



# St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School Newsletter

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**Our Mission: To Teach, Love, Live and Learn as Jesus Did**  
**Our Vision: Share Faith, Serve Others, Seek Knowledge**

As a school community, during this month of September, we will **Work from the Heart with Courage**. Courage is personal bravery in the face of fear. It is doing what needs to be done even when it is really hard or scary. Courage is needed in trying new things. It is admitting mistakes and then doing the right thing. Courage is the strength in your heart. The Cardinal Virtue of Fortitude is courage. Fortitude is the moral virtue that ensures firmness in difficulties and constancy in the pursuit of good. It strengthens the resolve to resist temptations and to overcome obstacles in the moral life. The virtue of fortitude enables one to conquer fear.

"I command you: be strong and steadfast! Do not fear nor be dismayed,  
for the Lord, your God, is with you wherever you go." *Joshua 1:9*

"It is the Lord who goes before you; he will be with you and will never fail you or forsake you.  
So do not fear or be dismayed." *Deuteronomy 31:8*

**Come out to join in the fun this weekend!**  
**See [www.CardinalFest.com](http://www.CardinalFest.com) for much more information!**

<b>Thursday, September 5</b>	Junior High Dance 6:30-9:00 pm, grades 6-7-8 (tent outside door # 7) Admission: \$5.00 in advance, \$7.00 at the door Wear BLACK and GOLD to the dance	
<b>Saturday, September 7</b>	3:00-5:00 pm Carnival games in classrooms 3:00-7:00 pm Outdoor Games (large blow ups) 3:00-6:00 pm Bird House store in Parish Hall 3:00-7:00 pm Food and Drinks 4:00-6:00 pm BINGO in tent 7:30-11:00 pm Adult Music Tent with live music from High Roller Band	
<b>Sunday, September 8</b>	Msgr. John Memorial 5K Walk & Run 12:30 - 1:15 pm Registration & Packet Pick Up in Hession Center 1:15 pm Kids Fun Run 1:30 pm Race Start 2:30 pm Awards	

- Still needed are additional Cardinal Fest **VOLUNTEERS** to help run some new games this year! All volunteers are eligible to win one of three \$100 Meijer gift cards upon completion of the festival!
- **Cardinal Fest 5K Run/Walk** is Sunday!! Register online or day of event to run alongside Fr. Tom and Principal Sordelet!
- Cardinal Fest is also accepting \$5-\$10 scrip donations for Bingo Prizes!
- Settle on your '**Cake Boss Jr**' Cake Design! Deliver it to the cafeteria Saturday morning!

## Dear Parents and Students,

I hope you are well. **I hope you can join us at Cardinal Fest on Saturday, or take a walk/run in the Monsignor John 5K Memorial with us on Sunday. Father Tom and I have a rather large wager on the Sunday race. Please donate generously to the loose Church collection this week so that he can cover his bet!** I have personally been taking a unique approach to my training leading up to the race, preferring to train very lightly, so as to preserve great energy stores for race day, while Fr. Tom confided that he is taking the 'chuck and pray' approach. He prays that no one will see him upchuck from exertion after a mile or two. Next year, I suggest we should just race each other in go-carts or on mini-bikes. Now that would be fun!

**A few weeks back I mentioned that I would be writing a bit about LGBTQ issues as they relate to Catholic Schools** such as ours. I will keep it brief today, and expound a bit more at a later date. So for today, just two questions. Question 1: What should the Principal do if a student proclaims that they are Lesbian, Gay, Trans, Bi, or Queer? The answer: The Principal should work to protect the student(s) involved spiritually, physically, and emotionally; work to uphold the teachings of the Church; and work to educate and guide the school community, as a whole, as we navigate these tough issues. That sounds great, but working through these issues is not clear cut. I will share more in the coming newsletters, as there is so much. I'll flip the question a bit, until we talk later. Question 2: What would you, as parents, do if your elementary-aged son or daughter proclaimed one morning that he/she was gay, or lesbian, or transgender, or bisexual? The answer: TBD.

**In closing, thank you to our Cardinal Fest Committee, our Sponsors, our Vendors, and our pluck Volunteers,** all who come together to make the whole weekend so enjoyable for our little ones and the Parish community as a whole. Thank you for sending your children to St. Charles Borromeo School. We are 779 students strong, and looking to get stronger! Sincerely - Rob S.

