



# Crusader Connection

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Dear Parents,

It has been a great first week back at school at St. Henry! I love seeing all of our students coming in with big smiles and lots of energy on the first day of school. Today we were able to celebrate our first Mass together as a school. Fr. Lange touched on our theme for the year at Mass today, which is "Living Sainly Virtue." In our Gospel today Jesus talks about the children how we all need to be like them, especially in their humility, which is one of the virtues we will discuss this year.

I do have a couple of reminders for parents as we begin the school year. First, if your child is going to be absent, please call the office at 859-342-2551 or email [attendance@sthenryky.com](mailto:attendance@sthenryky.com). Second is a reminder on dismissal procedures. Please remember that we will dismiss all students at the same time and cars should not start moving until they are directed to do so by our faculty members. Once all students are in cars we will begin dismissing cars from either end of the parking lot. If you know that you will not be leaving right away please try to park at the back of a line or towards the middle of the parking lot. It helps dismissal go smoother! Also, if you will be taking advantage of After Care please do not forget to sign your student up at the link further down in the newsletter.

On behalf of our BINGO Team I would like to apologize for the mistake on one of the shift times on our original signups. The middle shift goes from 4:45-7:45pm instead of 5:45-7:45pm. If you did not sign up for shifts you should have been signed up for a time slot by the BINGO Team. If you need to swap with someone please let them know after you have done so. Also, if your child lives in two households and your BINGO shifts need split between the two households, please communicate with the other parent and either resolve it between the two of you or let the BINGO team know. You can contact them at [bingo@sthenryky.com](mailto:bingo@sthenryky.com). We appreciate your support of this important fundraiser for our school!

We look forward to having everyone back here at school next week as we get into that school year groove! Have a great weekend!

God Bless,

*Kimberly Wagner, Principal*



**LIVING**  
*Saintry Virtue*

## What is Virtue?

### Self Control

**St. Francis of Assisi**

### Humility

**St. Thérèse of Lisieux**

### Brotherly Love

**St. Paul**

### Generosity

**St. Henry**

### Hope

**St. Jude Thaddeus**

### Forgiveness

**St. Pope John Paul II**

### Perseverance

**St. Monica**

### Courage

**St. Joan of Arc**

### Patience

**St. Philip Neri**

Every month this year we will talk about a different virtue and a saint who exemplified that virtue in their life. Our goal is to grow in virtue as a school as we work towards becoming saints! Be sure to check the newsletter for info on each month's virtue and saint.



## August: What is Virtue?

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Brotherly Love  
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Forgiveness  
Courage  
Patience

Virtue is a firm and habitual disposition to do the good. When we talked about this at our opening assembly on Tuesday we discussed that this means that we are forming good habits that will help us be closer to God and each other. If we aren't good at one virtue we can always practice to get better!

## CruNews

**After Care Sign  
Up**

2024-2025

# MEDIA PERMISSIONS FORM



St. Henry Catholic School/Parish likes to share news about our school/parish/students with the the community. We share images/videos in our school newsletter, on social media, our school/parish website, and with our parishes, St. Henry and St. Barbara, as well as the Diocese of Covington/Messenger. Before we share images of your student we need your permission to do so. Please fill out the form linked below indicating your media permissions by August 23.

Complete the 2024-2025 Media Permissions Form [HERE](#)

## Looking For Club/Extracurricular Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help make many of our clubs and extracurricular activities available for our students. If you are interested in volunteering with any of the following activities, please contact Mrs. Wagner at [kwagner@sthenrynky.com](mailto:kwagner@sthenrynky.com). If we do not get coaches then unfortunately our students will not have the opportunity to participate in these great activities!

**Crubotics**

**Lego Club**

Academic Team - Elementary

FPS

Geography Bee

Thank  
You!



Thank you to Greg Mettens who donated the mulch  
and to our students and parents who helped get  
our campus ready for school!



## It's easy to support your Crusaders!



Every time you or your family and friends shop at Kroger, we earn rewards! Scan the QR code to sign up or log into your account to select St. Henry (school code TL347). The Kroger Community Rewards program does not interfere with your fuel points!



