



# SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Attendance Line: 612-787-1199 option 1

## Weekly Update 31 ~ April 19, 2018

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- TH. APR 19** 6:30 PM Catholic Watchmen (Doran Hall)  
**FR. APR 20** 8:00 AM All School Mass  
**SA. APR 21** **5:30 PM BORROMEO BASH** (Gym)  
**SU. APR 22** 10:00 AM Confirmation Sending Mass  
**MO. APR 23** Out-of-Uniform Pass Day  
NWEA Testing Week  
**TU. APR 24** 10:00 AM School Mass with Archbishop Hebda (no 8:00 AM Mass)  
7:00 PM Confirmation at the Cathedral  
**WE. APR 25** 7:00 PM First Communion Rehearsal (Church)  
**TH. APR 26** 8:45 AM 5th Grade DARE Graduation (Doran Hall)  
**FR. APR 27** 8:00 AM All School Mass  
**SA. APR 28** 10:00 AM First Communion  
**SU. APR 29** 10:00 AM Mass & Welcome Sunday with donuts in Doran Hall after Mass  
**MO. APR 30** Out-of-Uniform Pass Day  
NWEA Testing Continues  
**WE. MAY 02** **NPH Sponsorship and Spirit Wear Day**  
**FR. MAY 04** 8:00 AM All School Mass and May Crowning  
Volunteer Appreciation following 8:00 AM Mass in school cafeteria

Dear St. Charles Parents,

The Borromeo Bash is upon us, and the excitement is ramping up. There is a waiting list for tickets, please call the school office if you would like to get on that list. The evening promises to be totally rad!

Next week we have a visit from our Archbishop Hebda on Tuesday, April 24. This visit will begin with 10:00 AM Mass at St. Charles Borromeo Church. We invite all parents and community members to join us for this special Mass. After Mass we will bring the Archbishop on a tour of St. Charles School, and then he will join us in the cafeteria for a spaghetti lunch prepared by our amazing St. Charles chefs! The Archbishop will be sitting at a special table with a group of very lucky students. On Monday, we will be drawing names of students from the K-4 and 5-8 to have lunch with our Archbishop! Sorry, preschoolers, we'll be using a tall round table and folding chairs, so you'll have to wait for next time around. Our preschool will be welcome to pass through for a handshake or a high five.

Please keep our 8th graders in your prayers as they will be confirmed on April 24 at 7:00 PM at the Cathedral. They will be old friends with Archbishop Hebda by then. We look forward to this final Sacrament of Initiation for

our 8th graders and having them as chosen members of our church. They will be chosen in the fact that the Lord has chosen them, and that they have chosen to follow the Lord through the Catholic Church.

Next week we will begin NWEA MAP testing. Please make an extra effort to make sure your children have a good breakfast, a good night's sleep, and are at school on time each day! This is always a good practice, but it really helps when we are trying to measure academic growth.

Thank you for your support and God bless you,

Danny Kieffer  
St. Charles Principal

## **Borromeo Bash Update**

The Bash is sold out! If you hear of anyone who didn't purchase tickets yet and would like to attend, please have them contact the office to get on the waiting list: 612-781-2643 or stbschool@gmail.com.

If you hear of anyone who has tickets, but will be unable to attend, please have them contact the office so we can invite more people from our waiting list.

It should be a *TOTALLY AWESOME* party -- see you there!

## **Check Out Our St. Charles Summer Camp Schedule ~ Register Now**

Summer is right around the corner... You won't want to miss these fun opportunities for summer camps at St. Charles School!

Art Camp for students going into grades K-9 (6/11- 6/14)

Basketball Camp for students going into grades 2-9 (6/11 - 6/14)

Volleyball Camp for students **going into grades 3-9** (6/18- 6/21)

Floor Hockey Camp for students going into grades 5-9 (6/25 - 6/28)

Find registration forms here: <http://stchbschool.org/activities/summer-camp/>

## **DARE Graduation ~Thursday, April 26**

The St. Anthony Police Department/St Charles Borromeo School 5<sup>th</sup> grade D.A.R.E. Graduation is on Thursday, April 26, at 8:45 AM in Doran Hall. This is a special day for the fifth grade students, our school community, and our police department. Parents are welcome to attend!

