



Crusader Connection

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August 11, 2023

2023-2024 School Calendar

Dear Parents,

I hope you are as excited for the beginning of the school year as we are! ReadyFest folders have been stuffed, doors have been decorated, and teachers are ready to roll! As you enjoy your final weekend of summer I hope you will make time to stop by ReadyFest this Sunday from 12:30-2:00 pm. Students can drop off school supplies, meet teachers, and grades 5-8 can decorate lockers and get their schedules. Monday is our first day of school. Don't forget that it is a half day and we will finish at noon.

Below you will see some information on our school theme for this year "On the Highway to Heaven." I encourage you to participate in exploring the theme with us throughout the year. We will be posting information in the Crusader Connection each week so that you can have discussions at home with your children.

Again, we are excited to have all of our students back on campus! We look forward to seeing you at ReadyFest on Sunday and at school on Monday!

God Bless,
Mrs. Kimberly Wagner



Thanks to our eighth graders (and parents and friends) for mulching the playground area! They did a great job! St. Henry Catholic Parish would like to thank GM Mettens for the donation of the mulch for our playground as well.



[Click for Supply List](#)

Supply list updates!

8th Grade Novels Need to be Purchased by 8/14:

1. Across Five Aprils by Hunt
2. The Children's Homer by Colum
3. The Hobbit by Tolkien
4. The Hiding Place by Boom

7th Grade Novels Need to be Purchased by 8/14:

1. The Bronze Bow by Speare
2. Treasure Island by Stevenson
3. At the Back of the North Wind by MacDonald
4. Devil's Arithmetic by Yolen

5th grade

- Incoming fifth grade students will need an accordion folder (7 pocket)

6th-8th Grades

- One box of pencils for theater class

READYFEST 2023

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13, 12:30-2:00 PM

MEET OUR NEW PRINCIPAL, MRS. WAGNER

MEET TEACHERS AND STAFF

CONNECT WITH FRIENDS

DROP OFF SCHOOL SUPPLIES

PICK UP SPIRITWEAR

KONA ICE



Uniform Swap

During ReadyFest on Sunday in the cafeteria, there will be gently used uniforms that are free for the taking! Thank you to Jessica Andrews, [Karin Geraci](#), [katie Henderson](#), and [Terri Buchanan](#) for organizing the swap! Save your outgrown, gently used uniforms. We will have another swap next spring!

2023-2024

School Theme

This year's theme is based off the quote from Blessed Carlo Acutis and reflects the Eucharistic Revival happening in our Church. Carlo was only 15 years old when he died, but he had a great devotion to the Eucharist and cataloged all of the known Eucharistic miracles of the world! Throughout the year we will be sharing information here about one miracle each week that you can talk about at home with your family!



ON THE HIGHWAY TO HEAVEN

"Jesus is my great friend and the Eucharist my highway to heaven." ~Blessed Carlo Acutis

Pray for our teachers!

As we begin the school year please take a minute to pray for our faculty and staff!

Preschool

Ms. Schlake
Ms. Wheatley
Mrs. O'Gorman
Ms. Bills

Kindergarten

Ms. Black

1st Grade

Ms. Finch

2nd Grade

Ms. Osborne
Ms. Hagedorn

3rd Grade

Ms. Markus
Ms. Doering

4th Grade

Ms. Litzler

5th Grade

Ms. Smith
Ms. Franxman

Middle School

Language Arts- Ms. Ackerman
Ms. Whaley
Ms. Bohman
Social Studies- Ms. Pollard
Religion- Ms. Scheper
Math- Ms. Torrence
Science- Dr. Oliva

Specials

Art- Ms. Rouster
Gym- Ms. Ravenscraft
Theater- Ms. Scott
Technology- Mr. Williams
Makerspace- Ms. Keene

