



# Crusader Connection

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Dear Parents,

This week has been a great opportunity for our students to learn about Holy Week and prepare our hearts for Easter Sunday. Every morning on the announcements we have shared about what would have been happening in Jesus' life on that day. This morning we also attended Mass together where Fr. Doug walked our students through the events of Holy Week. I hope that your family will be able to attend some of the Triduum Masses this week. They are some of my favorite liturgies of the year!

I want to thank everyone who attended our Derby Night event last weekend! It was a great evening and we were able to raise a lot of money towards teacher tuition discounts, professional development, and replacing our boilers. Thank you to the committee that put everything together led by Cindi Muashsher!

Don't forget that tomorrow begins our Spring Break! We are off the remainder of this week and all of next week. **School will resume on Monday, April 28.** When we return we jump right into MAP testing so be sure to get some rest! Enjoy the Easter festivities and your time off!

God Bless,

*Kimberly Wagner, Principal*

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# DERBY NIGHT

## *Thank You!*

Thank you for supporting our Derby Night! It was a great night for family and friends to come together in support of our school!



## APRIL *Courage*

**COURAGE ENABLES US TO ENDURE  
HARDSHIP OR PERSECUTION,  
RATHER THAN ABANDON OUR  
DUTY TO GOD, OURSELVES, AND  
OUR NEIGHBOR.**



Every month this year, we will talk about a different virtue and a saint who exemplified that virtue in their life. Our goal is to grow in virtue as a school as we work toward becoming saints! Every week we will recognize students who have been exhibiting that month's virtue in the classroom. See our Virtue Rockstars below!



# VIRTUE ROCKSTARS! FOR COURAGE

Kate Ashley  
Reid Lageman  
Matteo Merida  
Wyatt Golden  
Ross Cornett  
Claire Washnock  
Gio Geraci  
Sloane Scott

Reed Chevalier  
James Miller  
Saden Saadawi  
Macy Geisen  
Kane Schumacher  
Lucas Burton  
Winston Whitely  
Isaac Ackerman  
Emmie Miles



## CruNews



### Library/Media Center Update!

The finishing touches were added to the library/media center last week. Mrs. Wagner selected the quotes on the red wall and the wall over the windows. Mrs. Bohman and Mrs. Wagner selected the additional passages from C. S. Lewis and J.R.R. Tolkien. The quotes are from The Chronicles of Narnia and The Lord of the Rings. The quotes and passages are meant to inspire students to not be afraid to dive into a book and allow that book to touch their lives. Also included are pictures of some of our students reading. The space is absolutely perfect for diving into a good book and learning together.





### Second Grade Jesus Day

Last Friday was our second grader's Jesus Day. The spent the day reflecting on their upcoming First Holy Communion by making their banner, a tissue paper votive candle, chalice, listening to a story and playing bingo, and then went over to church. In church, they practiced receiving unconsecrated hosts and wine and then read letters from loved ones. It was a great day!



***Get your drink on!*** We have a limited number of 40 ounce St. Henry tumblers available in the office. Cost is \$25/each; check or cash only. Perfect for Mother's Day, grandparents, or just because!

Stop by or email Cindy,  
[clageman@sthenrynky.com](mailto:clageman@sthenrynky.com).

**CruEvents**

St. Henry Catholic School invites  
you to



Featuring songs from Disney shows *Frozen II*, *Lion King*, *Encanto*, *Toy Story*, *Tangled*, *Hercules* and more!

### Summer Drama Camp Registration!

**When:** July 14th—July 18th from 10 am to 3 pm

**Where:** St. Henry church basement Mon-Thu, Drees Auditorium Friday

**Cost:** \$200 (*Discount available for multiple registrants*)

**Ages:** 3rd– 8th (entering into the 2025-2026 school year)

**Show Performance:** Friday, July 18th at 3:30 pm at Drees Auditorium

*For more camp details, audition*

*information, etc. go to*

*<https://DramaCamp25.givesmart.com>*



**Register before June 27th!**

*For questions, email Ms. Scott at*

*[rscott@sthenryny.com](mailto:rscott@sthenryny.com)*

**Register for Theater Camp**

## SUPPORT YOUR CRUSADERS

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED ON A  
WEEKLY BASIS ... ANY AMOUNT OF  
TIME YOU CAN HELP OUT IS  
GREATLY APPRECIATED;  
[SIGN UP ONLINE!](#)**



For more information, contact Ryan Bihl, [watermobihl@yahoo.com](mailto:watermobihl@yahoo.com),  
Jamie Powers, [jamielpowers00@gmail.com](mailto:jamielpowers00@gmail.com), or call the school office,  
859-342-2551.



**NEWSWORTHY**

**You're Invited!**

**Return: Bringing Our Loved  
Ones Home**

Join us for the 8:00 AM Mass on Saturday,



April 26

*We will meet after Mass in Wehage Hall*



Following a **wonderfully successful kickoff** — with **over 70 people attending Mass** and **30+ joining the meeting afterward** — we're excited to continue this powerful journey of faith and renewal.