## **Middle School Open Gym & Dance ~ Friday, April 27**

On Friday, April 27, the **Charge To Serve Group** is hosting the final open gym and dance of the year. Wear your brightest/neon clothes and celebrate spring. Open Gym is for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grades from 5:00 - 7:30 PM. The dance is for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grades from 6:30 - 9:00 PM. Pizza and beverages will be served for both groups from 6:30-7:30. The cost will be \$5.00. Hope to see everyone there!

## **Welcome Sunday ~ Sunday, April 29**

Sunday, April 29 is Welcome Sunday at St. Charles Borromeo Parish. Join us for 10:00 Mass and afterwards, enjoy donuts in Doran Hall. All St. Charles School families are warmly invited to attend, even if you aren't members of the parish. This is a great opportunity to socialize with other school families.

If you are a long-time St. Charles parishioner, invite a new family to join us for Welcome Sunday!  
See you on April 29!

## **Women's Council Ladies Day Out ~ Saturday, May 5**

Ladies of all ages (think mothers, sisters, daughters, friends) are invited for a spring brunch and speaker at 11:00 AM in Doran Hall on Saturday, May 5. Speaker, Stephanie Percic, has helped lead over 100 trips to Medjugorje, Bosnia-Herzegovina. Tickets are \$10 and available in the atrium after weekend Masses or at this link: [Ladies Day Out](#)

## **Annual Archdiocesan Family Rosary Procession ~ Sunday, May 6**

Please come and unite your prayers with Bishop Andrew Cozzens and the families of the Archdiocese to celebrate the 71st Annual May Family Rosary Procession in honor of Our Lady of Fatima. Gather at the State Capitol at 1:30 PM. The procession will begin at 2:00 and goes from the Capitol to the Cathedral. Come and entrust your family to the Immaculate Heart of Mary! For more information: [Rosary Procession](#)

## **4th Grade Students and Parents: Middle School Orientation ~ Tuesday, May 8**

Current fourth grade students and their parents are invited to come for an introduction to our middle school program on **Tuesday, May 8, at 6:00 PM** in middle school commons.

## **Important Upcoming Dates**

5/10/18 - K-4 Elementary Spring Concert Honoring Mary

5/24/18 - Middle School Band & Choir Concert

## **2018-19 Bus Transportation Application ~ due Friday, May 18**

The 2018-19 Bus Transportation Application link is below. **Every family with students riding the bus must complete a form and return it to the school office by Friday, May 18.** St. Charles School uses cooperative busing with St. Anthony Village High School for our K-8 students. All students wanting bus service must apply using the Bus Transportation Application for 2018-19: [2018/19 bus application](#)  
More information can be found on our website: [Transportation Information](#).

## **Additional Summer Opportunities Through St. Charles Borromeo Parish**

**Extreme Faith Camp for Current 6th-8th Graders** Contact Rachel at 612.787.1163 for more information. Registration form: [Extreme Faith Camp Form](#)

**Totus Tuus** July 8 - July 13 for incoming 1st - 12th graders

**Camp Veritas** July 22 - July 26 for incoming 9th - 12th graders

**For information as it becomes available see the St. Charles website:** [Parish Youth Activities](#)

## 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

*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](mailto:dkieffer@stchbs.org)

- ❖ For a quick recovery from a concussion for student, Arman.
- ❖ For staff member Mark Kenney's niece, Kristin, for healing for her and for the health of her unborn child
- ❖ For staff member Mark Jones' son, Tommy, for a quick and complete recovery from a complicated illness.
- ❖ For the repose of the soul of Tom Roman, husband of long-time staff member Stella Roman, and for the comfort of his family
- ❖ For the repose of the soul of Joe Sarne, friend of a St. Charles family, and the comfort of his family
- ❖ For healing for Mark Mayer, father of former students Mary, ('10), and Christopher, ('11)
- ❖ 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](http://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>

New Brighton Parks and Rec ~ [New Brighton Parks & Rec Programs](#)

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

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