



Crusader Connection

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Dear Parents,

I hope that you have been enjoying Spring Break and are soaking up these last couple of days. You and your families have been in my prayers, especially at the beautiful celebration of Easter. We are excited to have everyone back in the building next week as we head into the last stretch of the school year! Just so you are aware, next Friday is Midterm. Please be checking your students' grades. If you have questions or concerns please reach out to their teacher.

We have a number of fun things coming up for the St. Henry community. Our final Jr. High Dance of the year is next Friday evening. Students can purchase tickets during homeroom this week. PTO is putting on a Father-Son Dodgeball Night on Saturday evening. It promises to be a lot of fun so I hope that you can attend! The Boosters are sponsoring a Run for the Roses Dinner to benefit the Teacher Tuition Assistance Fund. Check below for more details. There are a ton of summer opportunities that you can learn more about below as well.

The biggest summer fun going on at St. Henry is the St. Henry Festival is making its' return! We are excited for this event to happen again after a 7 year hiatus. As a part of the festival, we are raffling on a brand new Jeep Grand Cherokee Laredo! There will be information going home with students about the car raffle, how parents can help with the festival, and what the festival will have to offer as we approach the end of the school year.

I hope you have a wonderful weekend and we will see you back at school on Monday!

God Bless,

Kimberly Wagner, Principal

CruNews



- **April 13:** School resumes
- **April 17:** Midterm
- **April 17:** Junior High Dance
- **April 18:** Father/Son Dodgeball
- **April 20-24:** MAP Testing
- **April 21:** Parish Education Commission Mtg., 7:00 PM
- **April 24:** Jesus Day Retreat/2nd Grade
- **April 27:** Teacher Appreciation Week
- **April 29:** Confirmation, 7:00 PM
- **May 3:** First Holy Communion, 2:00 PM



PTO NEWS

We would love to have more people join the PTO! Reach out to any of us to learn more!

Dorothy Schowalter, hicksde55@gmail.com
Chrissy Keller, chrissykeller0710@yahoo.com
Jill Lillich, jlillich12@yahoo.com

- [February Meeting Notes](#)
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Come out for a fun night of
dodgeball!!

FATHER-SON DODGEBALL NIGHT



**ST HENRY
GYM**



Scan me!

**6PM-9PM
APRIL 18, 2026**

RSVP

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050848A5A629A0FF2-63328720-fatherson>

RSVP TODAY!

ST HENRY
STUDENT COUNCIL

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Dance

APRIL 17TH 2026
6:00-800PM
IN THE CAFETERIA

CONCESSIONS
PIZZA \$2
SNACKS \$1
DRINKS \$2

\$5 PER TICKET
PURCHASE IN HOMEROOM

ST HENRY JUNIOR HIGH STUDENTS ONLY!



[Details & Tickets](#)

PARISH FESTIVAL

2026
St. Henry
PARISH
FESTIVAL

JUNE 19TH
AND
JUNE 20TH

Gaming # 0000287
Need not to be present to win.
Drawing June 20th at 10 PM.

WIN THIS CAR!
OR \$25,000 CASH

NEW 2026
JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LAREDO ALTITUDE 4X4



SCAN OR
CLICK HERE
TO BUY A
\$25 TICKET



[PURCHASE JEEP TICKETS HERE!](#)

UPDATE

St. Henry Catholic Parish SUMMER FESTIVAL

FOOD • GAMES • RIDES • FELLOWSHIP

We're excited to kick off preparations for this year's parish festival and need your help bring it back in a big way!

Our big ask right now is for everyone's help spreading the word about our raffle. We are raffling off a 2026 Jeep Cherokee Laredo Altitude 4x4, valued at over \$50,000 (or a \$25,000 cash prize).

Please consider not only buying tickets, but also spreading the word to your family, friends, and the community at large. We are challenging each family to sell 6-10 tickets and share the opportunity with 20 or more additional people.

Handouts and door hangers are available in the back of church to help spread the word. If you live or work in a high-traffic area and would be willing to display a yard sign or poster, **please email us at sthenryfestival@sthenrynky.com** and let us know — we will arrange delivery. Please also consider sharing on social media.

