



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

We will continue to work on virtue development this year with our students and adults. As a school community, during this month of August, we will **Set An Example in His Image**. We will praise and serve God and take strength from knowing that we, and all the living creatures, have been made in his image. We are an extension of God! So if Satan wants a piece of us, he is taking on a bit of the Big Guy at the same time!

"For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions, or principalities or powers; **all things were created through him and for him.**" Colossians 1:16

Upcoming Schedule Changes

Friday, Aug. 31- 12:30 pm Early Dismissal for Staff Development: Suicide Prevention AfterCare will be open until 6:00 p.m.
Thursday, September 6- No School- Catholic School Curriculum Day & Friday, September 7- No School- Catholic School Mission Day

A Word About the Priest Scandal

Very briefly, wrong is wrong. I had more with more anger, but I will hold my tongue for now. If you, or someone you know, has been a victim of abuse please contact the Police and Mary Glowaski, the Diocesan Victim's Assistance Coordinator at mglowaski@diocesefwsb.org or phone 260-399-1458.

What do you say to your children? As a parent, you know your child's maturity better than most. I would suggest that there be direct discussion in the home that bodily touching by adults, beyond basic needs - a handshake, a helping hand up, a side hug, etc. - is off limits. You can still wrestle with Grandpa and sit on Grandma's lap, but others outside of family, especially when away from everyone else, is off limits and should be reported to mom, dad, the police, or someone else who is trusted, immediately.

Also, there must be a discussion with young people that adults in authority, for example, principals, coaches, and in this instance priests, are just people like everyone else. People who should be humble, kind, and trustworthy. Much of the abuse took place because parents had elevated priests to superhuman level. They are no different than you or me, and children and young adults need to understand this. Respect one another, but do not abdicate authority and responsibility.

Finally, there are many good priests and bishops in the Catholic Church across the world and here in our Diocese. However, we must all step forward and take on more responsibility as the laity of the Church. We are called to walk shoulder-to-shoulder with our priests to lead, protect, and evangelize for Christ. As laity, we too have failed throughout this crisis. We elevated our priests and Church hierarchy to lofty positions of unchallenged authority, and we became too passive in our duties. For the sake of our people and our faith, we can be complacent no more. Speak up. Speak out. Call for transparency and change, and stay centered on Christ. -Rob S.

Dear Parents and Students,

What mark do we leave on those around us? I hope the start to the new school year has been positive and that everyone is settling back into the routine of school. When I was younger, it seemed that school dragged on forever, and summer passed in a blink. Now much older, I am reminded of how often my elders would say that time moves faster as you age. They were absolutely correct. The month of August has been flying by. Only, a year ago, we were viewing a solar eclipse, & Y2K doesn't really feel like 18 years ago.

Last night, I had the pleasure of speaking with one of my graduated students. "Hi Mr. Sordelet! Do you remember me?" Thankfully, I was able to pull Keegan's name out of the fog of my mental Rolodex, but only after naming her brother and sister first. I directly asked her how old she was, because it was easier than fumbling around guessing. Twenty-two years old. She looked great, happy, grown up. The whole conversation was probably sixty seconds - maybe 90 at most. But I felt uplifted for having encountered Keegan. I was happy she was doing well, and maybe a little proud. She left a mark on me for the evening, which carried into today :).

In the Book of Genesis, when Cain killed his brother Abel, God condemned Cain to wander the Earth and have a long, hard, lonely life. To ensure that Abel had a long, hard life, God put a mark upon Cain to protect him from being killed by animals and other men. Some argue the mark was physical, as in a face tattoo, and others argue the mark was more of an aura that others felt when near Cain. Either way, a person who encountered Cain felt something in his heart and mind that Cain was off limits, and a sensible person would shrink away from Cain in dread to avoid God's promised sevenfold punishment.

In Mitch Albom's book, **The Five People You Meet in Heaven**, the Blue Man teaches the main character, Eddie, the lesson of human connection—that all lives are connected, even those of strangers. Like Cain, and more positively Keegan, we leave an impression on one another every day. Let's remember that and work to be kind and uplifting, rather than to walk around like Cain, having others come away from us feeling dread and despair. Who knows, the next person we meet today could be an angel in disguise.

In closing, thank you for your children. I leave you with Paul's letter to the Hebrews 13:1-6. Enjoy the week. Sincerely - Rob S.

