



Crusader Connection

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Dear Parents,

We had a wonderful first week of school! On Tuesday we had a school assembly and it was great being able to introduce our new faculty/staff, discuss our theme, and have some fun. Fr. Kevin has been spotted hanging out with our students throughout the week and students are enjoying getting to know him. Everyone has come back energetic and ready to learn and I am confident that it is going to be a great year!

Next week is our first full week so we are ready to get into some serious learning. We also have our Vision Night on Thursday, August 21 at 6:30pm. This is a great opportunity to come and hear about our vision for the school year and meet with your children's teachers to hear about classroom procedures and curriculum. The evening begins in the church and then will move into the school. We hope that you can join us!

This weekend I hope that you will continue to cheer on our volleyball Crusaders as they finish out their tournament here at St. Henry. I also hope that you will join us for Holy Day Mass at 6:00pm this evening for the Feast of the Assumption of Mary. Afterwards the Holy Name Society will be hosting a free spaghetti dinner in the cafeteria for their Feast on the Feast event. It is sure to be a great time and all are invited!

Finally, I wanted to remind you that every family is asked to work 4 BINGO shifts throughout the school year. If you do not sign up by August 18 our BINGO team will assign you to shifts and notify you of when those are. The link to sign up is in the BINGO section of the newsletter. Thank you for your support of this important fundraiser for our school!

Have a wonderful long weekend and we will see you on Monday!

God Bless,

Kimberly Wagner, Principal



AUGUST



- Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day of Obligation);
no school
- **August 15:** Holy Name Society Feast on the Feast free spaghetti dinner for all parish and school families @ 7:00 PM
- **August 19:** Boosters Meeting @ 7:00 PM/gym
- **August 21:** Vision Night @ 6:30 PM in church



SEPTEMBER

- **September 1:** Labor Day (no school)
- **September 2:** Picture day!
- **September 2:** Dine to Donate: Erlanger Skyline all day
- **September 4:** 8th Grade Parent Meeting @ 6:30 PM





Our theme for the 2025-2026 school year is "Cultivating Christ-like Character, One Fruit at a Time." Throughout the year we will be discussing the different "Fruits of the Spirit". Each month we will focus on a different fruit and discuss how we are already bearing fruit in our lives and how we can allow the Holy Spirit to work through us to increase that fruit!





COACHES NEEDED

ELEMENTARY ACADEMIC TEAM

IF INTERESTED, PLEASE
CONTACT MRS. WAGNER AT
KWAGNER@STHENRYNKY.COM

EARN MONEY FOR TUITION

Did you know you can work at Reds games, Bengals games, Cyclones games, FCC, NKU, XU and UC games and concerts to earn money towards your tuition at Catholic schools...including high schools? Here are four groups you can work through. Send them an email and see what is available. Payment is sent directly to the school. Several of our school families are making payments this way.

- POST St. Thomas: contact Josh Wallace at Poststthomas@gmail.com
- Eastside Motivators: Contact Stephanie Norris at stephnorr@aol.com
- Westside Scouts: Contact Westsidescouters@fuse.net
- Kids Crusaders: Contact kidscrusadersinc@gmail.com

Teacher Tuition Discount Update

St. Henry provides a 50% tuition discount to our teachers with the support of the school community! Thank you to our parents, St. Henry Parish, and St. Barbara we have raised \$17,505 towards the \$29,146 of that tuition discount. Below is the amount still needed. If you would like to contribute towards this support for our amazing teachers please contact the school office!

STILL NEEDED- \$11,641



OLYMPIC TEAMS NEED YOUR HELP!

Olympic Teams are using shoe boxes for a project in November. If you have shoe boxes of any size that we can have, please drop them off to the school office by Nov. 7!



The Crusader Classroom Parent Volleyball Challenge

Please join us in the gym on Friday, September 19, for fun, friends, and fitness.

The 8th grade vs. teachers game will be at 3:45 pm, with games following after for the parents from each grade playing against each other.

When not playing, parents have a great time tailgating in the parking lot. Please do NOT BYOB -- beer will be sold at concessions. Legally we cannot have parents bringing their own alcohol on the premises.

Kids love this night and enjoy playing with friends in the parking lot or cheering from the stands for their grade's parent players.

Please let us know if you would like to be the captain for your grade (preschool and kindergarten can play together or have separate teams). This means contacting parents to form a team of men and women players. Teams should be made up of parents, not extended family members. Teachers of that grade can also be invited play on the parent teams! Everyone is welcome to play; no team is full.

Also please consider signing up to work the concessions. Students can get service hours for this (one adult must work each shift due to alcohol sales). Stay tuned for sign up genius or reach out now if interested.

Sarah Voelker (sarahvoelker7@gmail.com)

Shannon Scherrer (shannongrieme@yahoo.com)



If you would like more information on becoming Catholic, please reach out to the parish office at St. Henry, 859-727-2035; you can also reach out to St. Barbara's parish office, 859-371-3100. [You can read more here.](#)

CAFETERIA

Cafeteria Volunteers Needed and Welcome!

We welcome all moms, dads, and grandparents to come in and help serve lunches. The students enjoy having you there! *All volunteers must be VIRTUS certified and compliant.* [Click to volunteer in August.](#)

If you have any questions regarding the cafeteria/menu, please reach out to Trisha Kissel, Cafeteria Manager, cafeteria@sthenryny.com.