### **Kroger Rewards May 1-July 31, 2024,**

Thank you to the 246 households that have St. Henry Catholic School connected to their rewards card! We earned \$1,229.42 from your linked rewards card. Thank you so much! To link your card, [click here!](#)

**Click on the menu for a downloadable PDF.**

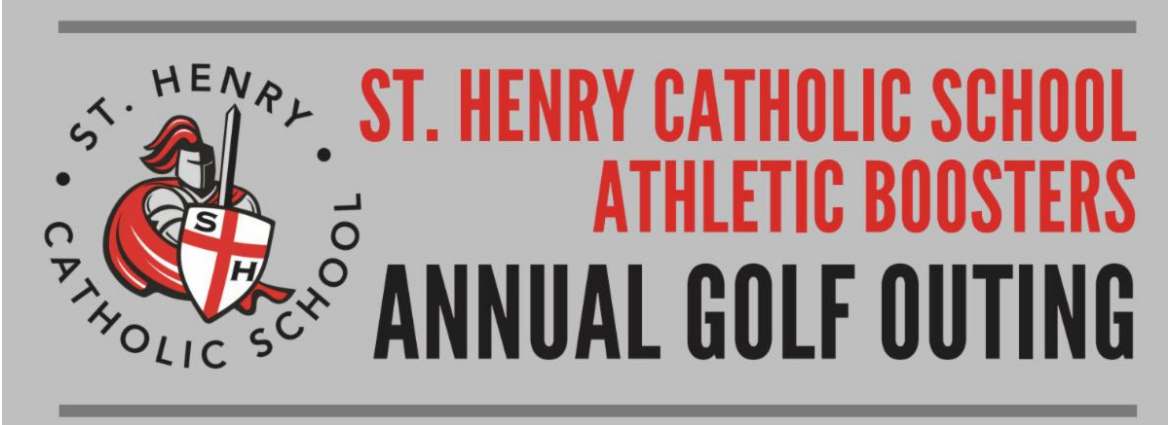
**REVISED!**

LUNCH					AUGUST 2024 St. Henry Catholic School					PAY FOR MEALS ONLINE MySchoolBacks.com	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday							
No School 5	No School 6	No School 7	No School 8	No School 9	No School 1	No School 2					
No School 12	Noon dismissal No lunch served 13	Fiesta Hot Pocket Salsa, Sour Cream Black Beans, Corn Mandarin Oranges Apples Juice Milk 14	No School 15	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Pickle Spears Peas & Carrots, Tomato Soup Oyster Crackers Applesauce, Orange Slices Juice Milk 16	Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Holy Day of Obligation						
Chicken Patty Sandwich Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Onion Curly Fries Green Beans Peaches, Sidekicks Juice Milk 19	Confetti Pancakes Sausage Patties Tater Tots Veggie Boats & Dip Pineapple, Strawberry Cups Juice Milk 20	Penne Pasta with Meat Sauce Garlic Breadstick Parmesan Cheese Glazed Carrots, Garden Salads Mandarin Oranges, Apples Juice Milk 21	Chicken Tenders Dinner Roll Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Green Beans Pears, Grapes Juice Milk 22	Pizza Crunchers Marinara Sauce Seasoned Broccoli Garden Salads Applesauce, Orange Slices Juice Milk 23							
BBQ Riblet Sandwich Pickles, Onion Curly Fries Green Beans Peaches, Sidekicks Juice Milk 26	Cheese Pizza OR Pepperoni Pizza Steamed Broccoli Garden Salads Pineapple, Strawberry Cups Juice Milk 27	Soft Tacos Shredded Cheese, Chopped Lettuce Chopped Onion, Salsa, Sour Cream Black Beans, Corn Mandarin Oranges, Apples Juice Milk 28	Mini Corn Dogs Potato Wedges Veggie Boats & Dip Pears, Grapes Carnival Cookie Juice Milk 29	Macaroni & Cheese Garlic Breadstick Tomato Soup, Peas & Carrots Pickle Spears Applesauce, Orange Slices Juice Milk 30							

Alternate meal options include PB&J Grab & Go, Yogurt Grab & Go, or Grilled Chicken Box Salad. Fruits & Vegetables offered with all options.  
Meat options not available on Fridays. Menu subject to change by product availability. This institution is an equal opportunity employer.

## Cafeteria Food Allergy Form

If your student has a food allergy please fill out the form linked above. It will need to be signed by your child's doctor.



The St. Henry Catholic School Athletic Boosters Golf Outing will be held Saturday, October 12, 2024 at the Golf Courses of Kenton County.

A 9-hole parent-child scramble (\$25/adult, \$25/child) tees off at 9AM. Includes lunch and cart. The adult scramble is a 1PM shotgun. The cost is \$100 per player, which includes 18 holes, cart, lunch, beer, dinner and an opportunity to win fabulous raffle prizes.

For information, additional questions, or hole sponsorship opportunities/raffle

## Golf Outing Registration

# SOULCORE

BODY MIND SOUL

Integrating prayers of the rosary with core-strengthening, stretching, and functional movements to nourish body + soul.

