



## Crusader Connection

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sthenryschool.net

[SHCS Website](#)

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**July 28, 2023**

2023-2024 School Calendar

Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe that we are just over two weeks away from the first day of school! If you have not worked on picking up your school supplies yet be sure to have those ready to drop off at Readyfest on August 13. You can find the school supply list linked below. We also have our New Parent Night coming up on August 4 starting at 6:30pm in the cafeteria. We hope to see all of the parents who are new to our school there. Tuesday, August 1 is also our Skyline Night for this month. Stop by the Erlanger Skyline and a portion of your cost will benefit our school! Today is also the last day to order spirit wear, gym uniforms, and uniform sweatshirts and have it be ready to pick up at Readyfest so be sure to get those orders in.

I have had a number of people reach out to ask about our staffing situation for the new school year. As you may have seen, we have a number of positions listed. Please be on the lookout for an email from me early next week filling you in on where we are with staffing and our plans as we begin the school year. No matter what, we are always in need of volunteers! If you are interested in volunteering at St. Henry and are not already VIRTUS trained, there is a session here at St. Henry on August 2 and one at St. Barbara on August 14. Details on how to sign up are in the VIRTUS section below. You must be VIRTUS trained before you can volunteer in a classroom, the lunch room, go on a field trip, or volunteer in any other capacity at school related events. Thank you for the support that you pour into our St. Henry community through your time, talent, and treasure! As always, we are partners in educating our students and we could not make it happen without you.

God Bless,  
*Mrs. Kimberly Wagner*

**Sycamore**   
school

**Is Your Sycamore  
Account Up to Date?**

Please be sure to check your



## Uniform & Spirit Wear Sale

Order uniform sweatshirts, gym uniforms, and spirit wear for the new school year!

**Details: Order deadline: July 28**

Pick up: Readyfest, August 13, 12:30-2:00 PM

*Samples sizes are in the school office; office hours are Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM until noon.*

**Order by clicking below:**

- **New users** (password is Crusader)
- **Returning guests** (you have ordered before/have an account)

Sycamore account and make sure that all of your information is up-to-date by July 28. This ensures that we will have everything ready for you before the first day of school.

If you are having issues logging in to your Sycamore account or if you have questions, please contact Mrs. Kristina Goodridge, [kgoodridge@sthenrynky.com](mailto:kgoodridge@sthenrynky.com).



[Click for Supply List](#)

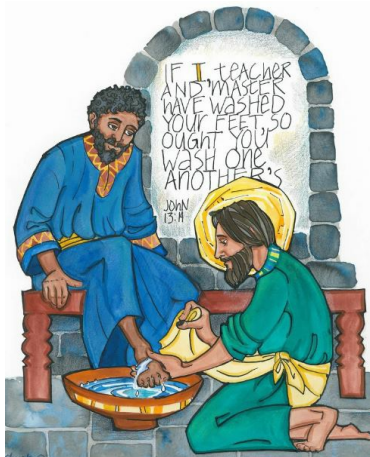
### Summer Gatherings

One of our favorite Crusader traditions is the grade level summer gatherings. It's a time for parents and students to connect, reconnect, and just have fun before school starts. If you're new to St. Henry, just show up! Please contact the school office with any questions, 859-342-2551.

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Date/Time	Grade	Place	Coordinator
July 29 1:00 PM	1st	<a href="#">Brookwood Swim Club</a>	Jenna Stralendorf
July 30 1:00 PM	3rd	<a href="#">South Fork Park Florence</a>	Katie Gross
July 30 3:00 PM	5th	<a href="#">South Fork Park Florence</a>	Katie Gross & Dorothy Schowalter
August 1 5:00 PM	4th	<a href="#">Boone Woods Shelter #3</a>	Jennifer Staley
August 7 6:30 PM	Preschool	<a href="#">Flagship Park Erlanger</a>	Katelyn Phillips
August 7 6:30 PM	Kindergarten	<a href="#">Flagship Park Erlanger</a>	Katelyn Phillips

## Volunteer Opportunities



**Christ** tells us that whatever we do for the least of his people we do to him. Volunteering is a great opportunity show care and concern and sets a great Christian example for our families!

**Families** who receive and want to continue receiving the active church member tuition rate should volunteer a reasonable amount of time for their parish.

**Eighth graders** preparing for Confirmation learn the value of service by volunteering for their parish and community.



**St. Henry and St. Barbara both need altar servers.** Contact Bridget price to be placed on the schedule or to sign up for training at St. Henry. *Servers for St. Barbara should contact their parish office, 859-371-3100.*

**Church cleaning (St. Henry):** second Saturday of the month following the 8:00 AM Mass; just show up. Must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.



I WORK BINGO TO HELP WITH MY GIRLS' TUITION AND TO HAVE FUN ON A MONDAY NIGHT. I USED TO DREAD BINGO NIGHTS, BUT HAVE GROWN TO LOVE IT! THE WORKERS ARE AMAZING AND SO FUN TO WORK WITH AND IT'S AWESOME GETTING TO KNOW SOME OF THE PEOPLE THAT COME IN TO PLAY."