SUPPORT YOUR CRUSADERS



VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED ON A WEEKLY BASIS ... ANY AMOUNT OF TIME YOU CAN HELP OUT IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!

SIGN UP ONLINE!

Results of Bingo Operations

Many thanks to all the volunteers who work Bingo so tirelessly each week for the benefit of St. Henry Catholic School. Year over year operating results for the TWELVE months ended June 30, 2025 vs. June 30, 2024 are summarized below:

For more information, contact Ryan Bihl, watmobihl@yahoo.com, Jamie Powers, jamielpowers00@gmail.com, or call the school office, 859-342-2551.

	07/01/2024-06/30/2025	07/01/2023-06/30/2024
# of Sessions Held	50	50
Gross Proceeds	\$326,027	\$296,963

Cost of Games	(97,444)	(97,403)
Licensing & Other Costs	(17,907)	(17,624)
Net Profit	\$210,676	\$181,936

BINGO *Monday Night*

August 18 Jackpots
 Triple Crown Derby: \$2,650
 Higher Up: \$400
 Hog Wild: \$200

Doors open @ 4:45 pm
 Jitneys @ 6:45 pm
 Regular games @ 7:15 pm

ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

3825 Dixie Highway | Elsmere, KY | 859-342-2551 Must be 18 years or older to enter hall.

KY License #287

Volleyball Volunteers Needed

St. Henry Catholic School hosts the sixth grade recreational volleyball league. is hosting a 6th, 7th & 8th grade pre-season volleyball tournament. We also host a 6th grade recreational volleyball league. This year, there are 14 teams in the league, which is the most we've had in a few years. There are 12 evenings of games, some with shorter shifts. It cannot be run without your help! We have a sign up for working admimssions and concessions. Split a shift if you can't stay the whole time. Send kids who need service hours or who have a serving heart.

[Volunteer for the sixth grade recreational league](#)

The St. Henry Catholic School Athletic Boosters Golf Outing will be held Saturday, October 18, at the Golf Courses of Kenton County.

A 9-hole parent/child scramble is \$25 per player (cart and lunch included). Shotgun start at 9 AM. The adult scramble is a 1 PM shotgun start. The cost is \$100 per player. Registration includes 18 holes, cart, lunch, beer, dinner, and an opportunity to win fabulous raffle prizes. Limited 9-hole foursomes are



available for \$250.

For information or hole sponsorship opportunities/raffle donations, email Dave Miller at golf@sthenrynky.com.

Important tip: When signing up, note that there is a tip field that you can manually change by clicking on the 15%, then entering 0 or another number. There are still processing fees, so do NOT feel obligated to add a tip.

Registration is exclusively online: <https://givebutter.com/2025GolfOuting>.

Your generosity directly benefits St. Henry Athletics and helps us continue building strong, spirited programs in golf, volleyball, basketball, and archery.

Kroger Community Rewards Update For the period May 1, 2025-July 31, 2025, St. Henry Catholic School received \$805.24 in donations just by family and friends shopping at Kroger! We have 245 households signed up ... read below to sign up or click the link below; our school code is TL347. <https://www.kroger.com/i/community/community-rewards>.



It's easy to support your Crusaders!



Every time you or your family and friends shop at Kroger, we earn rewards! Scan the QR code to sign up or log into your account to select St. Henry (school code TL347). The Kroger Community Rewards program does not interfere with your fuel points!



It's SKYLINE time, Crusader family! First Tuesday of the month!

Stop by all day long (eat in, carry out, drive through) to support your Crusaders!

September 2 / October 7 / November 4 / December 2
January 6 / February 3 / March 3 / April 7 / May 5

Erlanger Skyline
3159 Dixie Highway

VIRTUS®

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://www.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@sthenrynky.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
08/19/2025 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington
09/11/2025 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington
10/14/2025 @ 6:30 PM	Diocesan Catholic Children's Home, Ft. Mitchell

DIOCESE OF COVINGTON NEWS

**The Diocese of Covington and the
Intercommunity Sisters Peace and Justice Committee**

invite you to:

Immigration

part 2

The Catholic Perspective

Monday, August 18, 2025

Diocesan Curia

6:30-7:00PM - Networking and Refreshments

Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium

7:00-8:30 PM - Opening Prayer and Program

1125 Madison Ave. Covington, KY

No pre registration required

This presentation will include a deeper dive into Catholic Social Teaching related to immigration, followed by a presentation by an immigration lawyer on the various pathways to entering the US and why it is now so difficult for migrants to enter the US through any of those pathways. We will also have time for conversations in small groups and will provide additional action steps that can be taken to make a difference in the lives of all those seeking a safe home in this country.



**JESSICA
RAMOS**



**HANNAH
KEEGAN**



**SR. KAY
KRAMER, CDP**



**SR. ALICE
GERDEMAN, CDP**

This past June, the Diocese of Covington and the Intercommunity Sisters Peace and Justice Committee held a presentation on immigration – the Catholic perspective. The dialogue continues with the second part of the immigration series. To learn more go to <https://covidio.org/sistersonimmigration2/>.

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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