

# BLESSED SACRAMENT School Newsletter

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2026



## THIS WEEK AT BSS

Monday: **2:15-3:15 - Music Share Day (Music Room)**

[CLICK HERE](#) for required permission slip

# 20

Tuesday: **7th Grade Math Placement Test**

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

**7:00-8:00** - School Board Meeting (*Blees Center*)

# 21

Wednesday: **6th Grade Viking Day**

**3rd Grade Cathedral Field Trip**

# 22

Thursday: **2nd Grade Children's Theater Field Trip**

**7:00 - 8th Grade Confirmation (Church)**

# 23

Friday: **8:10** - All School Mass (*no preschool*)

**9:00-10:15** - 3rd Grade Muffins with my Ladies

# 24

## WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

M

Hamburger OR Cheeseburger, Potato Wedges, Baked Beans, Pickle Slices, Peaches, Fresh Fruit Sidekicks, Milk

T

Cheese Pizza OR Pepperoni Pizza, Steamed Broccoli, Garden Salads, Pineapple, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

W

Chili Spaghetti, Shredded Cheese, Onions, Oyster Crackers, Corn, Carrot Sticks, Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

Th

Chicken Tenders, Dinner Roll, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, Pears, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk

F

Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Pickle Spears, Tomato Soup, Garden Salads, Oyster Crackers, Applesauce, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Milk



# A NOTE FROM YOUR ADMINISTRATION

Dear Families and Friends,

Blessed Sacrament has been participating in professional development through Xavier University on Professional Learning Communities for many years. Each year, we send two teachers once a month to learn more about how PLCs work, their purpose, and present and listen to other schools in the area about their wins and challenges with PLCs. Ms. Molly Sergeant and Mrs. Emily Hemmer are representing Blessed Sacrament this year, and presented today on how we use the MAP data to influence instructional decisions.

One example is a change from Shurley Grammar to Shurley English. We implemented Shurley Grammar in grades 3-8 a couple years ago, and quickly saw improvement in our Language MAP scores. We then moved to Shurley English which includes the vertical alignment of grammar while offering us more and providing greater consistency across these grades so that we are able to build more effectively on past knowledge. This came out of our PLC meetings where we examined the data. Thank you to Xavier University for offering this professional development for many years without a cost to our school. God is good!

Cheerfully in Christ,

Mrs. Aideen Briggs  
Principal

*"Let the resurrection joy lift us from loneliness and weakness and despair to strength, and beauty and forgiveness."  
– Floyd Tomkins*

## FEBRUARY SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

### Reminders:

- April 20** - 7th grade math placement test (*Undercroft*)
- April 24** - 8:10 All School Mass (*no preschool*)
- May 1** - 8:10 All School Mass (*no preschool*)
- May 1** - Welcome May! Ice cream for everyone!  
(*Thank you Boosters!!!*)



2026-2027

# SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL



The **BEST** Way To Buy  
Back-To-School Supplies!

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- ✓ Teacher Certified and Approved
- ✓ **NEW** Personalized Labels
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**FISKARS**



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July 1st  
[1STDAY.SALE/42109](https://1stday.sale/42109)



*In a League of Their Own*

**JOIN US!**

**BLESSED SACRAMENT  
MOTHER-DAUGHTER 2026**

**SUNDAY, MAY 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2026**

**GAME TIME 1:07PM**

**FLORENCE FREEDOM STADIUM**

**TICKET INCLUDES:**

- ORIGINAL BALLPARK BUFFET
- SODA
- KIDS ZONE ENTRY
- PRIVATE PARTY SEATING

**GET YOUR TICKETS HERE:** **TICKETS!**

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

**Thursday, May 7th** - Chick-fil-A Spirit Day

**Sunday, May 17th** - Mother/Daughter at Florence Yall's

*Parent Club*  
INFORMATION



# Happy PANCAKE BREAKFAST

APRIL 19, 10:00AM & 12:00PM,  
THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ARE SERVING UP  
BREAKFAST FOLLOWING THE 9:00 & 11:00AM MASSES



PANCAKE BREAKFAST INCLUDES: PANCAKES,  
SAUSAGE OR BACON, MILK AND JUICE,  
ADULTS-\$10.00 CHILDREN-\$5.00



EASTER VIGIL 2026!! 11 BAPTISMS AND 21 CONFIRMATIONS!



Eucharistic procession and Adoration with school students to begin Holy Week



## Blessed Sacrament Church

The Month of March was filled with Lenten spiritual formation as we prepared for Easter. We hosted a Lenten women's retreat, Reconciliation for all students and Parishoners, stations of the Cross, Lenten meals, OCIA scrutinies and outreach activities.

Mark your Calendars for:

Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast April 19 after both Masses

Confirmation: April 23

First Holy Communion: May 2

Pentecost: May 24



# Parish Office INFORMATION

# BLESSED SACRAMENT 2026 SUMMER ART CAMPS

## Summer Fun with Mrs. Ernst - incoming 2nd-4th grade students

- Monday, June 1 - Thursday, June 4 (9:00-10:00am)
- Monday, June 15 - Thursday, June 18 (9:00-10:00am)
- Monday, **THIS SESSION IS FULL!** (9:00-10:00am)

This camp is a great way for younger students to get creative and try new things in the art room! We will complete three projects during this 4-day camp, including sculpture, weaving, and painting. We will be working on the same projects in each session, so please only sign up for one camp/student. These spots filled up QUICKLY last year, so I added a third session this summer - don't miss out! Due to time constraints, absences will not be rescheduled.

