

# BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL

# Weekly Newsletter

FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 2025



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## THIS WEEK AT BSS

Monday: **2:15-3:15** - After School Art (*Art Room*)  
**2:15-3:30** - BSS on Broadway K-2 Rehearsals (*Undercroft*)

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Tuesday: **2:15-3:30** - Children's Choir Practice (*Church*)  
**2:15-3:30** - BSS on Broadway 6th-8th Rehearsals: Audition Groups, Solos, and Opener (*Undercroft*)

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Wednesday: **Third Grade Cathedral Basilica Field Trip**  
**8:15** - Mass (*grades 5-8*)  
**2:15-3:00** - Homework Buddies (*Parish Center*)  
**2:15-3:15** - After School Art (*Art Room*)  
**2:15-3:30** - BSS on Broadway 3rd-4th Rehearsals (*Undercroft*)

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Thursday: **BSS Spiritwear Day**  
**2:15-3:15** - ISM Strings Program (*Music Room*)  
**2:15-3:30** - BSS on Broadway 5th-6th Rehearsals (*Undercroft*)

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Friday: **Third Grade "Donuts with my Dudes"**  
**8:15** - Mass (*grades k-4*)  
**6:00-9:00** - Challenge Club Babysitting Night (*Parish Center*)

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## WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

**M** Chicken Patty, Sandwich Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Onion, Curly Fries, Green Beans, Peaches, Sidekicks, Juice, Milk

**T** Cheese Pizza OR Pepperoni Pizza, Steamed Broccoli, Garden Salads, Pineapple, Strawberry Cups, Juice, Milk

**W** Fiestada, Hot Pocket, Salsa, Sour Cream, Black Beans, Corn, Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

**Th** Hot Dog OR Chili Coney, Shredded Cheese, Onions, Crinkle Cut Fries, Veggie Boats, Pears, Fresh Fruit, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Juice, Milk

**F** Bosco Stick, Tomato Soup, Peas & Carrots, Pickle Spears, Applesauce, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk



# A NOTE FROM YOUR ADMINISTRATION

Dear Families and Friends,

If you weren't able to join us today for the Stations of the Cross led by our 7th graders, I hope you can make it on Friday, April 11, when our first graders guide us. Doing the Stations of the Cross is a Catholic Lenten tradition. It gives us the opportunity to take time with our God and reflect on the sacrifices He made for us that show His great love for us. We are all so loved! We forget that sometimes. We might also connect with Mary who watched her son suffer. She understands our pain when we our suffering. The students asked a lot of good questions such as:

1. To whom do I need to say, "I am sorry"?
2. What excuse am I using right now for my bad habits?
3. How would someone recognize me as a follower of Jesus?
4. Have I done what I wanted today, or what God wants?

Next Thursday, students in grades three through eight will be offered time for confessions. We have a number of priests coming that day. Please pray for your child as they can get a little nervous about confessions, but they all feel so much better afterwards. You might also want to schedule a time for you to go to confession during Lent.

Blessings,

Mrs. Aideen Briggs  
Principal, Blessed Sacrament School

*"Transfigure us O Lord. Transfigure us O Lord. Break the chains that bind us; speak your healing Word, and where you lead, we'll follow. Transfigure us O Lord." – Bob Hurd*

JUBILEE YEAR INFORMATION

LEARNING GROVE SCHEDULE

UPDATED PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL INFO

TEXT MESSAGE NOTIFICATION OPT-IN

## Reminders:

- March 21 – Lenten Food Truck Night TONIGHT, 6:00-8:00 p.m.
- March 23 – Boosters Pancake Breakfast after 9:00 a.m. mass
- March 28 – 3rd grade Doughnuts with my Dudes



# BSS NEEDS YOU!

We are in search of Chairs for Evening to Treasure next year! Chairing is more manageable than ever with the full support of the Office Staff and Development Committee! Email [bssoffice@bssky.org](mailto:bssoffice@bssky.org) if you are interested.

# PLEASE SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL!

Every year we appeal to school and parish families to donate to this year's Annual Giving Campaign. Most of our support this year has come from our wonderful parish. In keeping with our theme, *We Are One*, we ask you, our school families, to consider making a gift. Please click the image below to make a safe and secure, tax-deductible online donation



This funding is critical to ensure we can afford security enhancements, specialists' salaries, and building and technology upgrades.