TICKETS ARE
\$25 EACH



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TO PURCHASE

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NEW 2026
JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LAREDO ALTITUDE 4X4



<https://givebutter.com/st-henry-festival-car-raffle-azngwp>

Thank you to the following individuals and groups who have stepped up as Booth Troopers (booth leads) for the parish festival:

- **Beat the Dealer** — Angie & Scott Ziegelmeier Family
- **Big 6** — Earl & Diane Franks Family (Friday)
Kevin & Deb Collins (Saturday)
- **Big Card Poker** — Biddle Family
- **Bingo / Pull Tabs** — Bingo Cru
- **Raffle Booth** — Karen & Aaron Egan Family
- **Soft Drinks** — Karen & Rick Jara Family
- **Food Booth** — Knights of Columbus (supported by Teachers/School Staff)
- **Dunking Booth** — Kristen & Justin Bowen Family
- **Duck Booth** — Mallory Bihl & Family
- **Hole-in-One Golf Booth** — Jim & Liz Krallman Family
- **Bid & Buy Booth** — Meghan Franks & Cru (supported by the Welcome Ladies)
- **Beer** — Holy Name Society
- **Money Room** — Joe & Ashley McClure & Family

Kids Games Lead:

- Dorothy & Brian Schwalter and Family

Kids Games Support:

- Brittani Martin
- Lisa & Jeremy Jacobs Family (Face Painting)

We still need additional help with Kids Games, setup/cleanup, and many other areas. Please reach out if you are interested in helping: sthenryfestival@sthenrynky.com

Thank you to the sponsors who have already pledged their support!

Music Sponsor:

- Tim Kappes - Impart Knowledge

Bid & Buy Sponsor:

- Arlinghaus Plumbing, Heating, Air Conditioning & Electric

Presenting Sponsors:

- St. Elizabeth Healthcare
- Baptist Life Communities
- Tim Donahue Family
- The Braun Family
- Helmer Plumbing
- Wichmann & Associates
- Arc Electric - Air Conditioning and Heating
- Angie & Scott Ziegelmeyer

Booth Sponsors:

- Baptist Life Communities
- Airport Paint & Body
- Ft. Mitchell Garage
- In Memory of Richard "Dick" Diebold
- Limbach Family

If you are interested in becoming a sponsor, or have a lead for a company we should contact, please email sthenryfestival@sthenrynk.com. There are still many sponsorship opportunities available.

The Bid & Buy Committee is seeking donations for the festival weekend. Below are examples of items we are looking for:

- Spa / Health & Beauty / Self-Care Basket
- Family Game Night
- Movie Night
- Date Night
- Man Cave
- Going Away to College
- Holidays / Seasons of the Year
- Father's Day
- Local Sports Teams
- Local Restaurants
- Craft Supplies
- Tickets to Local Events

If you prefer, here is a link to our Amazon Wish List: [St. Henry Festival - Bid & Buy Raffle Items](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/OGZYX22J5LQL?ref_=list_d_wl_lfu_nav_6)

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WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUR BUSINESS OR ORGANIZATION

Title Sponsorship.....	\$5,000
Crusader Music Sponsor.....	SOLD
Crusader Beer Sponsor.....	\$2,500
Crusader Sponsor.....	\$2,000
Bid & Buy Sponsor.....	SOLD
Zone Sponsor.....	\$1,000
Presenting Sponsor.....	\$500

PERFECT FOR FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS

Booth Sponsor.....	\$250
Family/Kid Zone Sponsor.....	\$100

We're so grateful for the time, energy, and enthusiasm of our community. Thank you in advance for being a part of it and for helping make this festival such a special success.

Click to email Jennifer Fedders for more information!