School Counselor

Ms. Washnock

School Nurse

Ms. Spradling

Office Staff

Ms. Lageman
Ms. Goodridge

Cafeteria

Ms. Andrews
Mr. Sturgeon
Ms. West
Ms. Meyer

Cafeteria

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	No School Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Holy Day of Obligation	16 Tangerine Chicken OR Teriyaki Chicken Brown Rice, Fortune Cookies Steamed Broccoli, Carrots & Dip Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk	17 Hamburger OR Cheeseburger Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickles Curly Fries, Baked Beans Pears, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk	18 Mini Cinnamon Rolls OR Mini Strawberry Bagels Scrambled Eggs Tater Tots, Veggie Boats & Dip Baked Apples, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk
21 Mini Corn Dogs Macaroni & Cheese Steamed Broccoli Corn Peaches, Sidekicks Juice, Milk	22 Chicken Patty Sandwich OR Fish Sandwich Curly Fries Green Beans Pineapple, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk	23 3 or 4 Way Chili Spaghetti Shredded Cheese, Diced Onion Oyster Crackers, Kidney Beans Glazed Carrots, Garden Salads Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk	24 Sausage & Egg Uncrustables Syrup Cup Smile Fries Veggie Boats Pears, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk	25 Grilled Cheese OR Cheesy Flatbread Tomato Soup, Marinara Sauce Garden Salads, Pickle Spears Applesauce, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk
28 Cheese Pizza OR Pepperoni Pizza Steamed Broccoli Garden Salads Peaches, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk	29 Turkey & Gravy OR Chicken Drumstick Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans Dinner Roll Pineapple, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk	30 Nachos OR Soft Taco Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Salsa Shredded Cheese, Corn Black Beans, Mandarin Oranges Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk	31 Chicken Nuggets Macaroni & Cheese Peas & Carrots, Garden Salads Dinner Roll Pears, Fresh Fruit Juice, Milk	

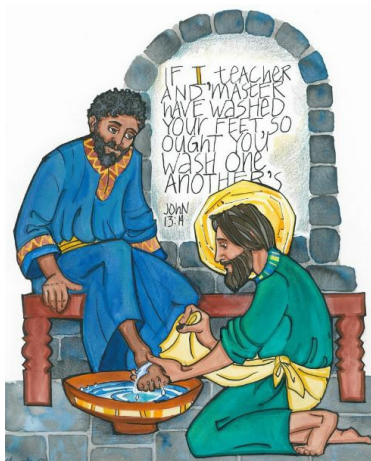


Alternate meal options include PB&J Grab & Go, Yogurt Grab & Go, Grilled Chicken Box Salad, or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich. Fruits & Vegetables offered with all options. Meat options not offered on Fridays. Menu subject to change by product availability. This institution is an equal opportunity employer.

Free & Reduced Lunch Application

The Diocese of Covington has an application process to see who may be eligible for free or reduced lunches for the 2023-2024 school year. Having everyone fill this out or as many people as we can could help all of our students get a discount for lunches, depending on the percentage of students that are eligible. The information submitted is kept confidential. Please take a moment to complete the [application](#). If you have questions, reach out to Jessica Andrews, Cafeteria Manager, jandrews@sthenrynyky.com.

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.



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.

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

Bingo

BINGO VOLUNTEERS (JULY 1, 2022-JUNE 30, 2023)