*Development*  
COMMITTEE



# Parent Club Board

Rebecca Heringhaus & Brigid Brown  
Co-Presidents

Abi Haggerty  
Vice President

Brittany Lawrence & Sara Meagher  
Co-Treasurers

Connie Polly  
Teacher Appreciation Coordinator

Lauren Graden  
Student Appreciation Coordinator

Ashley Witzgall  
Parent Appreciation Coordinator

Jenna Burger & Megan Kapcar  
Spirit Nights

# Upcoming Parent Club Events

April 2: Bunches of Bows Spirit Day

April 4: Father/Daughter Event

April 10: staff appreciation lunch #4

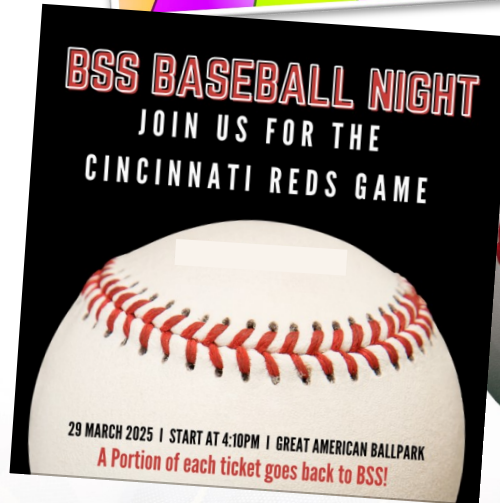
*If you have any ideas for organizations that would like to partner with BSS for a fundraiser night, please share with our Spirit Night Coordinators – Megan Kapcar and Jenna Burger*



**TONIGHT  
6-8 pm!**



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TO  
REGISTER**



# Parent Club INFORMATION



# **EASTER BASKET DONATION DRIVE**

**Help Be Concerned provide over  
350 Easter baskets for children  
that they are currently serving.**

## **ITEMS NEEDED:**

**Wrapped candy**

**Plastic Eggs**

**Fake Grass**

**Easter toys or trinkets**

**Baskets**

**Call Shannon Kurtzner 513-885-8382 with any  
questions. Donations can be left in the back of  
church after Mass on 3/29 and 3/30**

March 23rd - 10am-1pm in Undercoft

**Pancakes & Sausage \$6**

**Pancakes Only \$4**

**Orange Juice, Milk, Water \$2**

**Coffee \$1**

**BSS Athletic Boosters**

**Pancake Breakfast**



All Proceeds go to BSS  
Gym Vinyl Wrap  
Signage

**Save**

**2025 BSS Corn Roast**

**8 AUGUST**

**2025**

5:30 - 11:30

**The**

**Date**

**DCCH Fairgrounds**

**BSS BOOSTERS**

**U6 SPRING SOCCER**

**SIGNUPS ARE HAPPENING NOW!**

**Register Now for \$60!**

**Price goes up to \$70 March 9th!**

New this season, we have partnered with **KINGS HAMMER** trainers to provide instruction on skill development in a recreational setting that is supportive and inclusive, emphasizing fun over competition.

U6 soccer is a great way for your child to make friends, stay active, learn communication and teamwork skills, and most importantly, have fun!



The U6 season is 6 weeks, with games being on Tuesdays, beginning April 1st from 6-7pm. We begin with a 30 min practice, followed by a 30 min game.

All games are played at DCCH on Orphanage Road  
U6 Spring Soccer Birthdays are between 1/1/19 & 3/31/21

Registration includes a team shirt and closes on March 22.

To sign up, scan the QR code or visit our website [www.bssboosters.com](http://www.bssboosters.com) click on REGISTER at the top of the page

## MEETINGS

**March 26 - 7:30 pm**  
at the DCCH Fields Garage

## KEEP IN TOUCH



Are you interested in joining the Boosters?  
Please email us at [bssboosters@gmail.com](mailto:bssboosters@gmail.com)

Do you have any team photos or team accomplishments?  
Please send to Ryan Heringhaus at [rheringhaus@gmail.com](mailto:rheringhaus@gmail.com) so we can publish them on our sites!



# BOOSTERS

## INFORMATION





## *Looking for a Night Out?*

### **The Challenge Girls Club is hosting a Babysitting fundraiser!**

Whether it's time for a Date night or just a chance to pause and take a break, we're here to help!