Continue to love each other like brothers, and remember always to welcome strangers, for by doing this, some people have entertained **angels** without knowing it. Keep in **mind** those who are in prison, as though you were in prison with them; and those who are being badly treated, since you too are in the body. Marriage must be honoured by all, and marriages must be kept undefiled, because the sexually immoral and adulterers **will** come under God's judgement. Put **avarice** out of your lives and be content with whatever you have; **God** himself has said: I shall not fail you or **desert** you, and so we can say with confidence: With the **Lord** on my side, I fear nothing: what can human beings do to me? Hebrews 13:1-6

ANNUAL MAGAZINE SALE includes YANKEE CANDLE SALE

The St. Charles Borromeo School annual magazine sale has begun and continues through Wednesday, September 5. All students in grades K-8 received a packet with information. New and renewal magazine subscriptions may be placed by parents, friends, and families. These orders are to be placed only ONLINE. Additionally, we are again including a sale of Yankee Candles to our annual fundraiser! These orders are to be placed using the provided order form and returned with payment to school. Candles will be delivered to school a few weeks after the sale concludes. Candles may also be ordered online at <https://www.yankeecandlefundraising.com/store.htm> using group number 990097732. This is the one fundraiser we sponsor and for which the school receives over 40% profit. **Order forms with payment** for candles may be turned in **on Tuesday, August 28** and September 5. Magazine subscriptions may be purchased new or renewed online by September 5 as well. Go to American Publishers Hearst website at <http://www.apmags.com>. Click on "Shop Now", type in the St. Charles School code: WA4972, click on "Check Code" and follow online directions. Students will receive credit for sales and receive incentive prizes if the student seller's name is typed in the appropriate space online. We thank you for supporting this program. Online ordering information is available on our school website under the tab "Support Us". Thank you!

2018-2019 Volunteer Online Sign-Up: We have moved to an online sign-up format for volunteering for events throughout the school 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 2018](#). Contact the school office if you need a paper copy.

CALENDAR UPDATE

Aug.	28	Magazine Sale/Yankee Candle Sale "turn-in" day 1
	28	Beginning Orchestra Parent Meeting and Instrument Fitting 6:00 pm in Hession Center Room A/B
	29	Fine Arts Booster Meeting 7:00 pm Hession Center room A
	31	School Plant Show
	31	Dismissal 12:30 pm for Staff Development: Suicide Prevention AfterCare will be open from 12:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Sept.	3	Labor Day - No School
	5	Magazine Sale/Yankee Candle Sale final "turn-in" day
	6	Catholic School Curriculum Day - No School
	7	Catholic School Mission Day - No School
	7	CardinalFest Dance
	8	CardinalFest Games-Food-Adult Music Tent
	9	CardinalFest 5k Run/Walk
	14	Interim Period ends
	17	School Picture Day (individual student portraits)

CARPPOOL NEEDED

The parents of Dakota Tadsen (grade 7) and Elijah Tadsen (Kindergarten) are in need of a carpool for getting the kids to and from school 1-2 days a week starting the week of October 22nd until the end of the year. They live in Shordon Estates Addition off of East State and Maysville (by Golden Years Nursing Home). The parents can reciprocate by taking your children to and from school on the opposite days. Please text or call the mother, Shelley Kammer, (260) 423-2483 if you can help.

My name is Megan McDonald. My son is 8 years old. I live in Ludwig Park Addition. I am looking for someone to either come to my house, or I can drop him off at their house at 6:30 AM and take him to school. If you are interested you can call me at 260-609-1313.

News notes from your School Nurse

Health Screenings are a week earlier this year and **we must start organizing it now**. Many volunteers are needed for Tuesday and Wednesday, September 25th and 26th. RN's are needed for the screenings and many volunteers are necessary to keep students quiet and organized. Please sign up for these fun screening days. If you are new to our school--your kids will love seeing you at school and we really need you! Please join us by filling out the online volunteer forms or call/email me in the office soon. Thank you all very kindly, Mrs. Christa Thrower, RN

THE PARISH CHILDREN'S CHOIR for the 2018-2019 year **begins on Wednesday, September 12** from 3:10 to 3:50 PM in The Community Room in the church. The choir is open to boys and girls, grades 2 to 6 (First graders welcome if mature enough) from St. Charles School, home-school, or public schools. Rehearsals are held each Wednesday from September through April and the choir sings for one weekend Mass each month.

For further information or to register your child/children, please call Co-Director of Music, Tim Robison at the church, 446-3118, or e-mail at: trobison@scbfw.org.

ALTAR SERVERS, MASTERS OF CEREMONIES, LECTORS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Please update your availability for the new schedule which runs from October 6 through January 27, 2019. Please use the web terminal, or email Karen Hope at ministries@scbfw.org. Deadline is September 5th.

Girl Scouts

Any First or Second Grader interested in joining or returning to girl scouts can attend the first meeting on Monday August 27 right after school until 5pm. Please contact Sydney Wilder at srwilder2@gmail.com for more information or to get registered ahead of time. Meetings will be the last Monday of each month after school until 5pm.

SCRIP NEWS

Good to Be Back! – With school in session, it is good to have all our school families back. We missed you over the summer – summer vacation always seems to result in a drop in **SCRIP** sales. We had the opportunity to briefly introduce **SCRIP** at the “Back-to-School” meetings as well as hand out special order forms for some “Back-to-School” giveaways. We will announce the winners of the prizes once they have all be awarded. You still have until **August 31** to place an order on the special form. There is no minimum requirement for these prizes, so hurry and get your order in!