Ryan Bihl	David Hinkel	Don Rohman	Erin Miles
Dan Hukle	Deanna Bills	Elden McCubbin	Gary Kentley
Judy Crowder	Diane Wind	Jaclyn Shanks	Heather O'Neill
Jill Lillich	Amy Floyd	Jared Carey	Jaclyn Wolff
Jamie Powers	Beth Maley	Jen Neuhaus	Jake Darnell
Katie Henderson	Carissa Parnitzke	John Lewis	Jamie O'Neill
Anna Crawford	Dennis Wolff	Julie Nelson	Jayney Litzler
Jenny Greber	Gary Meyer	Katrina Prysi	Jeff Grayson
Julie Houle	Joan Williams	Kelly Spradling	Jeff Thomas
Tracy Patrick	Joanie Linnemann	Laura Hensley	Jeff Trauth
Jessica Schabell	Kathie Stewart	Lee Crawford	Jennifer Hinkle
Deanna Lalley	Laura Fossett	Linda Dietz	Jessica Reese
Jim Krallman	Mark Settlers	Mary Kallmeyer	Jim Rettig
Karen Egan	Phillip Goetz	Melissa Schlake	Joe Aylor
Ryan Padgett	Shannon Scherrer	Mike Spegal	Karem Claire
Beverly Schumacher	Eric Geisen	Nick Lubbers	Karen Geraci
Bill Ehrman	Kasey Strunk	Noah Francis	Katie Staten
Katie Gross	Kat Rowekamp	Patrick Parento	Kerri Kuebler
Larry Klein	Katelyn Phillips	Robyn Baker	Kevin Lalley
Mike Thomas	Kevin Scherrer	Ronda Ryan	Kristen Bowen
Regina Hyland	Laurie Coots	Stephanie Hagedorn	Kristina Goodridge
Suzi Francis	Matthew Christophel	Theresa Buchanan	Kyle Brown
Bridget Price	Sarah Voelker	Zina Vinanzaca	Leah Stringer
Katie Meyer	Sarah Wilson	Abby Owens	Lisa Timmers
Lisa Jacobs	Valerie Martin	Abby Schaber	Maddi Chiarell
Chris Price	Allyson Egan	Adrienne Chevalier	Mandy Finke
Erin Hammond	Brent Boden	Allison Haglage	Martha Bohman
Jennifer Fedders	Brittany Finch	Amanda Ackerman	Mary Jo Goetz
Joe Berberich	Caleb Finch	Amanda Reed	Megan Daly
Joe VonHandorf	Christy Jeffrey	Amber Behme	Meghan Franks
Julie Martin	JR McCubbin	Amy Osborne	Michael Stich
Karen Jara	Julie Wolking	Anthony Crawford	Michael Vaniglia
Lauren Lantz	Liz Krallman	Bonnie Markus	Michelle Bleier
Theresa Richmond	Lori Amend	Brandy Franxman	Michelle Stamper
Alison Duff	Matt Ackerman	Brittany Maher	Mikah Ball
Ellen Skalski	Mike Houle	Brittany Raterman	Mike Klein
Hal Jankowski	Mike Moreland	Carol Bihl	Myriam Klosterman
Josh Feldman	Nicole Geisen	Carol Pollard	Nancy Sacco
Judy Koenig	Rebecca Albano	Catherine Keipert	Pam Bentley
Laura Braun	Robert Fromeyer	Chad Hyland	Philipp Behme
Nikki Boden	Ronda Ryan	Chloe Black	Randy Bleier
Dorothy Schowalter	Scott Cammack	Chris Crawford	Rick Jara
Emily Rohman	Staci Hoffman	Claire Darnell	Ryann Scott
Angie Ziegelmeyer	Alesha Burkhardt	Connie Cornett	Sam Karr
Don Adkins	Allison Kallmeyer	Corrine Moore	Samantha Schatzman
Abby Hicks	Amy Chapman	Dan McMahan	Sarah Quinn
Sandy Briede	Andrea Brown	Daniel DeJonckheere	Shannon Schmid
Elizabeth Rawe	Brandon Cooper	Danielle Smith	Shannon Wilson
Emily Tessandori	Brian Gurley	David Miller	Sharon Craig
Gerri Wenert	Brian Maley	Dawn Klein	Sheri Turvey
Jenn Staley	Bryan Schowalter	Dick Wilson	Steve Chevelier
Paul Gross	Cassie West	Elizabeth Segovia	Thomas Crawford
Brian Staley	Cindy Lageman	Emily Murphy	Tina Himebaugh
Chrissy Keller	Dan Schlake	Emily Scheper	Zachary Miles

	July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023	July 1, 2021-June 30, 2022
Gross Proceeds	\$321,427	\$293,447
Cost of Games	(100,96)	(71,528)
Licensing Fees & Other Costs	(25,648)	(23,404)

Net Profit	\$194,823	\$198,515
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Many thanks to the 216 volunteers (2022-2023 fiscal year) listed above for their support of our school bingo, which includes parents, parishioners, teachers, and staff. In order to make sure we remain the best Monday night bingo in Northern Kentucky, we need 28 weekly volunteers to run our bingo, which equates to 1,456 volunteers per year! Not listed are the "behind the scenes people" that help out weekly: Katie Sieg and Meghan Franks set up bingo, the parish office pull-tab counters, money preparation, and the administration aspect of our bingo.