Join us for the next session as we explore how to lovingly guide our family and friends back to the Church. Through prayer, discussion, and fellowship, we'll walk this path together.

*All parishioners are welcome!* Let's keep the momentum going—see you there! For more information about the Return program, please

contact Jack Levermann, [jacklevermann@gmail.com](mailto:jacklevermann@gmail.com).

**Tommy Mo Basketball**

**Daily Camper Activities**

- Group meeting and warm-up
- Individual & small group instruction: shooting, ball handling, rebounding, offensive & defensive individual moves
- Competition: 3-on-3 / 5-on-5
- Games & Contests
- Lots of FUN!
- Guest Speakers
- Each camper will receive a T-Shirt

Camp is run by experienced coaches and current collegiate players.

**2025 THOMAS MORE GIRL'S BASKETBALL CAMP**

**SAINTS BASKETBALL**

**SIGN UP TODAY!**

DAY CAMP 1: JUNE 16-19  
DAY CAMP 2: JULY 7-10

REGISTER ONLINE AT:  
[WWW.THOMASMORESAINTS.COM](http://WWW.THOMASMORESAINTS.COM)  
CAMPS

**Girl's Basketball Camp  
Details**

## ***Ecology, Conservation, and Outreach STEM Camps***

ECO STEM Camps at the Thomas More University Biology Station are an opportunity for K-12 students to get hands-on, feet-wet experience exploring and learning more about the Ohio River, its watershed, and its biology. Activities include boating, fishing, using microscopes, hiking, making eco-art, and more! Programs are designed to be a fun introduction to ecology and environmental science on the Ohio River. Camp programming is led by Field Station staff, faculty, and undergraduate interns. Scan the QR codes below to register and visit [tmuky.us/summercamps](http://tmuky.us/summercamps) for more information.

### **K-8**

Day Camp:  
June 16-17



### **High School**

Overnight Camp:  
July 13-16



## ***Ohio River Conservation Course***

The Ohio River Conservation Course (ORCC) a five-day program from 9am-3pm that is focused on hands-on career exploration in the fields of aquatic biology, environmental science, and water conservation. This program is jointly offered by the Thomas More University Biology Field Station, Sanitation District No. 1, and the Foundation for Ohio River Education.

### **High School**



Day Camp:  
Sessions  
June 23-27 &  
July 21-25

Visit [tmuky.us/summercamps](http://tmuky.us/summercamps) or email Molly Williams ([williamsm@thomasmore.edu](mailto:williamsm@thomasmore.edu)) for more information.

**K-12 Summer Programs Link**



# ***MIND/matter*** **SUMMER FUN**

**JOIN US OVER THE SUMMER FOR  
LEARNING IN A FUN AND  
ENGAGING WAY!**



**CHECK OUT OUR WEBPAGE AT  
[MINDOVERMATTERKIDS.COM](http://MINDOVERMATTERKIDS.COM)**

## **ST. HENRY DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL**



**SHDHS Summer Camp Registration is  
Now Open!**  
Our summer camps offer a variety of fun  
and engaging activities for students of all  
ages.

<https://events.shdhs.org/>



**Crusader Youth League Tackle Football  
& Cheerleading Registration**  
Join the Crusader family and be part of our  
youth football and cheerleading teams!

<https://www.crusaderyouthleague.com/home>

Anyone who volunteers in our school or parish must be VIRTUS trained and compliant. If you are interested in volunteering in our school or parish, there are many opportunities to attend the Protecting God's Children training.

To find classes, visit [VIRTUS.org](https://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, Leah St. John, [lstjohn@sthenryky.com](mailto:lstjohn@sthenryky.com) or call 859-342-2551.

*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
4/29/2025 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington
04/30/2025 @ 10:00 AM	St. Timothy Church, Union
5/7/2025 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- **April 17-25:** Spring Break
  - **April 30:** 1st Communion Meeting & Practice @ 6:30 PM
  - **April 30-May 2:** 8th Grade Washington DC Trip
  - **May 4:** First Holy Communion, 2:00 PM
  - **May 5-9:** Scholastic Book Fair
  - **May 6:** Dine to Donate @ Erlanger Skyline all day long
  - **May 6:** Boosters Meeting @ 7:00 PM
  - **May 9:** 8th Grade Fun Friday
  - **May 12:** Confirmation Practice @ 7:00 PM
  - **May 13:** Confirmation @ 7:00 PM
  - **May 16:** Olympic Day
  - **May 17:** Family Night @ Florence Y'Alls Game
  - **May 19:** Last Day for 8th Grade & Clap Out, 1:45 PM
  - **May 21:** 8th Grade Promotion Mass, 10:00 AM
  - **May 23:** Last Day of School, noon dismissal
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## 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.

### Our Parishes

#### St. Barbara

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#### St. Henry

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