

BSS NEWSLETTER

Wednesday, January 3, 2024



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WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

Thursday: 2:15-3:15 - Junior High Varsity Quick Recall practice (8C)

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2:45-3:45 - ISM Mozart Strings (Parish Center)

Friday: 8:15 - All School Mass (no preschool)

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Monday:

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Tuesday: 2:15-3:30 - Children's Choir Rehearsal (Church)

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2:30-3:30 - ISM Guitar Lessons (Music Room)

7:00 - **BSS Cross Committee Info Session (Undercroft)**
(active members of Parents Club, Development Committee,
Boosters, Parish Council, and School Board)

Wednesday: 8:15 - Mass (grades 5-8)

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2:15-3:00 - Homework Buddies (Parish Center)

2:15-3:15 - Elementary Quick Recall Practice (4B)

7:00 - **Evening to Treasure mtg. (Weckenbrock's)**

Thursday: 2:15-3:15 - Junior High Varsity Quick Recall practice (8C)

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2:45-3:45 - ISM Mozart Strings (Parish Center)

Friday: 8:15 - Mass (grades k-4)

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3:30-5:00 - **Challenge Club (Undercroft)**

WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

Th

Hamburger OR Cheeseburger, Lettuce,
Tomato, Onion, Pickles, Curly Fries,
Baked Beans, Pears, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

F

Mini Cinnamon Rolls OR
Mini Strawberry Bagels, Scrambled Eggs,
Tater Tots, Veggie Boats & Dip,
Baked Apples, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

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Mini Corn Dogs, Macaroni & Cheese,
Steamed Broccoli, Corn, Peaches,
Sidekicks, Juice, Milk

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Chicken Patty Sandwich OR
Fish Sandwich, Curly Fries, Green Beans,
Pineapple, Fresh Fruit, Chocolate Chip Cookie,
Juice, Milk

W

3 or 4 Way Chili Spaghetti, Shredded Cheese,
Diced Onion, Oyster Crackers, Kidney Beans,
Glazed Carrots, Garden Salads,
Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

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Sausage, Egg & Cheese Biscuit, Syrup Cup,
Smile Fries, Veggie Boats & Dip, Pears,
Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

F

Grilled Cheese OR Bosco Stick, Tomato Soup,
Marinara Sauce, Garden Salads, Pickle Spears,
Oyster Crackers, Applesauce, Fresh Fruit,
Juice, Milk

2023-2024 SCHOOL THEME

We Believe

We believe in God, the Father...

We believe in Jesus Christ...

We believe in the Holy Spirit...

We believe God is good, all the time!

A Note From Your Administration

Dear Families and Friends,

Happy New Year! Hope everyone had a relaxing and rejuvenating time with family and friends. I hope Santa came to everyone's home, no matter where they were on Christmas Day.

We are happy to be back and seeing your children each day. The building feels empty without them. Please know that we do take students outside most days for recess as we believe outdoor time and exercise are extremely important for learning and focusing. When it's very cold, it might only be for 10 minutes. Please send them with hats and gloves as needed.

MAP testing begins next week, so be sure to make sure your children are getting enough sleep to show us what they can do. MAP scores help us by identifying specific areas of need for a whole class, and/or a handful of students. They help us to see what instructional practices are working well, and where we might need to modify our plans.

Our Open House is set for Sunday, January 21st from noon – 2:00. This is the first day of registration for next year. Current families have priority registration through February 14th. Registration will open up to new families on February 15th.

Cheerfully in Christ,

Mrs. Aideen Briggs
Principal, Blessed Sacrament School

“Be at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let every new year find you a better man.”
– Benjamin Franklin

