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The Weekly Warrior



Check out the news and events happening at St. Charles School!

Dear school families,

Despite the added days at the end of the school year, the year is certainly winding down. This week, our preschool program ended, and the four-year olds celebrated their very own graduation ceremony.

This Sunday, we hear Jesus as he prepares the disciples for their lives after his ascension. Jesus tells them that he will send the Advocate — the Holy Spirit — to the disciples. The Holy Spirit is with us and calls to us. Jesus explains that the Advocate will teach us and help us to remember what we need. We pray to the Holy Spirit that as we go forth to the summer months, we will love more deeply and share more freely the gift of love with others. (taken from *Catechist*, April/May 2019, p. 44)

News and updates for the week:

- Thank you to all of the chaperones and parents who went on the zoo field trip.
- Thank you for your donations of cookies for the Veteran's Administration Clinic in Grand Rapids. If you forgot, please send in a package of cookies next week.
- The Walk-a-Thon is Wednesday, May 29. Please have your donations in by then.
- The Spring concert for kindergarten through fifth grade students is Wednesday, May 29 beginning at 6:30. Students need to arrive by 6:10 in the classrooms, and should be in their Sunday best. It will be a great concert. Miss Brink and the students have worked very hard! All students are expected to attend.
- We hope for a wonderful sunny day on Thursday, May 30, as the eighth graders will head to Michigan Adventure for their class trip.
- Friday, May 31, we will celebrate liturgy together and celebrate the eighth grade and kindergarten graduations. Mass is at 12:15, and we hope you will attend.
- Fun Day is scheduled for Thursday, June 6. Please sign up to help if you have not already done so. Thank you to Ashley Jackson and Becky Arlt for chairing this event.

Have a fun-filled and safe Memorial Day weekend. Many blessings!



Upcoming Events

MAY

24 ½ day for Memorial Day – Dismiss at 10:20 AM No Day Care

27 No School - Happy Memorial Day!

28 Taco Tuesday - Maureen Alberts

29 Cooking Club K & 1

29 Walk-a-Thon Day

29 Flo's Day

29 Spring Concert 6:30 PM

30 8th grade Class Trip

31 Graduation at 12:15 Mass

31 Pizza Friday - Cindy Hickey

31 No PM Busing

IUNE

3 No PM Busing

4-12 No More Busing

4 Taco Tuesday - Neil Kassuba

6 Fun Day! Full Day

7 Pizza Friday - Cindy Hickey

7 Full Day

10 Full Day

11 ½ Day of School 11:00 Dismissal - No Day Care

12 Last Day of School!!! 8:45 AM Awards Ceremony You may go home after the ceremony with your parents or dismissal is at 11:00 AM. No day care.

Have a wonderful Summer!!!!



To change the world we must be good to those who cannot repay us.

Pope Francis

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The winner of the Weekly Warrior 52 raffle last week was: Dan Morris
Congratulations!!!!



St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School Mission Statement

St. Charles Catholic School is dedicated to:

Teaching the message of Jesus

Building the Christian Community

Providing a quality education

Participating in Catholic Worship through instruction, example and environment

Serving those in need

Summer Service Opportunity

We are happy to announce that beginning in June St. Charles will be offering a free meal for the community on Mondays from 4:30-5:30 pm, in addition to the free meal we already serve on Thursdays. It is a much needed resource for our community. We are very fortunate to have one of our parishioner families willing to provide this additional weekly meal. They are in need of helpers for these Monday meals. Helpers will be setting up tables and chairs, delivering plates to the attendees, clearing plates, and helping with clean up. Our hope is to have 15 volunteers, 3 per week every 5 weeks, with volunteers commitment limited to once every five weeks. This is a wonderful service opportunity for singles, families, or seniors. If you would like to find out more about this service opportunity, call the parish office at 616-754-4194

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 25, 5:00 PM (SC)

Aaron, George and Annie Amidon

Sunday, May 26, 8:00 AM (SM)

Christopher Stalin, Will & Lena Ostermeyer

Sunday, May 26. 9:00 AM (SC)

Megan Hudson, Kailey Ingraham and Marilynn Duncan

Sunday, May 26, 11:00 AM (SJ)

Jackson Porta, Theo Iwah and Jack Verdun

May 27 9:00 AM St. Charles Cemetery

May 28 6:30 PM (SJ)

May 29 9:00 AM (SC)

May 30 9:00 AM (SJ)

May 31 12:15 PM (SC) Graduation Mass