

BSS NEWSLETTER

Wednesday, August 17, 2022



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WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

Thursday:  **SPIRITWEAR DAY**

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Friday: **8:15** - All School Mass (*Parent Coffee after mass*)

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Monday: **FALL SPIRITWEAR SALE BEGINS (online)**

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2:15-3:30 - Children's Choir Rehearsal (*grades 5-8*)

Tuesday: **BSS Spirit Night - CityBird and Cold Stone**
(*Crestview Hills Town Center locations ONLY*)

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8:15-9:00 - Immanuel School of Music Presentation

2:15-3:30 - Children's Choir Rehearsal (*grade 4*)

Wednesday: **8:15** - Mass: grades 5-8

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Thursday:  **SPIRITWEAR DAY**

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5:00-8:00 - Curriculum Night (*Parents Only*)

Friday: **DEADLINE: Summer Solutions books due!**

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8:15 - Mass: grades K-4

WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

Th Chicken Nuggets, Mac & Cheese,
Baked Beans, Veggie Boat,
Mandarin Oranges, Fresh Fruit, Milk

F Grilled Cheese, Tomato Soup,
Oyster Crackers, Garden Salad,
Applesauce, Fresh Fruit, Milk

M Chicken Patty on Bun, Baked Beans,
Waffle Fries, Frozen Sidekick,
Peach Cups, Milk

T Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza,
Carrots with Dip, Steamed Broccoli,
Pear Cups, Fresh Fruit, Milk

W Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Corn,
Garden Salad, Pineapple Tidbits,
Fresh Fruit, Milk

Th Confetti Pancakes, Sausage Patty,
Smile Fries, Veggie Boat, Baked Apples,
Fresh Fruit, Syrup Cup, Milk

F Pizza Crunchers, Marinara Sauce,
Green Beans, Garden Salad,
Applesauce, Fresh Fruit, Milk

2022-2023 SCHOOL THEME



ALL IN
Blessed Sacrament School

Throughout the school year, we are encouraging our students to be "all in" with school, church, extra-curriculars, and everything that they are involved in. Our school and parish are committed to being examples of this message every day.

We want our students to always give the best of themselves and be fully present and involved in whatever they do here at Blessed Sacrament!

Thank you for your support!

A Note From Your Administration

Dear Families and Friends,

Our theme this year is “All In!” We are “all in” this mission together: “...to spiritually, academically, and personally develop active Catholics using the Gospel teaching of Jesus Christ.” We want our students to be “all in” with regard to their learning, their extra-curricular activities, and their love of the good God. Thank you for partnering with us this year.

While it is only Day 2, I have been very impressed with how eager and polite the students have been with each other, and with the faculty/staff. I saw a lot of students greeting each other warmly as though they hadn’t seen each other in years. While I was down in the cafeteria, a first grader raised their hand for help, and when I went over, they said, they needed a hug. How sweet! Once said hug was provided, they went right back to happily eating their lunch.

Please know that this week will be a little rougher for your children as they adjust to the new routines and responsibilities of the new year. Do not be surprised if they fall asleep at 7 p.m. one night this week. Please pray for outdoor recess all week as that helps all of us adjust.

Please join us for All School mass on Friday at 8:15 a.m.

Cheerfully in Christ,

Mrs. Aideen Briggs
Principal

WELCOME!



Math Specialist: Mrs. Joanne Lape. Mrs. Lape earned a B.A. in Elementary Education and a Master’s degree in Elementary Education from Northern Kentucky University. She taught fourth and fifth grades for 30 years at St. Agnes Elementary School in Fort Wright. She has a passion for math and science, and attended the 2020 Kentucky Conference of Mathematics.



6th Grade Math/Science: Dr. Jennifer Cox. Dr. Cox earned a B.A. in Elementary Education and a Master of Arts in Teaching from Northern Kentucky University. She completed her doctorate degree in 2015 in Educational Leadership from Northern Kentucky University. Dr. Cox taught for many years in Boone County and served as an instructional coach in all subjects for seven years. She served as principal at Bellevue Independent Schools for two years. She most recently taught 7th/8th grade English Language Arts at Immaculate Heart of Mary.



Thumbs Up!

Thumbs Up for a great welcome on the first day of school! Mrs. Briggs and the morning carline crew had fun music playing outside and were joined by Officer Zerheusen, Deacon Fortner, and Fr. Aidoo!

Students were also greeted by Student Council President, Caleb Weist, and the BSS Eagle!



Parents' Club News

Parents' Club Mission Statement

The purpose of the BSS Parents' Club is to enhance the students' spiritual, emotional, and academic experience through parental support. This is achieved by parents assisting the faculty and staff with classroom activities and school wide events. In addition, Parents' Club will further enhance learning by offering financial support, with money obtained through fundraisers, for enrichment programs that benefit the students of our parish school.

Board Members 2021-2022

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Coming Home Soon:

Leveled Sponsor Information

Grand Raffle Tickets

Link to purchase

Upcoming SPIRIT NIGHTS

City Bird & ColdStone
Crestview Hills
August 23rd
ALL DAY!!!

Erlanger Putt Putt & Erlanger Skyline
September 20th

Chipotle (Buttermilk).
October 18th

SPIRIT NIGHTS 2021-2022

Total: \$2436.92.
Thank you for your support!

PAY YOUR PARENT CLUB DUES TODAY!



\$40/STUDENT



Access Volunteer forms **HERE!**

Due August 26th!!



Parent Club welcomes all parents to join us for the Welcome Back Parent Coffee



Friday August 19th
following 8:15 AM Mass
Parish Center
Coffee and Light Bites will be provided



Spirit Night also includes ice cream at Cold Stone where 20% of your total will be donated to BSS!



