



The Weekly Warrior

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



Dear school families,

It is hard to believe that we begin the month of November on Monday. We have had a great first quarter of the school year.

The Great Commandment is at the heart of this Sunday's readings. We hear the words, "*You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength, and You shall love your neighbor as yourself.*" This is the path to life in God's kingdom. How can we love this way? Many holy women and men recommend "falling in love with God." When we are in love, we know our priorities--we know how we will devote our time and talents. Let us open ourselves to love God passionately. (taken from *Living With Christ*, October 2021, p. 186)

You will find your child's MAPS scores in this week's communication. Be sure to look them over and be proud of your child! We are pleased with the test scores and will continue to work hard to work with those who need extra assistance. Be sure to call us if you have any questions.

Thank you to all of the families who participated in Trunk-or-Treat! The children had a great time. Thanks to our PTO for providing the refreshments.

Although All Saints Day is not a holy day of obligation this year, students will be attending Mass at 9:00 on Monday. Feel free to join us if you are able.

As the weather continues to cool down, please be sure that your child is dressed appropriately for recess. Recess begins at 11:00 for some groups, and it can still be cool at that time. Jackets, gloves, and hats are necessary as it gets cooler.

Upper parking lot reminder: If you need to get your child in or out of your vehicle, especially if your child or children are in carseats, please park in the parking spaces. You can walk your child to the door and after school, an adult will walk your child to you or you may walk to get your child. We will never allow children to walk alone through the parking lot. Also, as you drop-off or pick up your children, please pull up along the sidewalk so more cars are able to drop-off or pick-up. Thank you for your cooperation.

Report cards will be ready for parent viewing on Monday, November 8. Let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

Have a great weekend and safe Halloween.

Mrs. Karpus

Upcoming Events

OCTOBER

31 Interact - Rake and Run

31 Happy Halloween!

NOVEMBER

1 All Saints Day!

2 Interact 6-8 7 AM

2 Pizza Tuesday- Doug Schmitt & Lindsay Dekker

4 Feast day of St. Charles Borromeo

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!!!

30 Pizza Tuesday - Lindsay Dekker



If we wish to make any progress in the service of God we must begin every day of our life with new eagerness. We must keep ourselves in the presence of God as much as possible and have no other view or end in all our actions but the divine honor.

St. Charles Borromeo

Scrip News!!

It's not too early to start your Christmas shopping. Scrip cards make wonderful gifts but can also be used to purchase your gifts. Christmas is less than 2 months away!



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.)

Euchre Party Fundraising Event!

Come to St. Mary's Hall on November 6th at 6:30 PM for a fun night of playing euchre and raising funds for our school. The cost is \$20 per person and that includes 4 pizza and drink coupons. Prizes will be given for the top three winners and there will be a 50/50 raffle. Call the school to reserve your spot.
616-754-3416

Virtue Corner

The virtue we are focusing on is generosity.

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 30, 4:30 PM (SI)

Saturday, Oct 30, 7:00 PM (SC)

Sunday, Oct 31, 8:30 AM (SM)

Sunday, Oct 31, 11:00 AM (SC)

Monday Nov. 1 9:00 AM (SC) Mass

All School Mass for All Saints Day

Tuesday Nov. 2 6:30 PM (SJ) Mass

Wednesday Nov. 3 8:00 AM (SC) Mass 5-8

Thursday Nov. 4 Feast of St. Charles Borromeo

9:00 AM (SJ) Mass

6:30 PM (SC) Vespers

There is a wine and cheese reception after Vespers to celebrate the feast day of St. Charles.

Friday Nov. 5 1:00 PM (SC)

All School Mass

