional smiles. Not only is this a great outreach project, but another way our students are living this year's theme: Many parts, one body!

Altar Servers

The students that signed up to be altar servers met in church with Fr. Lange today. An email will be coming to those families from our altar server coordinator, Bridget Price, this weekend. If you have questions, reach out to Bridget, cpricefamily@gmail.com.



**MUMKIN PICK UP
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27**

**A-L PICK UP TIME: 5:00-6:00 PM
M-Z PICK UP TIME: 6:00-7:30 PM**

Thank you for a successful Mumkin sale! Pick up day is Tuesday, September 27, in the school parking lot. To accommodate the large crowd, we are having two pick up times. School families with last name beginning A to L pick up between 5:00-6:00 PM; last name beginning M to Z between 6:00-7:30 PM.

All items need to be picked up Tuesday evening. As a reminder, these plants are quite large and great quality. Please be certain to have enough room in your vehicle. During pick up, all orders MUST be checked by a volunteer before loading them into your vehicle. See you Tuesday!



Crusader Volleyball Challenge 2022

SHCS is gearing up for the 2022 Crusader Parent Volleyball Challenge. This free event will be held in the school gym on the evening of Friday, 10/07, starting at 5pm (after the 8th grade vs teacher game at 345p). St. Henry parents from each grade form teams and compete against each other in a co-ed 6's volleyball tournament. During the tournament, the parking lot is blocked off for a night of tailgating and family fun. Food, soft drinks, and beer will also be sold at the concession stand.

The team captains are as follows:

Pre-School/K - Abby Hicks
1st - Brittany Finch
2nd - Kasey Strunk
3rd - Nikki Boden
4th - Joebbie (Joe VonHandorf & Robbie Fromeyer)
5th - Connie Cornett
6th - Kristen Bowen
7th - Elizabeth Cammack
8th - Gary Meyer

The brackets are as follows:

345p - 8th grade students vs SHS teachers
Match 1 - 5pm (2nd grade vs 8th grade)
Match 2 - 545pm (5th grade vs 6th grade)
Match 3 - 630pm (Pre-School/Kindergarten vs 4th grade)
Match 4 - 715pm (1st grade vs 3rd grade)
Match 5 - 8pm (7th grade vs winner of Match #1)
Match 6 - 845pm (winner of Match #5 & Match #2)
Match 7 - 930pm (winner of Match #3 & Match #4)
The Championship Match 8 - 1015pm (winner of Match #6 & Match #7)

I look forward to seeing everyone on the court! Please contact Kristen Bowen k10j10@yahoo.com if you have any questions. Thank you!

Athletic Boosters News

Archery News

Sign ups for archery will be available soon. Please be looking for registration for archery. If interested they can also contact [Joann Loos](#).

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 or 513-623-9282.

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



GOLF OUTING REGISTRATION

DINE TO
Donate

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RESTAURANT

Wednesday, September 28
11:00 AM-9:00 PM
621 Stevenson Road, Erlanger



Cafeteria News

Click on the menu below for a printable PDF.

SEPTEMBER 2022		ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL			
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	Alternate Meal Options <i>*Milk and choices of daily fruits and/or vegetables offered with all alternate meal options*</i> 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.
29	30	31	1	2	
			Baked Ziti Breadstick Steamed Broccoli Garden Salad Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	French Toast Egg Omelet Salsa Veggie Boat Baked Apples Fresh Fruit Milk	
5 Labor Day	6 Hamburger or Cheeseburger Potato Wedges Baked Beans Pear Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	7 Sallebury Steak Dinner Roll or Chicken Patty on Bun Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	8 3- or 4-Way Chili Spaghetti Kidney Beans, Diced Onions Shredded Cheese Oyster Crackers Veggie Boat, Glazed Carrots Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit Milk	9 Cheese Bites with Marinara Sauce Steamed Broccoli Garden Salad Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk	
12 Chicken or Cheese Quesadilla Salsa, Sour Cream Refried Beans Corn Frozen Sidekick Peach Cup Milk	13 Hot Dog or Cheese Coney Roasted Potatoes Diced Onions, Shredded Cheese Carrots/Celery with Dip Pear Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	14 Roast Beef with Gravy Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	15 Chicken Nuggets Mac & Cheese Baked Beans Veggie Boat Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	16 Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Oyster Crackers Garden Salad Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk	
19 Chicken Patty on Bun Baked Beans Waffle Fries Frozen Sidekick Peach Cup Milk	20 Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza Carrots with Dip Steamed Broccoli Pear Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	21 Spaghetti with Meat Sauce Bread Stick Corn, Garden Salad Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	22 Confetti Pancakes Sausage Patty Smile Fries Veggie Boat Baked Apples Fresh Fruit Milk	23 Pizza Crunchers Marinara Sauce Green Beans Garden Salad Applesauce Fresh Fruit Milk	
26 Chicken Tenders Roasted Potatoes Green Beans Frozen Sidekick Peach Cup Milk	27 Beef Taco Queso Cheese Salsa, Sour Cream Corn, Black Beans Pear Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	28 Chicken Drumstick Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes Glazed Carrots Pineapple Tidbits Fresh Fruit Milk	29 Baked Ziti Breadstick Steamed Broccoli Garden Salad Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit Milk	30 Noon dismissal NO lunch served	



Bingo



Bingo Update

We had the old, the young, the new, and the incognito at the Monday Bingo. Bill and Jenny came to spy on the best run bingo around and tried their luck with some success. We love it when the parents, teachers, and parishioners come and play bingo with us. We hosted 125 bingo players that paid for over 21,000 pull tabs and earned \$5,400 in bingo proceeds thanks to the fifth grade parents.