FUNDRAISE WITH US

BLESSED SACRAMENT PARENTS CLUB
TUESDAY, AUGUST 23RD
ALL DAY

Mention Blessed Sacramento School when ordering at our Crestview Hills location and 20% of your order will be donated to school.

For call-in orders, or walk-in orders, just mention that you're with the fundraiser PRIOR to ordering. Online Orders must be placed through the CityBird website or app. No third party orders (such as DoorDash, or Uber Eats) are eligible for fundraising. In the notes section under any of the items, please be sure to say that you are with the fundraiser.

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Parent Club News

Parent Club invites BSS parents
to join us for the return of our annual

Back to School Coffee!

Mark your calendars for
Friday, August 19,
after the 8:15 all school mass!

Virtus

As we begin a new school year, please take a moment
to confirm that you are up to date with Virtus bulletins.

*If you plan to volunteer in the classroom, help on the playground,
chaperone class field trips, etc. you must be Virtus trained, have a background check
completed within the last 5 years, AND be current with online bulletins.*

*If you have fallen behind this summer, please log into your account,
update your background check if needed, and read your bulletins. Thank you!*



Summer Solutions

**Summer Solution Workbooks are due to
your child's homeroom teacher by Friday, August 26!**

*Workbooks should be completed in their entirety
to receive a prize from Mrs. Wischer and Mrs. Wood.*

*Thank you in advance for all those students
who did extra summer work in reading and math!*



Childrens' Choir

Music is such a powerful tool for passing on the faith to the next generation. We hope for a lot of growth in the Children's choir this year! The Choirs are separated by grade level so that students can receive better instruction appropriate to their age, as well as received individualized instruction.

Students will learn how to sing as a group, learn how to develop their own voice as a cantor,
and reflect on the prayers that we sing.

**The 5-8th Grades will rehearse on Monday, 2:15-3:30 pm (Blees Center Music Room)
in preparation for a Wednesday 8:15 Mass.**

**The 4th Grade will rehearse on Tuesday, 2:15-3:30 pm (Blees Center Music Room)
in preparation for a Friday 8:15 Mass.**

Please [CLICK HERE](#) for a registration form.



We invite all 5th through 8th grade girls
to come see what Challenge Club is all about
during our first meeting of the year.

Meetings are two Fridays a month
from September to April (3:30 – 5:00 p.m.)

We hope you will consider joining our
faith-based leadership & service club!

Where: Blessed Sacrament Undercroft
When: Friday, September 16th
Time: 3:30-5:00 p.m.
What: Fun, faith-filled activities & food

Questions: contact Melissa Stegman
at (859) 801-1410 or email

challengeatblessedsacrament@gmail.com

REGISTRATION is now OPEN: Fill out <https://form.jotform.com/202717899294168>

Pay online at <https://membership.faithdirect.net/givenow/KY501/48887>

Challenge Potluck Night
Blessed Sacrament Undercroft

Saturday, August 27th

4 - 8pm

4pm - Mass

5:30pm - Dinner

6:30pm - 8pm Outdoor games

www.challengeclubs.com



Inviting all Challenge & 5-8th grade girls' families
and parish families!



Challenge Club Potluck Dinner

Saturday, August 27, 2022*
4 - 8 pm

Blessed Sacrament Church & Undercroft

Faith - Food - Fun - Fellowship



FAITH: Mass - 4 pm We will have a special section on the right side of Church reserved for our participating families. *Challenge girls will be in their Challenge T-shirts and greeting you to Mass)*

FOOD: Potluck Dinner - 5:30 pm Undercroft.

Last name A-M: Please bring a side dish. Last name N-Z: Please bring a dessert. Pulled Pork, Pulled Chicken and hotdogs will be provided by the Challenge Club. Lemonade and water will also be provided. Please bring a cooler with any other drinks your family would like (Food and coolers can be dropped off in the undercroft BEFORE mass).

***RSVP by August 24th** to ensure we have enough food for everyone.

FUN: Outside- Soccer - Basketball - kick ball - Gaga Pit - Playground outside - sidewalk chalk

FELLOWSHIP: Come and see what Challenge Club has to offer your daughters, grand-daughters, nieces or friends!

First Challenge Meeting – Friday, September 16, 2022 3:30 – 5pm Undercroft





From Our Parish

WELCOME BACK!

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO A GREAT YEAR!

- **CONFIRMATION PARENT/CANDIDATE NIGHT:** September 22, 7-8:30 p.m. in church
- **FIRST RECONCILIATION PARENT NIGHT:** October 18, 6-7-P.M.
- **ALL INFO PERTAINING TO CHILDREN'S SACRAMENTAL EVENTS IS ON OUR PARISH WEBSITE:** www.bscky.org (Under Formation and Sacramental Prep)
- **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:** SUNDAY MORNINGS, help young children hear the Word of God in age-appropriate language. We provide materials and instruction. Contact the Formation Office for more info.



Blessed Sacrament Church
BECOMING STEWARDS IN COMMUNITY



A FEW REMINDERS...

- ❑ Please consider keeping a small hand sanitizer in backpacks and lunch boxes
- ❑ Our current arrival and dismissal procedures can be found in the handbook (see page 28)
- ❑ Please make sure that snacks and are peanut-free. A list of safe options can be found [HERE](#), but please check labels as there may be other items that are not included on this list.
- ❑ Your children are **AWESOME** and we are **SO HAPPY** that they are here!

THANK YOU FOR ALL THAT YOU DO EVERY DAY!

WE APPRECIATE YOU!

If you have a great idea to share, feedback on an event, questions on upcoming events, or want more information on how to get involved please contact the BSS Parents Club at parentsclub@bssky.org.

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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The mission of Blessed Sacrament school
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using the Gospel teachings of Jesus Christ.