



2017-2018

ALL IN
Romans 8:31-39

Greetings,

We certainly have some awesome young men at Saint Charles – and Jack Olbrys is among them. He joins Nolan Ignacio as a shavee in the St. Baldrick's head shaving event on March 17 at Force Indoor Sports in Rocky River. As I shared with Jack's mom, it is so important to be raising our boys to be compassionate and caring for others. Here is a link to his page: <https://www.stbaldricks.org/participants/mypage/961005/2018>

If not shaving hair, how about donating? – Sixth grader John Satanek has grown his hair out several times over the past years. When it is long enough, he gets it cut to donate. He just got it cut this past week (almost didn't recognize him!) Way to go, John – thinking of others!

LifeShare Blood Drive – is at Saint Charles today, March 11 from 9am-1pm in lower parish hall. Save some lives with this precious gift of life.

Mother-Son Bowling – is today, March 11 at 3:00pm at Yorktown Lanes.

Class pictures – will take place on Tuesday, March 27. The order forms/envelopes went home Friday, but attached is a copy of the information in case your child did not give it to you.

CYO SPRING SPORTS SIGN UPS - All St. Charles Parish children can now register ONLINE ONLY at stcharlessports.org. Registration runs through tomorrow, March 12. Track practice has already begun!

A Wrinkle in Time Book Club and Robotics – will meet after school on Monday from 2:40-3:30pm.

Junior High Living Stations – has rehearsal for all stations and tech crew on Tuesday from 2:40-4:30pm in the church. Note the extended time.

National School Walkout Prayer Service – will start at 10am on Wednesday. We will walk to the church to pray for peace.

LEGO Club – grade two – will meet on Wednesday from 2:40-3:30pm.

Optional OMEA – practice recital at Padua is on Wednesday.

PTU meeting for March – is Wednesday at 7pm.

Seventh Grade – will be going to Padua High School for an internet safety and retreat on Thursday.

Chess Club – will meet on Thursday, March 15 from 2:40-3:30pm.

The first round deadline for Diocesan Tuition Assistance – and submitting that information to FACTS is March 15. The applications for the Bishops' Scholarship and M. Thomas More Family Scholarship are also due March 15.

The end of the third quarter – is Friday, March 16. All assignments must be turned in by March 16. Report cards and MAP scores will be sent home on March 23.

The Jump Rope for Heart month has ended - and Mr. Althoff reports that 37 students participated and they raised 2,749 dollars for the American Heart Association. Great work!

OMEA Junior High Solo and Ensemble Adjudicated Event – is Saturday, March 17.

Congratulations – we collected 5000 Box Tops so we will have a “free” dress down day on March 21.

Want to be more active and involved on the Parish level? – Parish Council members are the “eyes and ears” of the parish. Parish Council meets at 7:45pm on the second Thursday of the month in the John Paul II Room (second floor) of the Parish Activities Center. In addition to a monthly meeting, Council members also serve on one of Council's Commissions. During the month of March, we are seeking candidates who will serve for the 2018-2021 term. There are three qualifications: Candidates must be at least eighteen years of age, be registered members of St Charles Parish, and be regularly practicing the Catholic Faith. You may nominate yourself, or another (please check first to see if that person is willing to run.) You will find a Parish Council Nomination Form in the parish bulletin during March. Please complete that Form and return it to the Parish Office.

In case you missed it – attached is the 2018-2019 school year.

Peace and prayers –

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Principal