## CALENDAR UPDATE

Sept.	5	CardinalFest Junior High Dance
	6	NO SCHOOL - Diocesan teacher meeting
	7	CardinalFest games-food-fun-adult tent
	8	CardinalFest 5K Run/Walk
	13	Interim Period ends
	16	School pictures
	17	School Board meeting, room C, 7:00 pm
	18	Fine Arts Booster meeting, room A, 7:00 pm
	20	Interim Reports come home
	21	Confirmation Retreat
	26	HASA Board meeting, Art Room, 7:00 pm
	27	Food Collection for Associated Churches Food Banks

## STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to Samantha Gabet, Braxton Ostermeyer, Madison Gerard, Carter Bennett, Emma Dickerson, Clayton Porter-Bitz, Steven Kap Sian Tuang, Izabela Antunovic, Eli Hall, Rogelio Rodriguez, Lauren Groves, Gabi Beck, Grant Pikel, Arianna Hamblin, Charlie Tippmann, Christian Litzenberg, Lincoln Faulkner, Deakin Zartman, Matthey Eifrid

**2019-2020 VOLUNTEER ONLINE SIGN-UP:** The Volunteer Packet can be found again online this year. These volunteer opportunities are open to parents and parishioners over the course of the school year. We seek and appreciate any volunteering you may be able to do. Please take a look! Go to the volunteer sign-up link at [St. Charles Volunteer Packet 2019-20](#). Contact the school office if you need a paper copy.

## THE NEXT GENERATION OF BOX TOPS IS HERE

Box Tops is changing to fit today's families. The new and improved Box Tops mobile app uses state-of-the-art technology to scan your store receipt, find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to your school's earnings Online.

### THE NEW BOX TOPS LABELS

Eventually, the Box Tops program will become digital-only. Participating brands are starting to change their packaging from a traditional Box Tops clip to the new Box Top label.

If you see this label, use the new Box Tops app to scan your receipt. Box Tops are still worth 10¢ each for your school. The app will find participating products purchased at any store and instantly add cash to your school's earnings online.

You can find more information on their website: <https://www.boxtops4education.com/>



## **SCHOOL PICTURE DAY - MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th**

Monday, September 16, is our annual school picture day. On school picture day, students do not need to wear their uniforms. Students should dress nicely and modestly. NO jeans or denim shorts/capris, no sleeveless dresses or tops, no sandals or open shoes; see the handbook for more information about appropriate attire. Gym classes and outdoor recess will still be held as scheduled, so parents/students should keep that in mind when choosing clothing. We hope to see many bright, shining faces and beautiful smiles on this day!! You may order pictures online at [inter-state.com/FlyerEntry/39768HF](http://inter-state.com/FlyerEntry/39768HF) or look for the forms which will come home next week.

## **SPIRIT SHOP**

The Spirit Shop will be open during Cardinalfest on Saturday from 3-7pm. All sizes of Fleece and sweatshirts should be back in stock! The Spirit Shop has lots of spirit wear from babies to adults. Between winning cakes, candy and 2 Liters, check out the Spirit Shop. It will be located in the main hallway in front of the trophy case. Cash, check and credit accepted! If you have any questions contact Mandy Thurber at 341-9116.

## **ST. CHARLES SCHOOL DIRECTORY**

We are in the process of finalizing the St. Charles School Directory. The directory includes the student's name, telephone number, address, and parent names. IF YOU DO NOT WANT ANY, OR ALL, OF THIS INFORMATION INCLUDED IN THE DIRECTORY PLEASE CALL PAM IN THE SCHOOL OFFICE AT 484-3392 BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20. A copy of the directory will be sent home with the youngest child in each family.

## **SCRIP NEWS**



**It's here!** – We hope you have planned to join the St. Charles parish community in our annual celebration. It's a time to come together for fellowship and fun. Thanks to our designated spot in the Gathering Space, **SCRIP** sales will take place this weekend at the regular times.

**Welcome!** – With the start of school, we have seen some new names and faces in the **SCRIP** office. We are always excited to welcome new families to this great program. We want you to have confidence in our program as well as take advantage of as many of the opportunities that you possibly can. Please don't hesitate to call the **SCRIP** office with questions or if we can be of further assistance. **969-4027**

§ Be sure and stay current on merchants and schedule changes by reading the **SCRIP** news each week in the bulletin and school newsletter.