*Emily R.*



## 2023-2024 Bingo Volunteer Sign Up

### Bingo

In an effort for our weekly bingo fundraiser to run effectively, we need volunteer each week. School parents, parishioners and friends of St. Henry and St. Barbara are needed to fill monthly roles.

One night out per month and you can help the St. Henry community at the same time. Fellowship with community members. Volunteer with a friend and it's a night out. Dinner and drinks are provided. Thanks for considering! If you have any questions, reach out to Ryan Bihl, [watermobihl@yahoo.com](mailto:watermobihl@yahoo.com), 859-760-3325, or Jamie Powers, [jamielpowers00@gmail.com](mailto:jamielpowers00@gmail.com), 859-814-9998.

***No one under the age 18 is permitted in the cafeteria during our bingo sessions. ALL bingo volunteers must be 18 years or older.***

8th Grade	7th Grade	6th Grade	5th Grade	4th Grade
August 21 October 30 January 15 March 25	August 28 November 6 January 22 April 1	September 4 November 13 January 29 April 8	September 11 November 20 February 5 April 15	September 18 November 27 February 12 April 22
3rd Grade	2nd Grade	1st Grade	Kindergarten	Preschool
July 17 September	July 24 October 2	July 31 October 9	August 7 October 16	August 14 October 23

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# Player Appreciation Night

Monday, July 31

We love our players!

**Big Hoss**  
Chance at \$300 Kroger gift card & \$200 cash  
or \$500 cash!

**Lucky Losers: \$100 in gift cards!**

**Free pizza!**

**Doors Open: 4:45 pm**  
**Jitneys begin: 6:45 pm**  
**Regular games: 7:15 pm**

Must be 18 years or older to enter hall.  
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KY License #287

## SHCS Athletic Boosters

**President/Vice President needed:** The SHCS Athletic Boosters still need a president and vice president. The Boosters meet on the third Tuesday of every month. Please consider volunteering to help our sports programs grow! Email [boosters@sthenrynky.com](mailto:boosters@sthenrynky.com) for details.

**New this year:** St. Henry will host the First Annual 8th Grade Competitive Volleyball tournament on Friday and Saturday, August 18-19. Plan on coming to show your support and look for information on how you can volunteer at the event!

The annual **St. Henry golf outing** will be Saturday, October 14, at the Kenton County Golf Course. Hole sponsorships are available and are \$100. If you would like to be involved in the planning process or have any questions, text/call Dave Miller, 513-608-7791 or email [DMiller@bhmklaw.com](mailto:DMiller@bhmklaw.com).

## VIRTUS®



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OUR PROMISE TO

Anyone who volunteers in our school or parish must be VIRTUS trained and compliant. **For current volunteers, the July bulletin is due August 7.** If you are interested in volunteering in our school or parish, there are many opportunities to attend the Protecting God's Children training: see list below or visit [VIRTUS.org](http://VIRTUS.org) > drop down to select Covington, KY (Diocese) > select a session to attend and register.

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.*

Date	Location	Time
Monday, July 31	Bishop Brossart HS Alexandria	6:00 PM
Wednesday, August 2	St. Henry Parish Elsmere	6:00 PM
Sunday, August 13 <b>Spanish Session</b>	Notre Dame Academy Park Hills	1:00 PM
Monday, August 14	St. Barbara Church Erlanger	6:30 PM
Sunday, September 10	St. Edward Cynthiana	1:00 PM

## Upcoming Events

- **August 1:** Dine to Donate, Erlanger Skyline all day long
- **August 4:** New Parent's Night, 6:30 PM, cafeteria
- **August 10:** [Hoxworth Blood Drive](#), St. Henry Parish, 12:00-6:00 PM
- **August 13:** Readyfest, 12:30-2:00 PM
- **August 14:** First Day of 2023-2024 School Year; noon dismissal
- **August 15:** Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Holy Day of Obligation, no school
- **August 16:** Full day of school
- **August 23:** Vision Night, 6:30-8:00 PM



## UPCOMING BLOOD DRIVE

### St. Henry Catholic Church

3813 Dixie Hwy, Elsmere, KY

**Thursday, August 10, 2023**

**12:00 pm - 2:15 pm**

**3:30 pm - 6:00 pm**

Blood Drive will be held in Wehage Hall

All donors receive a Hoxworth Stainless Tumbler!

**To schedule an appointment please visit:**

**[www.hoxworth.org/groups/sthenry](http://www.hoxworth.org/groups/sthenry)**

**or call Hoxworth at 513-544-2858**

**All Types Welcome.**



**Blood Drive Sign Up**

### *Our Parishes*

<b>St. Barbara</b> 4042 Turkeyfoot Road Erlanger, KY 41018 859-371-3100 stbarbaraky.org	<b>St. Henry</b> 3813 Dixie Highway Elsmere, KY 41018 859-727-2035 sthenrychurch.net	<b>Cristo Rey</b> 25 Cavalier Boulevard Florence, KY 41042 859-538-1175 micristorey.com
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# Join us for Mass!

## St. Henry

*Fr. Joshua Lange, Pastor*  
*Fr. Doug Lauer, 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**

## 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

## 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.

### St. Henry Catholic School

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