Enjoy some time away while your little ones enjoy our babysitting services.

We provide care for children aged 3 to 9 (must be potty trained). Your child will be engaged in a variety of activities, including light snacks:

Sports  
Crafts  
Interactive Play  
Cookie Decorating  
A Festive Movie

Let us take care of your kids while you enjoy your night out!  
Please be sure to feed your child before the event.

March 28th, 6-9 pm  
Blessed Sacrament Parish Center (South end of the school building)  
2409 Dixie Highway, Ft. Mitchell, KY 41017

**Donations accepted to help support the event and continue our mission of faith, service, and friendship with Christ!**

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

**Questions? Please contact Becky Jehn, Challenge President**  
**[bskychallenge@gmail.com](mailto:bskychallenge@gmail.com)**



# GOOD FRIDAY CROSSWALK

families & adults  
April 18, 2025



REGISTER

## A MISSIONARY EXPERIENCE

- 9am- Arrival to Holy Cross District High School
- Missionary preparation and explanation
- Walk through Covington, asking for prayer intentions and nailing them to the cross, and praying with the people we encounter along the way \*Pack a lunch\*
- 3pm- End with the Good Friday Liturgy at the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption



For more information, contact [cincymissions@gmail.com](mailto:cincymissions@gmail.com)  
or Angie Poat - [apoat@covdio.org](mailto:apoat@covdio.org)



## April 17-19, 2025 High School Youth Missions

Registration closes April 10

**HOLY WEEK  
MISSION OF  
MERCY 2025**



## Parish Penance SERVICE

Monday, April 7, 2025  
7:00-8:00pm

Blessed Sacrament Church



# Parish Office INFORMATION



# **Adopt-a-Plot - Michele Garvey's Ministry**

## **Learn about it and volunteer!**

The Adopt a Plot ministry still has plots available for adoption. Here is a little history and info about this ministry:

The ministry came into existence when Blessed Sacrament's very own beloved Michele Garvey had a vision that the parish and school families could assist the Grounds and Facilities Ministry to keep our campus beautiful. As quoted in the April 2019 Blessed Sacrament newsletter, Michele said, "This is a great opportunity for all ages to help care for our campus on their own schedule. This is truly a case of 'many hands make light work.'"

Michele separated the gardens into 21 different plots. The first spring that Adopt a Plot began, she recruited volunteers for that spring, summer and fall to help with weed control and also with the spring and fall cleanups that she organized. Since then, some of the plot volunteers have continued maintaining their plots, while others have decided they cannot renew their commitment, which is fine. Her vision has been a great success, and I am honored to carry on spearheading Michele's ministry by recruiting and guiding volunteers.

### **What are the duties?**

It's just like your flower beds at home... keep them free from weeds throughout the spring, summer and early fall months, remove leaves and debris, and cut down dead blossoms and perennials when appropriate. There have been some organized spring and fall cleanup days in the past for mulching and leaf cleanup/trimming, but these are a "come if you can make it" event and are always open to everyone.

### **How much time does it take?**

If you let a lot of time lapse in between visits to your plot, it can become a big job, and ideally we keep our gardens in shape regularly.

### **What is the length of my commitment?**

We ask that you commit in the spring to help through the fall cleanup.

### **Who can help?**

Families can do this on their own schedule, when it's convenient. Several plots have two families assigned to them due to their size, and there are others where two families decided to join together to maintain one smaller plot.

### **Does it count for service?**

Absolutely! Kids can help, but ideally there is supervision by an adult. Service hours are required beginning in 4<sup>th</sup> grade (I believe?), but if your child is heading to a Diocesan Catholic High School, they will continue to need service hours all the way through graduation (15-20 hours/school year – and some need to be at/for a church!), so this is a great way to get those hours AND keep your school/church campus looking beautiful all throughout the year.

**As a tribute to Michele Garvey, let's keep our campus gardens looking beautiful!**

Please contact me, Anita Wagner, at 513-324-9144 to sign up!

# QUICK LINKS

CONQUEST

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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](mailto:annernst@bssky.org).  
All information **MUST** be submitted by 12:00 pm on **THURSDAY** 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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using the Gospel teachings of Jesus Christ.