



# ST. JOHN PARISH SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

October 17, 2022



## Parent Conferences

We are looking forward to spending some time visiting with families this week. Just as a reminder, here is the schedule for the Parent Conferences. I will be sending out a Google Document with all of the teacher zoom links on Tuesday.

October 19th -	October 20th
9am - 2pm - Zoom sessions	9 am - 2pm - in person
5Pm - 9pm - In person	5pm - 9pm - Zoom sessions

## Virtus Training Session in Town

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN FOR ADULTS training session will be held **Thursday, October 20, 6:00 pm** at Corpus Christi for those new to the VIRTUS program. Please take advantage of this in-town convenience.

This is required for all volunteers in the school and parish who interact with children. Even if your participation won't occur until later in the year it is helpful to complete this training early.

[Click here to sign up!](#) Questions? Contact Virtus Coordinator Meg Milburn at: [mmilburn@sjevangelist.com](mailto:mmilburn@sjevangelist.com).

## CYO Cross Country Results

Congratulations to our CYO Cross Country teams. The 7th/8th grade boys placed 1st Overall as a team, the 7th/8th grade girls placed 2nd Overall as a team, and the 5th/6th grade girls placed 3rd Overall as a team. Great job this weekend!

## PTO Eat & Earn at Jefferson's

Our next Eat & Earn will be at Jefferson's on **Tuesday, October 25th** all day at both locations. Just mention St. John School and 15% of your bill will go back to PTO!

Our next meeting will be Nov 29th.

## October Spirit Day

Our Spirit Day for October will be on October 31st. Students can dress up in Orange and Black or some in Halloween costumes. Please no wigs, make-up, or accessory items to costumes.

## AFTER SCHOOL CARE OPENINGS

I am looking to fill two positions within our After School Program. If you know of anyone that works well with kids and would like a part-time job please contact Mr. Reffett at [creffett@sj eagles.com](mailto:creffett@sj eagles.com).

## ST. JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEEDS YOU!

Volunteers are the backbone of our thriving school. The camaraderie and community that is developed through serving and supporting our children, staff, and administration set our school apart from others. Please click on the link below to sign up:

<https://sjevangelist.com/school/volunteer/>

## TEACHER WISH LISTS

Mrs. Porch/Ms. Setter's [Wish List](#)  
Ms. Fewins' [Wish List](#)  
Mrs. Werth's [Wish List](#)  
Mrs. Fox's [Wish List](#)  
Ms. Woolverton's [Wish List](#)  
Ms. Friedrich's [Wish List](#)  
Ms. Ice's [Wish List](#)  
Ms. Hubbard's [Wish List](#)  
Ms. Domann's [Wish List](#)  
Mrs. Koger's [Wish List](#)  
Mrs. Powell's [Wish List](#)  
Ms. Dunn's [Wish List](#)  
Library [Wish List](#)

## Make a Difference Saturday

The Hearts, Hands and Hammers committee of the SJE School Core Team will host another Make a Difference Saturday volunteer event to beautify our school grounds. We'll be working on cleaning windows for our classrooms to let the light shine in for our students. The event is **Saturday November 5, 2022 8:30 - 11:30 am** and is for adults only. Come share in fellowship and making our school shine before the Auction happens the following week. For information contact, Alan Allgeier [ama2005@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ama2005@sbcglobal.net). Please use this link to sign up for the event - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A094CADA92BA31-sjemake2>

## Family Fun Night

Family Fun Night is back! We have had to cancel this the last few years but we are excited to finally have this event back as part of our St. John Auction weekend. The Family Fun Night is on November 11th from 6-8pm. It is a free event for all families and a fun way for students to start to see what the auction is all about. Please put this on your calendar and we hope to see you there.

## Veterans Day Service

St. John will recognize Veterans Day again this year with presentations from our local Jayhawk Chapter of the Military Officers Association of America (MOAA). Volunteers will come speak to each class about the importance of the day and share stories/answer questions for students. This year, the Veterans Day event will take place on Thursday, November 10th.

Again this year, we will have a bulletin board set up in the school to recognize US Veterans, for their service to our country, in advance of Veterans Day. Please have your student collect some information on any Veteran you know so we can post a small summary of their service and a photo, if you have one. You are welcome to recognize any Veteran, family members or friends.

### Submission Information

Please include your name, the service member's name, rank, unit, any interesting information you would like (deployments, service awards, etc), and your relationship to the service member (friend, parent, grandparent, etc). If you have a photo, please include it as well. Please submit your information and photo (optional) to your homeroom teacher by Friday, Oct. 28th. If you have any additional questions feel free to email Ashley Urban at [ashley.urban80@gmail.com](mailto:ashley.urban80@gmail.com).

## GROCERY CARDS BEING SOLD AFTER MASS

Grocery Cards will be sold after all masses on the first weekend of the month. Please bring cash or check to purchase Checkers, Merc, and H-Vee grocery cards. Sales will be set up outdoors near the north door of the church. Grocery cards are sold to you at face value, and the grocery stores donate 5-6% of sales toward St. John Parish School.