**St. Henry Catholic Parish**  
**Wednesday, August 28 @ 7:00 PM**  
**Church Basement (Egbring Hall)**

SoulCore is an apostolate that intentionally engages the whole person in the sacred experience of the rosary. Integrating the prayers of the rosary with core strengthening, stretching, and functional movements to nourish body and soul and encourage deeper reflection on the virtues. A gentle path to grow in virtue and cultivate interior peace. It is an amazing experience.

**What to bring:**

- Exercise Mat
- Comfortable clothing
- Water
- 2-3 lb. weights if desired

**All ages and fitness levels are welcome!** Chairs available if needed; movements can be adapted. There is no charge for the class; however donations are accepted. *Class will be held in the church basement and requires going down stairs to enter.* RSVP for SoulCore [here](#) or call the parish office, 859-727-2035.

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**Be a part of history!**

Kentucky residents will have the opportunity to vote YES for Amendment 2, which will give parents more say in their child's education. We need your help to get the word out! Consider joining our grassroots effort to pass Amendment 2.

Visit <https://covidio.org/yesontwo/> to learn more and volunteer your time.

# COMPASSION FOR THE

# COMMON GOOD



Register Now

A CATHOLIC CONFERENCE ON INCLUSION AND SPECIAL EDUCATION  
IN COLLABORATION WITH ASHLEY BARLOW CO.

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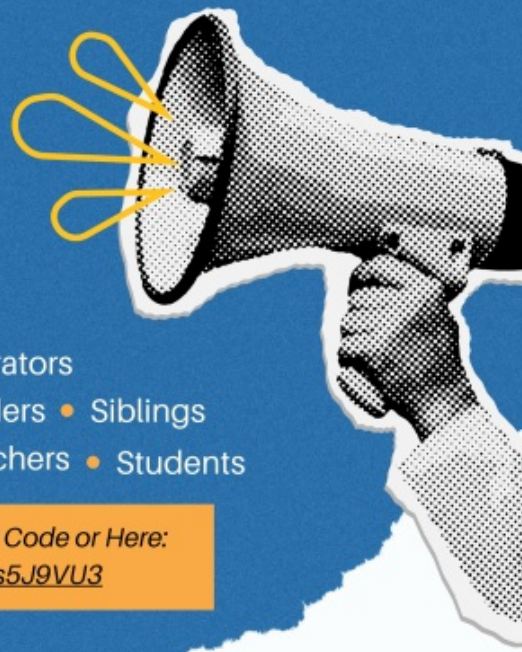
14 September 2024  
9 am - 3 pm

Covington Catholic High School  
1600 Dixie Highway  
Park Hills, KY 41011

#### PERFECT FOR:

Teachers • Parents • Administrators  
Therapists/Related Service Providers • Siblings  
Grandparents • Pre-Service Teachers • Students

Tickets: \$20 Register Now at the QR Code or Here:  
<https://payit.nelnet.net/form/Zs5J9VU3>



## VIRTUS®

Anyone who volunteers in our school or parish must be VIRTUS trained and compliant. If you are interested in volunteering in our school or parish, there are many opportunities to attend the Protecting God's Children training.

The last class before school starts is at 9:00 AM or 6:00 PM on Wednesday, August 7. Training takes place at the Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, 1125 Madison Avenue, Covington. To find additional classes, visit [VIRTUS.org](http://VIRTUS.org) > drop down to select Covington, KY (Diocese) > select a session to attend and register.

If you have questions or need additional information, reach out to the school office, 859-342-2551.

Anyone who has experienced sexual misconduct by a cleric, employee, religious, or volunteer of the Diocese of Covington is asked to contact Julie Feinauer, Diocesan Victims Assistance

- **August 21:** Vision Night, 6:30 PM
- **August 23:** All School Mass, 8:30 AM
- **August 30:** All School Mass, 8:30 AM
- **September 2:** Labor Day, no school
- **September 3:** Dine to Donate: Erlanger Skyline all day long
- **September 6:** All School Mass, 8:30 AM with Eucharistic Adoration until 1:00 PM
- **September 13:** Server training after Mass
- **September 20:** Picture Day
- **September 24:** Confirmation Meeting/Church, 7:00 PM
- **October 1:** Dine to Donate: Erlanger Skyline all day long
- **October 4:** Pet Blessing, 7:45 AM

## ✝ ST. HENRY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

### Mission Statement

St. Henry Catholic School is a place where we learn, grow, and become Disciples of Christ by embracing the Gospel message. We will work toward our full potential each day in order to demonstrate our respect for the sacrifices made by the entire St. Henry community to ensure our success. We will remain *connected* to God and others, gain *confidence* in our academic, social, and physical abilities, and *contribute* to the community through service and leadership.

### Our Parishes

**St. Barbara**  
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**St. Henry**  
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