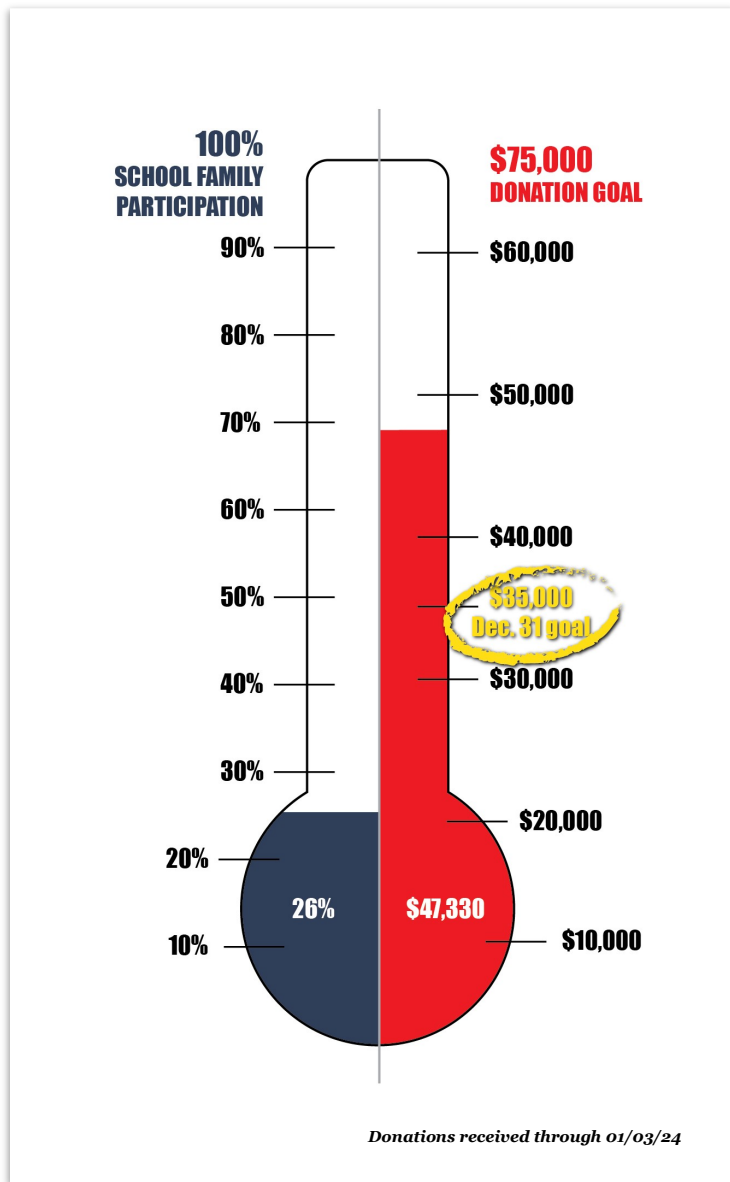
Did You Know...

...that ten of our 8th graders received a \$1000 scholarship toward their BSS tuition based on their pro-life essays. They are: Erin Scheuerle, Annie Timmerding, Kate Moening, Stella McKinley, Tommy Colvin, Presley Burkhart, Livi Riordan, Frances Maier, Liam Crossen, and Gigi Stacy. Congratulations!

DONATE TODAY TO THE ANNUAL GIVING CAMPAIGN

THANK YOU to the following school families for their donations to this year's Blessed Sacrament School Annual Giving Campaign!

Please know that, no matter the amount, we truly appreciate your generosity!



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| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Adair</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. White</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Baumgardner</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Wuest</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Holtmeier</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Reedy</i> |
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| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Kennedy</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Eilers</i> |
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| <i>& Mrs. Jennifer Grace</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Clark</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Eibel</i> | <i>Ms. Lynne Adams</i> |
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| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Hudepohl</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Harris</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Bement</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Weis</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Eilers</i> |
| <i>Mr & Mrs. Bradley</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Roth</i> |
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| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Schutzman</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Arick Stall</i> |
| <i>Mr. & Mrs. Britt</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Stu Brown</i> |

We would love to see 100% participation from school families this year! The money generated through this campaign helps to fund our specialists' salaries, which directly impacts your children!

If you have not already done so, please [CLICK HERE](#) to make your tax-deductible Annual Giving Campaign contribution today!



BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL ROCK AND ROLL AN EVENING TO TREASURE

Evening to Treasure - ROCK AND ROLL

Come dressed as your favorite rockstar!

Saturday March 2nd, 2024; 6pm-12pm
Newport Syndicate

What is Evening to Treasure?

Evening to Treasure is the Blessed Sacrament Development Committee's annual fundraiser. This amazing event raises thousands of dollars every year, and ALL of your generous donations go directly to Blessed Sacrament School.

The money raised at Evening to Treasure has helped in countless ways from enhancing building security to helping fund specialist salaries.

Fund the Need: Specialists

We are in need of volunteers.
Please reach out if you are interested!

Important Dates

\$2 Out of Uniform:

January 11th

February 16th

E2T Meetings

(7pm @ Weckenbrock's)

January 10th

February 7th

Important Links

[Corporate Sponsor](#) [Facebook](#)

[Spirit Wear](#) [Instagram](#)

[Silent Auction](#) [bssky.org](#)

[Buy Tickets NOW!](#)

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Parents' Club News



Mother/Daughter
New date coming soon!!!
(Feb 11th is Super Bowl Sunday)
Northern Kentucky Ice Center



Looking for Chairs for the following events next year:

Ladies Fall Event
Santa Shop
Grandparent's Day

Lenten Food Truck Fridays are back again!

Fridays March 15th/22nd @ The Undercroft

15th - St. Patrick's Celebration

Off the Hook & Larosa's Pizza

RoRo's Cookies & Green Ice cream

Green Beer & Seltzers for purchase!