We need your help! Bingo is still looking for some monthly volunteers, including a paymaster. One night out per month and you can help the St. Henry community at the same time. Enjoy fellowship with community members. Volunteer with a friend and it's a night out. Training, dinner, and drinks are provided. If you have any questions, contact Ryan Bihl, watermobihl@yahoo.com, 859-760-3325, or Jamie Powers, jamielpowers00@gmail.com, 859-814-9998.

Did you know we sell a lot of pull-tabs? For example, on July 24, we sold 25,000 pull-tabs and generated almost \$6,700! **Do you have time when picking up your student/s from school?** The parish office always has pull-tabs that need to be counted/banded. Stop over instead of sitting in your car!

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 25 December 4 February 19 April 29	July 24 October 2 December 11 February 26 May 6	July 31 October 9 December 18 March 4 May 13	August 7 October 16 January 1 March 11 May 20	August 14 October 23 January 8 March 18 May 27

2023-2024 Bingo Volunteer Sign Up

SHCS Athletic Boosters

1st Annual 8th Grade Volleyball Cru Classic!

Cru Classic Information

August 18th and 19th

Pool A

St. Henry
Conner
Highlands

Pool B

Gray
St. Pius
Beechwood

Friday Night - doors will open at 4:45

5:30 Conner VS Highlands

6:30 Highlands VS St. Henry

7:30 St. Henry VS Conner

Saturday Morning - doors will open at 9:15

10:00 St. Pius VS Beechwood

11:00 Beechwood VS Gray

12:00 Gray VS St. Pius

Saturday Evening - doors will open at 5:45

6:30 Bronze

7:30 Silver

8:30 Gold

Admission Fee:

\$2 adults

Students FREE

St. Henry Youth Basketball Camp

Sponsored by St. Henry Boosters

St. Henry Grade School Gymnasium

3825 Dixie Hwy

Elsmere, KY 41018

Boys and Girls ages 4 to 7 years old

September 9th, 16th, 23rd, and 30th

4 & 5 Year Olds - 9:30 am to 10:45 am

6 & 7 Year Olds - 11:00 am to 12:15 pm

Based on the number of responses, we may have to adjust start times to accommodate as many kids as possible.

Price - \$50 per child and includes camp T-Shirt

Registration Deadline 8/26/23

Registration Form:

<https://forms.gle/xxa2rwoGdUagrJCSA>

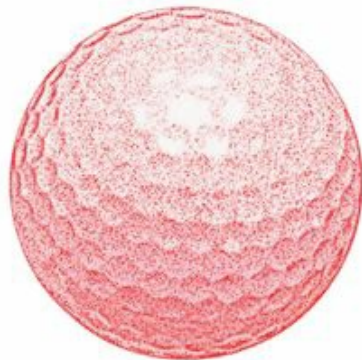
Payment (cash or check) can be made on the first day of camp or by dropping off at St. Henry School office. Make checks payable to St. Henry Boosters

Information & Registration reach out to Luke Boemker at 513-307-7779 or Luke.Boemker@gmail.com



Basketball Camp Registration

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.



St. Henry Catholic School Booster Golf Outing Saturday, October 14, 2023

THE GOLF COURSES OF KENTON COUNTY
3908 Richardson Road, Independence, KY 41051

Parent/Child 9-hole Scramble Shotgun at 9AM \$25 per player

Includes cart. Two, three, or four-member teams permitted.

