



SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Attendance Line: 612-787-1199 option 1

Weekly Update 26 ~ March 8, 2018

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- TH. MAR 08** 7:00 PM Home & School Meeting (104)
- FR. MAR 09** 8:00 AM School Mass
1:45 PM Stations of the Cross
Report Cards Go Home with Students
Schoenstatt Girls' Youth
- SU. MAR 11** Daylight Savings Time Begins
2:00 PM Magic & Movie Day (Gym)
- MO. MAR 12** Out-of-Uniform Pass Day
- TU. MAR 13** Middle School March Birthdays Out-of-Uniform Day
9:00 5th-8th Grade Reconciliation
3:30 - 8:00 PM Parent Teacher Conferences
7:00 PM Vocations Holy Hour (Church)
- WE. MAR 14** 9:00 AM 2nd-4th Grade Reconciliation
6:30 PM School Advisory Meeting (104)
- TH. MAR 15** **Spirit Wear Day**
Grandparents Day Forms Due (PreSchool - 8th grade)
3:30 - 8:00 PM Parent Teacher Conferences
- FR. MAR 16** 8:00 AM School Mass
Middle School Trimester 2 Honors Awarded after Mass
All School Lenten Day of Renewal
1:45 PM 8th Grade Re-enactment of the Stations of the Cross
- MO. MAR 19 - FR. MAR 23** School Not in Session for Spring Break

Dear St. Charles Parents,

I'm very proud of our 6th graders. They did an amazing job on their science fair projects and came home heavy with awards. Our students brought home a pile of blue ribbons and a red ribbon for first and second place! Some notable victories of the day include:

- Riley M. receiving an award from "Graduate Women in Science."
- Norah T. and Adriana R. both receiving the "Excellence in Science" Award
- Allannah C. and Faith B. being named alternates for the state competition
- Riley M., Adriana R., Mitch S., and Ben W. all advanced to the state competition.

How great is that 6th grade! Finally, Ms. Pearson, our science teacher, received the "Excellent Teacher" award for her fine work and leadership. Next year we'll get a second bus to bring home our awards.

Just a reminder to fish report cards out of backpacks this Friday. We look forward to meeting with you next week during conferences.

Remember to mark your calendar for Sunday's Magic and Movie Day!

FREE Event this Sunday: Magic and Movie Day!

Grab the whole family and enjoy an afternoon of fun in the school gym for Magic and Movie Day on Sunday, March 11.

2:00 pm: Master Magician, Brodini

2:45 pm: Despicable Me 3 begins!

Popcorn and concessions will be available for purchase. Feel free to bring your favorite blanket or pillow and get comfortable. No reservations are necessary; this is a FREE event. Invite along your friends and neighbors - everyone is welcome! Pass along the flyer at: <http://stchbschool.org/2018/02/26/free-event-magic-movie-day/>.

Enjoy the sunshine!

Danny Kieffer
St. Charles Principal

Are You Signed Up for Conferences? March 13 and 15

Conferences are next week: March 13 and 15. To schedule go to: [Spring Conferences](#). This link will bring you to the St. Charles School scheduling page. Select relevant preschool, elementary teacher(s) and/or a middle school time slot, and then register your name and contact information. This creates a registration for each conference and sends you a confirmation email with a link to choose appointment times.

Vocations Holy Hour - Message from Fr. Przybilla ~ March 13

Do you want your child to be happy when they grow up? Do you want them to be fulfilled in the vocation they choose? If so, you need to pray that your children follow the vocation to which God calls them.

Statistics have shown that priests and religious are some of the most happy and fulfilled people in the world. St Charles has produced many vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Some of whom have attended our school.

I invite you and your family to the church on Tuesday, March 13, at 7 PM to pray a Holy Hour for vocations for your children and all the children of the parish that God may continue to bless our parish with many vocations to the priesthood and religious life. God bless you.

Grandparents Day for Preschool ~ RSVP by Thursday, March 15

It is time to invite those special older people in our lives to an extra-special celebration on April 6! We will start with 8:00 AM Mass, followed by a short program, snack, and activity. The event will wrap up around 10:15 AM. All students are welcome to invite their grandparents or grand-friends (someone like a grandparent to them) to come and share in our morning activities. *Call and invite someone today!*

Please fill out the form and return it to the school office by March 15th! [Grandparents Day](#)

Only One More Week to Order Your 2017/18 Yearbook ~

Friday, March 16, Deadline

Yearbooks may be ordered now through Friday, March 16. This is the only time to reserve a copy of our 2017-18 yearbook. All yearbooks need to be pre-ordered online. The price is \$20. The yearbook covers preschool through 8th grade. If you haven't seen a school yearbook before and would like to know what it looks like, stop by the office to see a copy of the 2016-17 yearbook.