22nd - Sea Cuisine & That's Amore Pizza

Jillybeans Sweet Treats & Ice cream



Next week, we will host our first ever Cross Committee Information Meeting! This is an opportunity for our school and parish committees to meet and discuss successes, challenges, and collaborate on future events/initiatives!



MEAL TRAIN FOR HANCOCK FAMILY

Larosa's Buddy Cards
BOGO Large Cheese
Pizzas \$10

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Upcoming SPIRIT NIGHTS

Penn Station Buttermilk
Jan 17th ALL DAY

Chipotle Buttermilk
March 6th

MONEY RAISED:

Skyline \$103.75

Putt-Putt \$200

Chipotle \$355.10

Cici's \$45

Defy \$350

Mike's Car Wash \$520

TOTAL: \$1053.85

Upcoming Parent Club Sponsored Events:

December 20th -Christmas Class Parties (PK 8-8:30 AM, K-4 10:15-11AM, 5-8 10:30-11AM)

January 9th - Cross Committee Information Session 7-9 PM Undercroft

February 13th - Valentine's Day Parties (PK 8-8:30 AM, K-4 1:15-2PM, 5-8 1:30-2PM)

March 15th/22nd - Lenten Food Truck Fridays

Finance Council

We are adding a new member to the Blessed Sacrament Parish Finance Council and need your time and talent. The role of the Finance Council is to advise the pastor and Parish Council in matters of finance and the administration of parish goods. Additional details along with duties and responsibilities can be found at Finance Council - Diocese of Covington <https://www.covdio.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/12/Finance-Council.pdf>. Meetings are held once per month and while we are flexible regarding a start date we would love our new member to join us at our January 2024 meeting (Date TBD). If you are interested or have questions, please send an email with your name, phone number, and preferred email address to dweberlsp@gmail.com (513-600-2200).

Thank you and God Bless,

Blessed Sacrament Finance Council

*Father Hils, Pastor
Carol Rector, Parish Business Manager
Aideen Briggs, School Principal*

*Steve Langguth
Ian Summe
Evan Thomas*

*Mary Kay Laird
Brittany Lawrence
Dan Weber*

Cheers to BSS

THE CHEERS TO BSS COMMITTEE HAS VERY EXCITING AUCTION AND RAFFLE ITEMS THIS YEAR.

We are still in need of several bottles of bourbon, liquor, wine and/or beer. If you or a member of your family would like to donate, please reach out to Caroline Colvin at 859.250.8578 or at caroline.colvin@cchmc.org.

Any donation is appreciated. Thank you very much!
Caroline Colvin, Laurie Bauer, and the Cheers committee.



Music Share Days

Mark Your Calendars for the following dates!
October 16, 2023, January 24, 2024,
and April 29, 2024
(2:15-3:30 PM in Music Room)



Any student studying privately for voice and/or other instruments
can share a song they are working on in their lessons.
Also open to students who just enjoy listening to music!

Students will stay after school to share their musical “gifts” with Mrs. Weber and schoolmates. All levels are invited. A snack will be provided, and we will all participate in a final piece together! Students must have a permission slip to attend.

Questions? Contact Mrs. Meghan Weber at mweber@bssky.org

[**CLICK HERE TO REGISTER**](#)



DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE PRESENTS



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MADNESS



FEB 3RD

**BLESSED
SACRAMENT
GYMNASIUM**

2407 DIXIE HIGHWAY
FT. MITCHELL, KY 41017

START TIME
09 A.M.

\$100

PER TEAM
UP TO
4 PLAYERS

MUST BE 18 OR OLDER

T-SHIRT INCLUDED

3 GUARANTEED GAMES

**WINNER AND LOSERS
BRACKET**

1ST & 2ND PLACE PRIZES

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From Our Parish

Discipleship Speaker Series



JANUARY 18, 2024

7:00 p.m.

BSC Undercroft

Speaker: Father Kevin Scalf, C.P.P.S.

Topic: Encountering Christ in Daily life.
How can I grow from knowing Christ to following Christ?/ How can I become committed to following Christ?

FEBRUARY 15, 2024

7:00 p.m.

BSC Undercroft

Speaker: Father Kevin Scalf, C.P.P.S.

Topic: How can the Sacraments open you



What Does a Disciple Look Like Today?

Blessed Sacrament Church

BECOMING STEWARDS IN COMMUNITY



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If you would like to submit an article or flyer to our weekly newsletter, please send information to Annie Ernst at annernst@bssky.org.
All information MUST be submitted by 12:00 pm on Monday to be printed in that week's newsletter.
(Submissions made after the deadline will run in the following week's newsletter.)

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