



The Weekly Warrior



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

Dear school families,

It has been another beautiful week of weather and a wonderful week of school. With our recent increase in COVID cases, please be sure to strongly encourage your child to wear his or her mask while in school. It is one form of mitigation strategy that can help all of us remain in school. Thank you for your cooperation.

In our Gospel reading this week, we hear about Bartimaeus who knows what he wants: his sight. Furthermore, he has faith that he will get his sight even before he asks. Jesus cures Bartimaeus and reveals the key to the cure--his faith. We often cling to things that interfere with getting closer to God, such as envy, gluttony, greed, lust, pride, sloth and wrath. These sins are often confused with what we need and want. They distance us from God. Faith can help us find the way when we are blinded by confusion over what is important. (taken from *Living With Christ*, October 2021, p. 158)

On Monday, our students will have vision and hearing screening. If you have a concern about your child, please let us know, so that the proper test is done on your child.

Next week, our seventh and eighth graders will visit the Franciscan Life Process Center to participate in the Franciscan Outdoor Environmental Program. The students will use core academic skills and experience faith development while they participate in a range of lessons and activities. Students will learn about the seasons, harvest time, animals, and farm life, as well as environmental principles and concepts. They will also have time for art, music, team building, hiking, baking and cooking. We are excited to be able to provide this opportunity for our students.

Students may be dressed in orange and black on Thursday, October 28, as the Halloween socials will be held this day. No costumes please. We hope you will participate in the Trunk-or-Treat next Thursday from 5:30 to 7:30 in the upper church parking lot. Thank you to the PTO for organizing the event. If you would like to help in any way, please let us know.

The end of the marking period is next Friday. Report cards will be available for viewing on Monday, November 8. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please let your child's teacher know.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs. Karpus

Upcoming Events

OCTOBER

- 26 Pizza Tuesday - Doug Schmitt & Lauren Norton
- 26-27 Farm School for 7th & 8th
- 27 Dairy Queen Fundraiser
- 28 Trunk-or-Treat- 5:30-7:30
- 29 Pizza Friday - Nick & Alicia Blackmer
- 31 Interact - Rake and Run

NOVEMBER

- 2 Interact 6-8 7 AM
- 2 Pizza Tuesday- Doug Schmitt & Lindsay Dekker
- 5 Pizza Friday- Nick Blackmer
- 6 Euchre Party at St. Mary's 6:30
- 9 Pizza Tuesday- Indira Smith & Lauren Norton
- 9 PTO Meeting 6:00
- 12 Pizza Friday- Whitney Cushman
- 15-19 Book fair
- 15 Ice Cream Social
- 16 Pizza Tuesday- Heather Warner
- 18 Thanksgiving Luncheon
- 19 Pizza Friday
- 24-26 No School
- 25 HAPPY THANKSGIVING



WHEN YOU GO THROUGH
DEEP WATERS,
I WILL BE WITH YOU.

- ISAIAH 43:2



Scrip Contest!!

During the month of October get a chance to win a \$25 Amazon gift card! Earn one entry for every day that you purchase scrip. New sign-ups will also receive 5 bonus entries!!



Please call the school for more information on Scrip or email Krysta Russell at k_russell@live.com. (We also keep many retailer cards on hand at school.)

Trunk-or-TREAT

There are still spots available if you'd like to host a trunk for trunk-or-treating on October 28th. Please sign up on Sign Up Genius or call the school office.



Candy Bar Sale

Don't forget to sell your candy bars and turn in the money. We have raspberry, coconut and almond toffee bars left to sell. Please let the office know if you would like some. Thanks!!!

Virtue Corner

The virtue we are focusing on is honesty.

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

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday, Oct 23, 4:30 PM (SI)

Saturday, Oct 23, 7:00 PM (SC)

Sunday, Oct 24, 8:30 AM (SM)

Sunday, Oct 24, 11:00 AM (SC)

Monday, Oct 25 9:00 AM (SC) Prayer Service

Tuesday, Oct 26 6:30 PM (SJ) Mass

Wednesday, Oct 27 8:00 AM (SC) Mass 5-6

Thursday, Oct 28 9:00 AM (SJ) Mass

Friday, Oct 29 1:00 PM (SC) All School Mass