Parents' names: _____

Children's names: _____

Adult Scramble Shotgun at 1PM \$100 per player

(Includes 18 holes, cart, lunch, drink tickets, prizes, & afterparty)

Player 1: _____

Player 2: _____

Player 3: _____

Player 4: _____

After Party Only Ticket \$30

Sponsorship Opportunities

All sponsors will be listed on a banner that will be hung in the St. Henry Gym for One Year

Hole Sponsors \$100

Includes business logo on a 2' x 1.5' sign at tee

Drink sponsors \$750

Includes business logo on koozies passed out to all golfers

Drink sponsors are announced at the golfer send-off

Lunch/Afterparty sponsor \$1,000

Includes business logo on a banner at the event

Sponsor's name announced at the golfer send-off

Please make checks payable to **St. Henry Boosters** and mail or deliver to the school office:
St. Henry Catholic School, 3825 Dixie Hwy, Elsmere, KY 41018

Email questions and sponsorship info such as business logos to:

David Miller dmiller@bhmklaw.com or **Shannon Scherrer** shannongrieme@yahoo.com

VIRTUS®



Anyone who volunteers in our school or parish must be VIRTUS trained and compliant. **For current volunteers, the August bulletin is due September 5.** 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 > 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.

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
Sunday, August 13 Spanish Session	Notre Dame Academy Park Hills	1:00 PM
Monday, August 14 FULL	St. Barbara Church Erlanger	6:30 PM
Sunday, September 10 FULL	St. Edward Cynthiana	1:00 PM
Wednesday, September 20 FULL	Catholic Charities, Latonia	1:30 PM



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AFTER THE 9:30 AM MASS

August 13, 20 & 27

OR BY APPOINTMENT

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ST. HENRY CATHOLIC PARISH



Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Holy Day of Obligation

Vigil Mass: Monday, August 14 @ 5:00 PM

Holy Day Masses: Tuesday, August 15 @ 8:00 AM & 7:00 PM



ST. HENRY CATHOLIC PARISH

SAVE THE DATE

BACK TO SCHOOL 90TH ANNIVERSARY BASH

Saint Henry District High School

Families, Friends and Alumni are Invited to Attend

- MASS, 5:30 PM DREES HOMES AUDITORIUM
- LIVE MUSIC FROM 24/7 BAND
- FOOD AND BEVERAGE TRUCKS
- GUIDED TOURS OF THE FACILITY
- GAMES (INCLUDING A CORNHOLE TOSS AND CYL CHALLENGE)
- BOURBON RAFFLE AND SPLIT THE POT
- SPIRIT SHOP NEW & VINTAGE APPAREL
- CASH FOR FOOD & GAMING
- BRING A CHAIR

FREE ADMISSION



AUGUST 26, 2023
5:30 PM MASS, 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM
@SHDHS



shdhs.org

COME AS MANY, LEAVE AS ONE

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Attention All K-12th Grade Girls: American Heritage Girls (AHG) Troop KY1710 is having their first meeting of the year on Monday, August 14. The girl and parent registration meeting will be at Rossford Park in Fort Thomas, 6:30-8:00 PM. Monthly meetings are held at St. Catherine of Siena in Fort Thomas on the second and fourth Mondays of the month, September-May. Learn what our program offers in shaping women of integrity through faith, service, and fun! Contact Sharon Crawford, sharon1crawford@yahoo.com, for questions.

Upcoming Events

- **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 15:** Boosters Meeting/Gym, 7:00 PM
- **August 16:** Full day of school
- **August 18-19:** SHCS 8th Grade Girls Volleyball Tournament
- **August 23:** Vision Night, 6:30-8:00 PM
- **September 4:** No school, Labor Day
- **September 5:** Dine to Donate: Erlanger Skyline all day long
- **September 12:** PTO Meeting/Cafeteria, 7:00 PM
- **September 15:** Picture Day
- **September 19:** Boosters Meeting/Gym, 7:00 PM

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. 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.

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