To pre-order cards, or to help sell cards, email: [noramurphy777@gmail.com](mailto:noramurphy777@gmail.com) or call 785-727-5083.

## ASKSTJOHN@EAGLES.COM

Do you have specific questions but you're not sure who to ask? Did you just think of a question but it's after office hours and you don't want to forget to ask the next morning? Well, we are here to help. We have a new email address that is available to answer your questions. If you are not sure who you should ask, please email us at [askstjohn@sjeagles.com](mailto:askstjohn@sjeagles.com) and we will direct your question to the appropriate person to help you.

## Funeral Lunches

The past few years the church has not done funeral lunches due to Covid. With things becoming more stable, the plan is to begin doing funeral lunches if families request it. In the past, they have been done at the Community Center down the street. Moving forward, they will be held in the church basement. If we have a funeral lunch on a school day, we will not have a hot lunch but will ask students to bring a sack lunch from home and they will have lunch in their classroom that day. Nothing else about their schedule will change that day. I will be sure to give parents a heads up as soon as I know this will be happening. We can't predict when and how many times this will happen within the school year, but we will work together to make sure that this goes as smoothly as possible. Thank you for your cooperation.

## The Annual St. John Benefit Auction is Almost Here!

We can't wait to enjoy a night of food, fun, fellowship and fundraising with you all!

We'd like to highlight a few key items that will ensure a successful night!

\*It is not too late to send in donations- we're still looking for items, services, trips, gift cards, and cash donations.

\*Conversely, it is not too early to purchase your tickets to the event! You can go online at [stjohnbenefitauction.com](http://stjohnbenefitauction.com), email the auction office at [auction@sjeagles.com](mailto:auction@sjeagles.com), or send in your bill my account slip that came home in backpack mail in September.

Tickets are \$100 each, can be billed in installments, and cover your entrance and food and drinks the night of the event.

\*remember to donate to class baskets- we are hoping to get 100% participation this year. Even if you are unable to attend the auction, donating to class baskets is an easy way to support the school and its biggest fundraiser of the year! Please see the previously sent email for donation links and donate, even just \$5 helps us reach our goal!

\*lastly, be on the lookout for volunteer sign ups coming soon!

We hope to see you Kickin' It Up For The Kids Saturday, November 12 at 5:30pm

## SCHOOL GOOGLE CALENDAR

This year we have created a Google calendar to add school events. Please [use this link](#) to add this calendar to help you follow events that will be happening this school year.

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# CYO Basketball

Basketball registration for grades 3 - 8 is now open at <https://cyojwa.org/current-programs>. Please create an account if you have not already done so or login to your existing account and register your child(ren). To assist your parish in planning for the season, please enroll before the season starts on October 31, 2022. Late registration begins on November 12 at which time the fee goes up by \$25.00.

Interested in coaching: If you wish to enroll as a coach, please enroll as a Volunteer at <https://cyojwa.org/current-programs>. Our DSM (Howard Graham) will have access to your sign up and can reach out to you directly. To learn more about the certifications required to coach, please review the CYO website at <https://www.cyojwa.org/content/20962/Certifications>

## SAVE THE DATE!



The date for the next St. John Benefit Auction has been set. Please mark

**November 12, 2022** on your calendars. We look forward to seeing you there

# Prayers & Thank You's

As always, please send us any prayers or messages or gratitude that you would like for me to include in the weekly newsletter.

## Calendar: October/November

17 School Advisory Council 6:30	18 Family Book Fair Event 5:30-7:30	19 Parent Teacher Conferences-No School	20	21 No School	22 23
24	25 7th Grade Field Trip to Denver 3rd-5th Lied Center Field Trip Jefferson's Eat & Earn	26	27	28	29 30
31 Orange & Black Spirit Day	1 All Saints Day Mass Picture Re-take Day	2	3	4 Middle School Casino Night	5 Make a Difference Saturday 6

# PARISH NEWS



## Mass Celebrations

**Daily Masses:** Mon-Fri 7:30 a.m., Friday 12:10 p.m.  
Saturday - 8:00 a.m.

**Weekend Masses:** 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday - 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m. Spanish,  
5:00 p.m.

**Reconciliation:** Wednesday - 11:00 a.m. - Noon;  
Saturday - 3-4 p.m.; By appt only

## Bulletin

Here is the latest bulletin: <https://parishesonline.com/organization/st-john-the-evangelist-catholic-church>

**Parish News:** Job openings, God's Love Unites Us Stewardship campaign. [Visit our website](#)

*St. John Parish*

★ **PICNIC** ★

**JOIN THE FAMILY**



- Hot dogs and Hamburgers grilled by the Knights of Columbus

If your last name starts with an A-M, please bring a side to share.

If your last name starts with an N-Z, please bring a dessert to share.

Cornhole, playground, volleyball available plus Chiefs game on tv

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16TH 2022**

**4PM-9PM**

**BROKEN ARROW PARK 2800 LOUISIANA ST**

**WINE, BEER, SODA PROVIDED**