Schedule Notes – Next weekend the nation pauses to celebrate the working people of America. There will be **NO SCRIP SALES** Labor Day weekend. The **SCRIP** office will be closed on Labor Day; school orders will be collected and filled on Tuesday, September 4. If you do not have a student but would like to purchase **SCRIP**, please call the office to place your order and it will be ready by noon. We ask that you not come to the **SCRIP** office while we are filling the school orders and balancing from 8 – 11am.

Schedule Note – There is no school on Thursday and Friday, September 6 & 7. However, there **WILL be SCRIP sales on Friday, September 7.**

SCRIP Tip – It’s really important when filling out your order form to fill out every detail. “**Name**” refers to the parent’s/purchaser’s name – not the student; a phone number where we can reach you, in case we have a question while filling your order; and the delivery information. If you are sending orders in with your student, please be sure to fill out your student’s name and room number with whom you’d like us to return your filled order.

Merchant News – Albrights Meats is now **Feder’s Meats** with an increase in the rebate from 4% to 5%. The order form now reflects that change. When dining at **Casa Grande**, remember that they offer a **“Parishioner discount.”** You must have the bulletin with you to prove that you are a parishioner.

VOLUNTEERS:

Aug. 31 – Jane Cavacini, Cathy Jacob, Berniece Williams, Amy Copeland

****Sept. 1 & 2 – Labor Day weekend – NO SCRIP SALES!**

Sept. 7 - Mary Jo Amorini, Tom Neuhaus, Dorla Rice, Judy Smith

Sept. 8 - Natalie Jackson, Bernadette Smith, Cindy Stults

Sept. 9 - Triva Sreeton, Leslie Schamberg, Jennifer Hogan

CARDINAL FEST

Charles Parish is encouraged to come out and celebrate **Cardinal Fest 2018!** Cardinal Fest is a Parish event to foster community and fellowship. Please see www.cardinalfest.com for all of the ways to participate! Be a **sponsor, volunteer or participant!** We want and need everyone! Congratulations to MaryBeth Linn (overall volunteer sign up winner) and Ron Cavacini (outdoor games sign up winner) who earned complimentary carnival games wristbands for their children in appreciation for early Cardinal Fest volunteer commitment! Take a close look at the enclosed pink flyer to order wristbands, tickets and to find the schedule of events! Email stcharlescardinalfest@gmail.com with your questions!

Screenager- October 7, 2018 6:15pm St. Charles Borromeo Church

An award-winning film that probes into the vulnerable corners of family life and depicts messy struggles over social media, video games and academics. The film offers solutions on how we can help our kids navigate the digital world. For Parents and Children ages 10+.

<https://www.stcharlesfortwayne.org/resources/events/screenager-showing>

August 2018 Cafeteria Lunch Menu

27 Hot Dog Tater Tots Broccoli Mixed Fruit Milk	28 Ham & Turkey Sub Sun Chips Salad w/Ranch Applesauce Milk	29 Egg Omelette & Salsa Pancake w/Syrup Hash Browns Oranges Milk	30 Chicken Nuggets Fries Baked Beans Pineapple Milk	31 Pizza Carrots & Dip Pretzels GoGurt Grapes Milk
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Lunch/Milk \$2.75

Milk Only \$0.45

Extra Entrée \$1.50

ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO CATHOLIC SCHOOL LUNCH ACCOUNTING FORM

Parents can put money into the student's account through your MealpayPlus online account at www.mealpayplus.com or by calling 866-662-3382 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 \$13.00 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 general 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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"The USDA and the State of Indiana are equal opportunity providers and employers."

Plant Show 2018

The annual plant show will be taking place on Friday, August 31 in the Parish Hall. Judging will start at 9:00 AM. All entries should be dropped off before school starts. Help will be available at the cafeteria door (#8), the main office door (#1) and in the Parish Hall. Each student can enter any plants they have received from school during the last 4 springs and any flowers or vegetables grown from seeds ordered last spring. Each entry needs a tag (see below) FILLED OUT and attached to pot. Please put vegetables on paper plates and fresh cut flowers in jars with water. Each entry will be judged and receive a ribbon. Blue ribbon winners from St. Charles are eligible to enter the City Blue Ribbon show which will be held on September 8, 2018. Information on the Blue Ribbon Show will be sent home with winners. Plants will be sent home the same day. If you have any questions or would look to know what judges will be looking for with each variety, please contact Sydney Wilder at 260-413-9585 or swilder2@gmail.com

PLANT SHOW ENTRY FORMS

Potted Plant _____ <i>Variety</i> <input type="checkbox"/> 1st Year <input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Year <input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Year <input type="checkbox"/> 4th+ Year	Potted Plant _____ <i>Variety</i> <input type="checkbox"/> 1st Year <input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Year <input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Year <input type="checkbox"/> 4th+ Year	Potted Plant _____ <i>Variety</i> <input type="checkbox"/> 1st Year <input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Year <input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Year <input type="checkbox"/> 4th+ Year
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