§ Keep a current order form on hand. (*The date in the lower right hand corner on the back side indicates the date it was updated.*)

§ Groceries and gas are an excellent way to get started making **SCRIP** one of your budgeting tools. *Imagine earning \$2, \$3, or \$4 for every \$100 you spend on groceries. (If you spend \$100/week that ends up being \$104, \$156 or \$208 in a year – 50% of that goes to the parish as a contribution and 50% ends up coming back to you for you to use in a way that you choose.) What could be easier than that!*

**Did You Know?** – In addition to groceries and gas, there are many restaurants that participate in our **SCRIP** program with a wide variety of rebates – 3-15%. Imagine **\$1** back on a **\$10** pizza or burger order. If you are budget conscience, surely you want to take advantage of every possible deal.

**VOLUNTEERS:** A special thank you to our Friday teams that were on top of things the past few weeks and remembered to show up on Thursday instead of Friday. We, also, want to thank Audrey Stauffer, Judy Smith and Sue Forte for delivering our school orders to the classrooms until the new schedules come out in October. Our volunteers are the best!

**Sept. 13 – Kathy Johns, Val Lankenau, Gerry James, Judy Smith**

**Sept. 14 – Natalie Jackson, Bernadette Smith, Cindy Stults**

**Sept. 15 – Nancy Hartig, Denette Pearson, Lisa York**

**Sept. 20 – Bethany Gisslen, Cheryl Morello, Kelly Tippmann, Amy Copeland**

**Sept. 21 – Angela Campbell, Mary Ann Quinn, Cindie Rosswurm**

**Sept. 22 – Triva Cramer, Jennifer Hogan, Roberta Keefer**

**\*\*\*Remember\*\*\***

***YOU can earn cash back every time you use SCRIP!***

**September 2019 Cafeteria Lunch Menu- Updated**

<p><b>9</b></p> <p>Chicken Patty Baked Beans Fries Mixed Fruit Milk</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>Pasta w/Meat Sauce Garlic Cheese Toast Salad w/Ranch Peaches Milk</p>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p>French Toast Sticks w/Syrup Hashbrowns Dragon Juice Banana Milk</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>Chicken Caesar Salad Broccoli Soft Pretzel Oranges Milk</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>Pizza Veggies &amp; Dip Pretzels Pineapple Go-Gurt Milk</p>
<p><b>16</b></p> <p>Hot Dog Raspberry Spinach Salad Tater Tots Cantelope Milk</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>Chili w/Cheese Baked Potato Oyster Crackers Pears Milk</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p>Scoops w/Taco Meat Cheese, Lettuce, Salsa Corn Watermelon Milk</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>Sub Sandwich Veggies &amp; Dip Sun Chips Mixed Fruit Milk</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>Bosco Stick w/Marinara Sauce Broccoli Grapes Go-Gurt Milk</p>
<p><b>23</b></p> <p>Pork Patty Baked Beans Fries Applesauce Milk</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>Grilled Cheese Sandwich Tomato Soup Goldfish Crackers Green Beans Peaches Milk</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>Taco Salad w/Cheese &amp; Black Beans Corn Doritos Grapes Milk</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p>Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy Steamed Carrots Dinner Roll Pears Milk</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>Cheese Omelette w/Salsa Hashbrowns Dragon Juice Pancake w/Syrup Banana Milk</p>
<p><b>30</b></p> <p>Corn Dog Fries Green Beans Watermelon Milk</p>				

**Lunch Prices 2019-2020**

Lunch/Milk \$2.80

Milk Only \$0.45

Extra Entrée \$1.50

# ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC SCHOOL LUNCH ACCOUNTING FORM

Parents can put money into the student's account through your MyPaymentPlus (formerly MyMealsPlus) online account at [www.mypaymentplus.com](http://www.mypaymentplus.com) or by calling 1-877-237-0946 for a small fee. Or, you may send a check with the Lunch Accounting Form below to the school cafeteria. For example, if you have 3 children, send a check for \$90 payable to St. Charles Cafeteria and designate \$30 to each child's account. Each child who will eat hot lunch needs to have money in their meal account. It is recommended to have a minimum of \$14.00 in this account which will pay for five meals. If the student may want additional portions of the main entree, then it is recommended to have a minimum of \$6.00 in the account as well. if you have questions regarding this, you may call the school cafeteria at 969-4028 on school days 8:00-12:30 or the school office at 484-3392.

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Last Name	First Name	Grade-Room	Lunch ID	Payment
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			<b>Total Payment Enclosed</b>	

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