

THE WARRIOR

March 6, 2026

Thank you 

Thank you to our St. Charles PTO for purchasing a new drinking fountain and water bottle filling station for the lower level of the school. Our students will use it every day, and we are grateful for the PTO's continued support. We also thank St. Charles parents Michael and Krysta Russell of Russell Plumbing and Mechanical for installing it.

Our PTO supports many of the events and opportunities that enrich student life at St. Charles, including field trips, Teacher Appreciation Week, the Back to School Kickoff, Trunk or Treat, Donuts with Dad, Muffins with Mom, the Thanksgiving Luncheon, Fun Day, holiday celebrations, and activities during Catholic Schools Week.

The PTO is a wonderful way our families share their time and talents in service to our school community. If you are interested in getting involved, please contact the PTO at stcharlespto@saintscjm.com.

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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
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SERVING THOSE IN NEED.



IMPORTANT DATES

- Mar. 9 - Pizza Lunch - Katey Johnson
- Mar. 9 - Charity Day!
- Mar. 11 - Little Flowers/Blue Knights
- Mar. 13 - All School Mass
- Mar. 13 - Fish Fry @ St. Charles 5-7PM
- Mar. 16 - Pizza Lunch - Linda Winters
- Mar. 17 - Interact @ 7AM
- Mar. 17 - "Wearing of the Green"
- Mar. 17 - Bonus Charity Day - CRS Rice Bowl
- Mar. 18 - No 7th/8th Grade Band/Orchestra
- Mar. 18 - First Communion plate painting
- Mar. 19 - Songfest @ West Catholic
- Mar. 20 - All School Mass
- Mar. 20 - Fish Fry @ St. Charles - 5-7PM
- Mar. 20 - All School Reconciliation
- Mar. 22 - Middle School Shine Rally
- Mar. 23 - Pizza Lunch - Katey Johnson
- Mar. 25 - St Charles School Board - 7PM
- Mar. 27 - All School Mass
- Mar. 27 - Third Quarter Ends
- Mar. 27 - Fish Fry @ St. Charles 5-7PM

School Calendar

Charity Day

Monday, March 9th

Grateful Hearted Hershey Bar Drive

For Charity Day, we are collecting plain, full-size Hershey bars (no nuts, please) to support The Grateful Hearted, a local group that prepares care packages for veterans.

It's a simple item, but it goes a long way in reminding our veterans that they are remembered and appreciated by our community. Thank you for helping us make Charity Day a meaningful way to give back and show gratitude to those who have served.

Thank you for helping us care for our neighbors and share God's love through service.



[Here is a sign up for library volunteers](#)

Remember: All school volunteers must take the *Protecting God's Children* class. Contact the school office at: school@saintscjm.com for more information.

His Hands and Feet Serve-A-Thon

March 1st-28th

Register Now!

Students act as Jesus' hands and feet here on earth by serving their family, school and community and asking friends and family to support their school!

Click [this link](#) to register and share with family and friends!



School Support and Security

- The first \$20,000 raised will go towards supporting our school and keeping tuition low for school families.
- Funds raised beyond the first \$20,000 will go towards improving security at St. Charles School (PA system improvements, key card entry for staff, etc.)

Incentives each week!

Week #1: Register by March 8th at 11:59 pm and you will be entered into a drawing to win a Greenville Car Center gift certificate for an oil change, safety inspection, car wash and interior clean!

Questions? Contact Katey Johnson at (616) 263-0100 or kateypeacock23@gmail.com

ST. CHARLES CATHOLIC SCHOOL PTO NEWSLETTER

March



NEWS

While details are still being finalized, we are excited to share a few things already in motion!

Annual Spring Plant Sale

One of our favorite spring traditions is just around the corner! Our annual plant sale will be returning, just in time to brighten your homes and gardens. More information on ordering and pickup dates.

Paint & Sip Night — New Location

We are thrilled to share that this year's Paint & Sip will be held at St. Mary's on Friday April 24th! We're excited for a fresh space and another fun evening of creativity and community. Registration details will be announced soon.

Surprise Student Field Trip

We are also hard at work planning our special end-of-year surprise field trip for the students. This has become such a fun tradition, and we can't wait to share more once plans are finalized!

Annual Fun Day

Mark your calendars! Fun Day will be held on June 3 at St. Mary's this year. This is one of the biggest and most exciting days of the year for our students! Volunteer opportunities and planning meetings will be scheduled soon — we'll need lots of helping hands to make it another unforgettable day.

DATES

3/4/26: Virtual PTO Meeting @ 6:00PM
4/1/26: PTO Meeting @ 6:00PM
4/26: Field Trip (Date TBD)
4/24/26: PTO Paint & Sip (Time TBD)
May 2026: PTO Plant Sale
5/4/26-5/8/26: Teacher Appreciation Week
5/6/26: PTO Meeting @ 6:00PM
5/26: Fun Day Meeting
6/3/26: Fun Day

THANK YOU

The PTO Euchre Night was truly a hit! We had a fantastic group of parents join us for an evening filled with laughter, friendly competition, and great conversation. Thanks to your support, we raised over \$500 that will go directly toward two of our favorite upcoming events — Muffins with Mom and Fun Day! Beyond the cards and competition, what made the night especially meaningful were the connections formed. We were able to welcome some new faces into our school and church community, all because of a simple, unexpected conversation at the store. Simple moments like this, remind us that God places us exactly where we need to be, at just the right time. He is always working, sometimes in the most ordinary moments to build something bigger than we can see. Thank you to everyone who came out, supported, invited a friend, and helped make the evening such a success.

UPDATES

As outlined in our PTO bylaws, all board positions will be open for the upcoming school year. This means we will be forming a new PTO board to continue supporting our students and teachers. Serving on the PTO board is a meaningful way to be involved in our school community and support the mission of our school. If you have questions or would like to express interest early, please don't hesitate to reach out to stcharlespto@saintscjm.com

Note from Mrs. Saladin

Dear St. Charles school families,

Each year, our Serve-a-Thon fundraiser takes on a different focus, helping support important needs within our school community. This year, our focus is helping keep tuition as affordable as possible for St. Charles families.

The actual cost to educate a student at St. Charles Catholic School is approximately \$7,200 per child each year, and tuition covers only a portion of that cost. We work hard to keep tuition lower than the true cost of education so that families who desire a St. Charles education can access it.

Serve-a-Thon is one of the ways our school community comes together to support that mission. During Serve-a-Thon, our students are encouraged to serve others in our school and community while also raising support for their school.

We invite every family to participate by helping their child find sponsors. Grandparents, relatives, neighbors, and friends are often happy to support our students and the mission of St. Charles Catholic School.

Thank you for being such an important part of our school community and for supporting our students as we continue forming them in faith, academics, and service.

Peace,
Mrs. Saladin



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