CAFETERIA

LUNCH					APRIL 2026 Elementary Lunch Menu					MY SCHOOL BUCKS PAY FOR MEALS ONLINE MySchoolBucks.com				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Monday	Tuesday			
		Confetti Pancakes 1 Egg Omelet Tater Tots, Celery Sticks Mandarin Oranges Grapes Juice Milk	Holy Thursday 2 No School	Good Friday 3 No School	Spring Break 6 No School	Spring Break 7 No School	Spring Break 8 No School	Spring Break 9 No School	Spring Break 10 No School	Chicken Patty Sandwich 13 Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Onion Potato Wedges Peas & Carrots Peaches, Sidekicks Juice Milk	Crispitos 14 Salsa, Sour Cream Black Beans, Corn Pineapple, Strawberries Chocolate Chip Cookie Juice Milk	Mini Waffles 15 Egg Omelet Tater Tots Celery Sticks Mandarin Oranges, Grapes Juice Milk	Chicken Nuggets 16 Macaroni & Cheese Green Beans Glazed Carrots Pears, Bananas Juice Milk	Cheese Bites 17 Marinara Sauce Seasoned Broccoli Garden Salads Applesauce, Orange Slices Juice Milk
		Chili Spaghetti 22 Shredded Cheese, Onions Cyster Crackers Corn, Carrot Sticks Mandarin Oranges, Grapes Juice Milk	Chicken Tenders 23 Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Green Beans Pears, Bananas Juice Milk	Grilled Cheese Sandwich 24 Pickle Spears Tomato Soup, Garden Salads Oyster Crackers Applesauce, Orange Slices Juice Milk	Hamburger 20 OR Cheeseburger Potato Wedges, Baked Beans Pickle Slices Peaches, Apples Sidekicks Milk	Cheese Pizza 21 OR Pepperoni Pizza Steamed Broccoli Garden Salads Pineapple, Strawberries Juice Milk	Hot Dog OR Chili Cone 27 Cheese, Onions Potato Wedges Peas & Carrots Peaches, Apples Sidekicks Milk	Soft Taco OR Nacho Taco 28 Cheese, Salsa, Sour Cream Black Beans, Corn Pineapple, Strawberries Carnival Cookie Juice Milk	Confetti Pancakes 29 Egg Omelet Tater Tots, Celery Sticks Mandarin Oranges Grapes Juice Milk	Chicken Nuggets 30 Macaroni & Cheese Green Beans Glazed Carrots Pears, Bananas Juice Milk				

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

[DOWNLOAD APRIL MENU PDF](#)

Cafeteria Volunteers Needed!

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.* [Sign up to volunteer in April!](#)

Reach out to Trisha Kissel to volunteer or if you have any questions regarding the cafeteria/menu, please reach out to Trisha, cafeteria@sthenrynky.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!

For more information, contact Ryan Bihl or Jamie Powers, bingo@sthenrynky.com or call the school office, 859-342-2551.

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 > 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
Wednesday, April 15 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington
Thursday, April 30 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington
Tuesday, May 19 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington
Wednesday, June 17 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington
Wednesday, July 1 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington
Tuesday, July 28 @ 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM	Diocesan Curia, Covington

Summer Stuff 

Troop 239 has been around for over 30 years of scouting adventures!

Join us on **Tuesday, March 31st** for our Spring Recruiting Night from 6:00 - 7:30PM at Mary, Queen of Heaven Parish & School.

* If you can't make it, you can reach us at troop239dbc.info@gmail.com

All new scouts who join before April 7th will be eligible for our trip to Utah this upcoming Summer! (July 20-28th)



Scouting is for *everyone*.

Join Today at beascout.org



Cub Scout Pack 239 meets at MQH on Tuesdays during the school year. You can reach us at mqhpack239@gmail.com.

There are plenty of other Cub Scout Packs and Scouts BSA Troops in the area, so look around and find one that's right for you!



St. Henry Catholic Church
VBS 2026

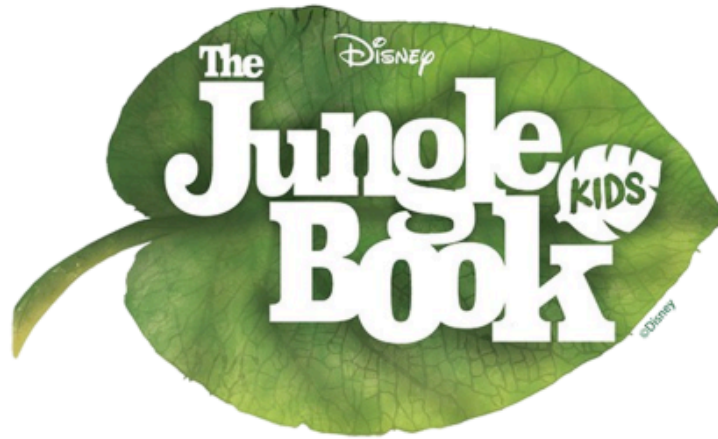
RAINFOREST FALLS

Exploring the Nature of God

July 27-31
9 AM-Noon
KDG-5th Grade



St. Henry Catholic School invites you to



Summer Drama Camp Registration!

When: July 13th—July 17th 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 2026-2027 school year)

Show Performance: Friday, July 17th at 3:30 pm at Drees Auditorium

For more camp details, audition

information, etc. go to

<https://givebutter.com/JungleBook2026>

**Camp Counselor positions also available for
incoming freshman and up. Register Here!**

Register before June 26th!