**Cost: \$80 (includes all supplies, and a peanut-free snack and drink every day) [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER!](#)**

## Drawing Camp - incoming 5th-8th grade students

- Monday, June 1 - Thursday, June 4 (10:30am-12:30pm)

This camp is geared toward older students who want to learn more about basic drawing as well as different techniques for adding color and dimension to their artwork. Students will be provided with a variety of subjects to choose from and will work to complete at least one drawing during this 4-day camp. Grid drawing, use of simple shapes to create complex forms, and a variety of shading techniques will be covered. Due to time constraints, absences will not be rescheduled.

**Cost: \$160 (includes all supplies, and a peanut-free snack and drink every day) [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER!](#)**

## Weaving Camp - incoming 5th-8th grade students

- Monday, June 15 - Thursday, June 18 (10:30am-12:30pm)

This camp is geared toward older students and will cover the basics of cardboard loom weaving. Students will be provided with everything they need to create at least one textile piece during this 4-day camp. Students who have already completed our 6th grade weaving project in class will have the option of creating a larger woven piece OR using a different loom structure for their project if they want to try something different. Due to time constraints, absences will not be rescheduled.

**Cost: \$160 (includes all supplies, and a peanut-free snack and drink every day) [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER!](#)**

## Sculpture Camp (incoming 5th-8th grade students)

- Monday, June 29 - Thursday, July 2 (10:30am-12:30pm)

This camp is geared toward older students and will cover the basics of sculpting. Students will use air-dry clay to create at least one piece of 3-dimensional art during this 4-day camp. Finished sculptures will be painted with acrylic paint. Students will be provided with a choice of subjects/ideas OR can bring their own subject to work from. To ensure that projects will be dry and ready to paint by the last day of camp, the size will be limited to 6" tall. Due to time constraints, absences will not be rescheduled.

**Cost: \$160 (includes all supplies, and a peanut-free snack and drink every day) [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER!](#)**

**Payment by cash or check (*payable to Annie Ernst*) due FRIDAY, MAY 15!**

# BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL GIRL'S FALL VOLLEYBALL

SIGN UPS FOR GRADES 3-8 ARE OPEN!

[CLICK HERE](#)

RECREATIONAL TEAMS GRADES 3-8

COMPETITIVE TEAMS GRADES 6-8

PLEASE NOTE - IF YOUR DAUGHTER DOES NOT GET SELECTED FOR THE  
COMPETITIVE TEAM, NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN

SAVE THE DATE FOR TRYOUTS (COMPETITIVE TEAMS)

TUESDAY MAY 12<sup>TH</sup>

5:30-7 PM 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

3:30-5:30 PM 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

7:00-9:00 PM 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

THURSDAY MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> (BY INVITATION AFTER TUESDAY'S SESSION)

5:30-7:00 PM 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

3:30-5:30 PM 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

7:00-9:00 PM 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



## INTRODUCING OUR COMPETITIVE TEAM COACHES FOR 2026!

8th Grade - Abby Noll & Tess Noll

7th grade - Kenley Way & Lexi Kiepert

6th grade - Torri Thompson

Questions: [bssgirlsvball@gmail.com](mailto:bssgirlsvball@gmail.com)

# 2026 THOMAS MORE GIRL'S BASKETBALL CAMP



DAY CAMP 1: JUNE 15-18

DAY CAMP 2: JULY 6-9

REGISTER ONLINE AT:  
[WWW.THOMASMORESAINTS.COM](http://WWW.THOMASMORESAINTS.COM)  
CAMPS

CURRENT DIRECTOR  
LOOKING FOR SOMEONE  
TO MENTOR DURING  
THE 2026-2027 SEASON

## 2027 BSS VOLLEYBALL DIRECTOR NEEDED

Duties Include (but not limited to):

- Program Leadership & Planning
- Team & Coach Management
- Player Development
- Organize player evaluations and tryouts (when applicable).
- Place athletes on appropriate teams based on skill level and development needs.
- Communicate game schedules to parents, players, and staff.
- Manage equipment inventory, including balls, nets, uniforms, and first-aid supplies.
- Handle uniform orders and distribution.
- Act as the primary point of contact for parents and guardians.
- Address concerns, questions, and conflicts in a professional manner.
- Promote positive parent involvement and volunteer opportunities.
- Budget & Financial Oversight
- Safety & Compliance
- League & Tournament Coordination
- Program Evaluation & Growth
- Communicate monthly with BSS Boosters

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT  
MAYDIE CONKIN 869-279-6335

# BOOSTERS INFORMATION

**LAST CHANCE BEFORE SUMMER!**

**END OF SCHOOL  
SALE**



**30%** OFF ALL REMAINING INVENTORY  
with code **BSS30** at checkout

**CLICK HERE TO ORDER!**

Offer valid through May 3 when the shop will close for the school year.  
Shop will re-open in July. No re-stocks until July.



**THE OFFICIAL PHYS ED  
T-SHIRT WILL BE REQUIRED  
NEXT SCHOOL YEAR!**

# QUICK LINKS

VIRTUS TRAINING

SPIRIT WEAR SHOP

AFTER CARE REGISTRATION

LEARNING GROVE SCHEDULE

UPDATED PARISH COUNCIL INFO

TEXT MESSAGE OPT-IN FORM

JUBILEE YEAR INFORMATION

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

CCH FUTURE COLONELS

COV CATH ROBOTICS FUNDRAISER

LAROSA'S BUDDY CARDS

DIOCESAN YOUTH CHOIR

YEARBOOK ORDERS

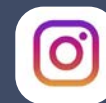
UPCOMING DIOCESAN EVENTS

MIND OVER MATTER SUMMER INFO

UPCOMING ECYD EVENTS

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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is to spiritually, academically, and personally develop active Catholics  
using the Gospel teachings of Jesus Christ.