Yep, this is Bingo!

*Isn't it annoying
To need one number more
And then hear BINGO
Yelled from across the floor.
But each week you keep coming
As you know your luck will come
Then you'll get to yell BINGO
Much to the ire of everyone.*

Thank you to our fifth grade pull-tab volunteers and to our teacher bingo opener, Bonnie Markus, who said "It is so easy to be the opener and get the bingo players started on their winning streak." We had at least one of the regulars that won the \$150 pull-tab that they purchased from our star teacher. Thank you so much to the teachers that volunteer.

Weekly and monthly volunteers are needed to help at bingo. Because our bingo has people from all walks of life, especially older/vulnerable adults, all volunteers must be VIRTUS compliant. 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. For more details, contact Ryan Bihl, watermobihl@yahoo.com, or Jamie Powers, jamielpowers00@gmail.com.

Up next week, our fantastic fourth grade parents and friends! Sign up at the link below!

8th Grade	7th Grade	6th Grade	5th Grade	4th Grade
August 29 November 14 January 23 April 3	September 5 November 21 January 30 April 10	September 12 November 28 February 6 April 17	September 19 December 5 February 13 April 24	September 26 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

The Best Monday Night Bingo in the Tri-State!

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September 26

Smart TV Giveaway!

Jackpots

Doors Open: 5:00 PM
Jitneys: 6:45 PM
Regular Games: 7:15 PM

Triple Crown Derby: \$500
Hog Wild: \$500

18 faces for \$15



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VIRTUS®



For current volunteers, the September bulletin is posted and is due October 4. The decision has been made by the Diocese of Covington that there will no longer be "open" months in VIRTUS®. 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 > 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.

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
St. Henry Parish Elsmere	Wednesday, September 28	6:30 PM
Diocese of Covington Curia Building Covington	Thursday, September 29	9:00 AM

Thomas More Univ.
Crestview Hills

Thursday,
October 13

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

YES FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN

Diocesan parishes and schools are allowed to promote the Yes for Life Amendment. This is considered a lobbying activity, as opposed to political campaigns, under federal law. The proposed amendment does not create any new restrictions on abortion. It simply establishes that nothing in the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Kentucky can be interpreted to include a right to an abortion. In other words, it prevents a judge from imposing a statewide version of Roe v. Wade on the citizens of Kentucky. It provides that issues about abortion and the sanctity of human life will be decided in the state legislature and at the ballot box, not by a judge or court.

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 we are 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.



KICK-OFF RALLY

Sunday, September 25 @ 2:00 PM
2314 Auburn Avenue Cincinnati, Ohio

Join us for the kick-off of our most important fall 40 Days for Life campaign. Fr. Matt Cushing, pastor of All Saints Parish, Walton, will lead prayers and speak. In these confusing times, he will be encouraging us to continue our peaceful, public witness in hopeful expectation that as we humble ourselves and pray and seek God's face, He will hear from heaven and heal our land. (II Chronicles 7:14).

Information about the local abortion crisis and how 40 Days for Life is a consistent and integral part of the solution for us in the Greater Cincinnati area will be available for you to spread the word about this largest worldwide pro-life campaign which has resulted in over 22,000 babies being alive and the closing of over 100 abortion facilities even in the midst of calls for expanded abortion across the United States. Parking on side streets and at Holy Name Church, 2448 Auburn Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio, two blocks from Planned Parenthood on the same site of the street.

[Visit online](#) to learn more or contact St. Henry parishioner Diane Thoman, mdthoman50@gmail.com.



What is Summit22?

Summit22 is a youth Eucharistic retreat (grades 8th-young adult) whose purpose is to help create a **personal** encounter with Jesus Christ and the Catholic faith, while energizing Catholic youth with music, community, Q&A panels, prayer, sacraments, recreation, and more!

On Saturday, participants can ask questions to a select panel, who come well prepared to explain Church teaching on matters large and small — especially on tough issues of faith and morals — with clarity, charity and wit.

Fast Facts:

- Open to Catholic youth, ages 13 – 22.
- Not an overnight! The retreat runs Friday, 6:30–10:30 PM; Saturday, 9:00 AM–10:00 PM; Sunday, 8:30 AM–12:30 PM.
- The \$40 fee includes all snacks and Saturday meals. Financial aid available upon request.
- Early bird discount! Save \$10 on registrations postmarked by September 24, 2022.

Visit <https://covdio.org/summit22/> to learn more and to register.

News from St. Henry District High School



ST. HENRY
DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

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CRUNITE

- **Thursday, September 29, 2022;** 7th & 8th grade students; [Click here to register](#)

CRU TRUNK OR TREAT

- **Thursday, October 20, 2022;** Toddler, preschool, and grade school families

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

- **September 28:** Rosary for all Families, 7:30 AM
- **September 28:** Dine to Donate: El Ocho Loco, 11:00 AM-9:00 PM
- **September 30:** Spirit wear day (uniform bottoms)
- **September 30:** Noon dismissal, staff safety training
- **October 7:** Boosters Volleyball Night
- **October 11:** Dine to Donate: Chipotle, 4:00-8:00 PM
- **October 13:** End of first quarter
- **October 14:** No school for students
- **October 18:** Dine to Donate: Texas Roadhouse
- **October 21:** Picture retake day
- **October 22:** [Boosters Golf Outing](#)
- **October 24:** Parent / Teacher Conferences - noon dismissal
- **October 26:** 8th Grade Investiture of Candidates Ceremony, 7:00 PM Church
- **November 1:** All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation), no school



Our Parishes

St. Barbara

4042 Turkeyfoot Road
Erlanger, KY 41018
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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
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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