Please order your yearbook by visiting: [2017/18 Yearbook](#) Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express accepted. Use School ID code: 1260918

It's Time for Another Round of SCRIP Gift Card Ordering! Rethink How You Shop!

Order by Friday, March 16

To date, with our Christmas order spree and our ScripWallet users, we have earned nearly \$500 for St. Charles School!!

Information and order forms can be found here - [Scrip Program](#). Orders are due on Friday, March 16. Gift cards will be available for pickup or delivery the week of March 26. Traveling for Spring Break? Sign up for Presto Pay and have access to instant e-cards for hundreds of nationwide retailers, restaurants and more. Rethink the way you shop!

Jump Rope and Hoops for Heart

Thank you for the wonderful support of our Jump Rope and Hoops for Heart event this year. We raised \$2,409 for the American Heart Association and learned about how we can keep our hearts healthy and make good choices for a long, healthy lifestyle. We appreciate everyone's efforts in staying active, making good food choices, and doing whatever we can to keep our hearts healthy!

The top participating grade, earning an extra day of P.E., was the 2nd Grade! Congratulations!

The 'Thank You' prizes just came in and will be coming home within the next week!

Thanks again for your support of this fun event!

Mr. Carpenter & Mr. Kenney

MCYO Spelling Bee ~ Monday, March 19

Due to the snowstorm, the MCYO Spelling Bee has been rescheduled for Monday, March 19, at St. Helena. Good luck to our St.Charles participants.

Extreme Faith Camp for Current 6th-8th Graders ~ Registration Deadline March 29

St. Charles is joining with other parishes to be a part of this already well-established camp. The camp includes loads of outdoor activities like canoeing, swimming, and even ropes courses; there will also be tons of organized games, sports, and even arts and crafts. Most importantly, it's a chance for students to dive into their faith. Daily Mass, prayer, talks, and small groups are a vital part of the camp. This camp is for current 6th-8th grade students and is held at Camp Courage in Maple Lake, Minnesota (transportation will be provided). The cost is \$380 (financial assistance available + fundraising opportunities this spring). Registration Deadline: Thursday, March 29. Please note that we only have 20 spots available for students, so be sure to register early. Contact Rachel at 612.787.1163 for more information.

Video link from last year's camp: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J-K2i2Qpa7U>

Registration form: [Extreme Faith Camp Form](#)

St. Charles Annual Fund

Will you help us meet our \$10,000 dollar-for-dollar match by responding to our St. Charles Annual Fund?

St. Charles Annual Fund

2017 Education Tax Information

The 2017 Education Subtraction and Credit Form can be found at this link:

http://stchbschool.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/34/2017/01/tax_subtraction_credit_info.pdf

*Do you know a family who may be interested in learning about St. Charles School?
Simply have them contact Danny Kieffer at 612-787-1140 for information and a tour or sign up
on our website: [Tour & Information Request Link](#)*

Prayer Corner ~

If you would like to add someone to our prayer corner, please email the information to Danny Kieffer at dkieffer@stchbs.org

- ❖ For Ben W.'s cousin, Amanda, recovering from major surgery.
- ❖ For prayers for health concerns for staff member Glenn Kaslow.
- ❖ For healing for Mark Mayer, father of former students Mary, ('10), and Christopher, ('11)
- ❖ For healing and successful treatment for staff member Glenn Kaslow's brother Gerald as he goes through chemotherapy
- ❖ For our NPH brothers and sisters.
- ❖ For Arden, a friend of the St. Charles community, who is suffering with asthma complications.
- ❖ For all St. Charles families, new and old, that they may be strengthened by their faith and sheltered in God's loving mercy

Additional Links

St. Charles Website ~ www.stchbschool.org

St. Charles Google Calendar ~ [St. Charles Calendar Link](#)

St. Charles Lunch Calendar ~ [St. Charles Lunch Calendar Link](#)

St. Charles Google Athletic Calendar ~ [St. Charles Athletic Calendar Link](#)

St Charles Volunteers ~ [SignUpGenius - St. Charles](#)

St Charles Facebook ~ <https://www.facebook.com/stchbs>

[St. Anthony Boosters Baseball](#)

★ **Weekly Update** article deadline: **Wednesday 9:00 AM** - Send submissions to mwappes@stchbs.org. ★