For questions, email Ms. Scott at

rscott@sthenrynky.com



Register Here



Summer just got a whole lot more exciting at SHDHS! Registration is NOW OPEN for our 2026 Summer Camps and there is something for every student!

ATHLETIC CAMPS - Build skills, boost confidence, and have fun with our championship coaches and student-athletes.

ACADEMIC ENHANCEMENT PROGRAMS - Stay sharp, get ahead, and strengthen key skills for the year ahead.

FINE ARTS CAMPS - Unleash creativity through art, music, and hands-on artistic experiences. Whether your child is an athlete, artist, scholar, or all three, SHDHS Summer Camps are the perfect place to learn, grow, and make new friends.

Spot fill quickly, don't miss out on an unforgettable summer!

Save your spot today! Register [HERE](#).

SANCTUARY
SUMMER DAYS!
2026 SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM

At OneQuest Health, we believe all children deserve the opportunity to go to summer camp! We are thrilled to offer a summer program for elementary aged youth with behavioral health needs that prevent them from participating in traditional summer camp environments. We are accepting referrals into the summer program now and will continue to do so until we reach capacity. If interested, please make a referral as soon as possible, spots fill up fast.

May 27th — August 14th
9:00AM — 1:00PM each day

OneQuest Main Campus
200 Home Road, Devou Park,
Covington, KY 41011

[Click for a Program Flyer](#)

News from SHDHS

SPRING SPORTS

Register today at shdhs.org

Grade School Appreciation Nights



Girls Softball

vs. Beechwood

THURS, APRIL 16

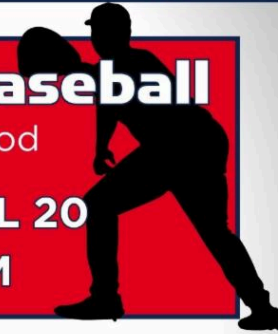
5:30 PM

Boys Baseball

vs. Beechwood

MON, APRIL 20

5:00 PM

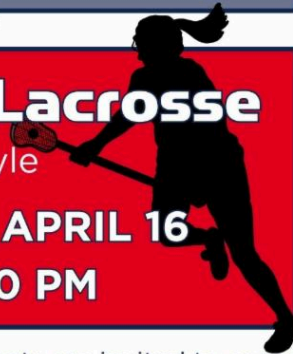


Girls Lacrosse

vs. Ryle

THURS, APRIL 16

6:00 PM

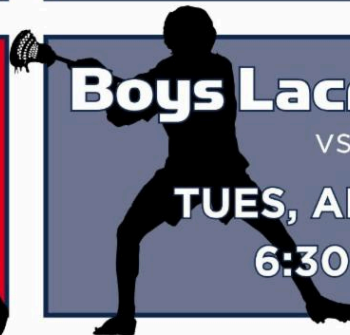


Boys Lacrosse

vs. Cooper

TUES, APRIL 28

6:30 PM



K-8 grade students are invited to come enjoy some Crusader athletics this spring! **Free admission** to these games when students wear their middle school spirit wear.

Please note: all games are subject to change due to weather. Be sure to check the Athletic Calendar for updates.

Upcoming Grade School Nights

Girls Lacrosse

Thursday, April 16

SHDHS vs. Ryle

6:00 PM

St. Henry District High School

Girls Softball

Thursday, April 16

SHDHS vs. Beechwood

5:30 PM

St. Henry District High School

Boys Varsity Baseball

Monday, April 20

SHDHS vs. Beechwood

5:00 PM

St. Henry District High School

Boys Lacrosse

Tuesday, April 28

SHDHS vs. Cooper

6:30 PM

St. Henry District High School

What to Expect

- Free admission for students wearing middle school spirit wear
- A fun and exciting game-day atmosphere
- A chance to support Crusader athletics
- An opportunity to experience CRU Faith, Respect, and Grit

Parent Attendance

Parents and family members are encouraged to attend and cheer on the Crusaders with us!

Please note: All games are subject to change due to weather. Be sure to check the SHDHS Athletic Calendar for the most up-to-date schedule information.

We look forward to welcoming your students and families to campus this spring and sharing the Crusader spirit with you!

[Please register here.](#)

Go CRU!

 **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.

Our Parishes

St. Barbara
4042 Turkeyfoot Road
Erlanger, KY 41018
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stbarbaraky.org

St. Henry
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Elsmere, KY 41018
859-727-2035
sthenrychurch.net

Cristo Rey
25 Cavalier Boulevard
Florence, KY 41042
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