

Phone: (317) 251-3997
Ext. Care:
(317) 457-3165

The Warrior World



Thursday, September 15th, 2022

Upcoming Events

September

Friday, 9/16

Last day to purchase
presale Drive-In tickets

Wednesday, 9/21

Feast of St. Matthew
Kindergarten Medal
Presentation 8:30 Mass

Friday, 9/23

Fund-a-Friend
Haiti Christmas Party

Saturday, 9/24

St. Matthew Community
Picnic 6:00 pm

October

Friday, 10/7

PFA Drive-In Movie
Front Lot - 8:00 pm
Lot opens at 6:30 pm

10/10 - 10/14

Homecoming Week

Friday, 10/14

End of First Grading
Period
Pep Rally - 2:00 pm

Wednesday, 10/19

Parent Teacher Confer-
ences - NO SCHOOL

Thursday and Friday

10/20 and 10/21
Fall Break
NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, 10/26

Honor Roll Mass
Grades 4th - 8th
8:15 am

Friday, 10/28

PFA Chili Supper &
Pumpkin Fest

Saturday, 10/29

Trunk or Treat
After 5:00 pm Mass
Back Parking Lot

November

Wed., 11/23-Fri., 10/25

Thanksgiving Break

Feast of St. Matthew
Wednesday, 9/21
8:30 am All-School Mass
St. Matthew medals will be pre-
sented to our Kindergarten stu-
dent by our 8th grade students.
All are welcome to join us in this
annual tradition.

Next Friday Sept. 23

Fund-a-Friend

Students are al-
lowed to donate at
least \$2 to a wor-
thy cause and in
return be out of
uniform and wear casual clothes.
The funds raised on 9/23 will help
us sponsor Christmas for the chil-
dren in the schools in our sister
parish in Haiti.



Sign-Up to Volunteer or bring an item for our Community Picnic!

Our Community Picnic is quickly
approaching! Our wonderful
committee is seeking volunteers,
food items, drinks, and paper
products to celebrate the Feast
of St. Matthew at a picnic full of
fun, fellowship, and other sur-
prises. The picnic is on Satur-
day, September 24th following an
outdoor Mass at 5:00 pm. Click
on the following link to sign up
to bring items or to volunteer.

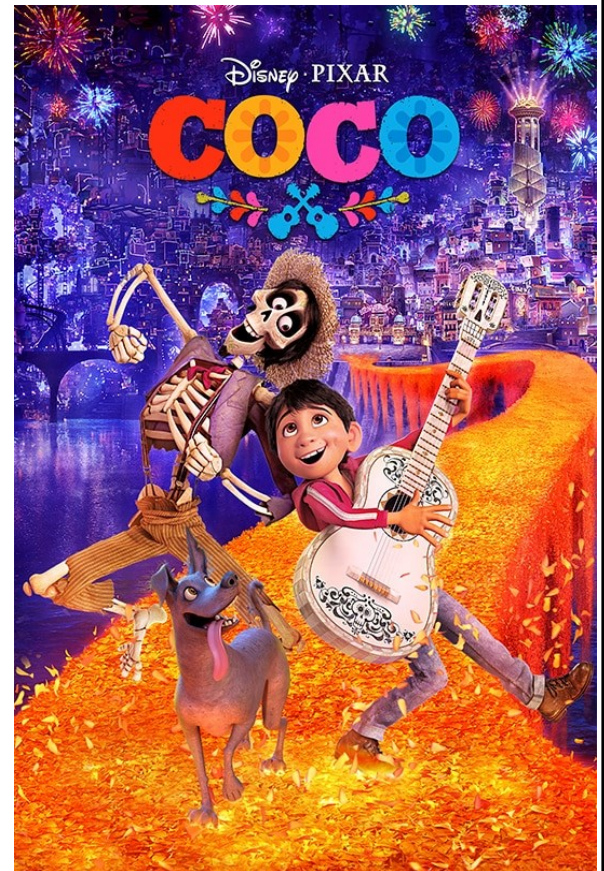
[https://www.signupgenius.com/
go/60B0E45A4AC2DAAFC1-
stmatthew](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0E45A4AC2DAAFC1-stmatthew)

Cub Scouts Welcoming New Members



St. Matthew Cub Scout Pack
443 is inviting kids & parents
from grades K - 5 (both boys and girls are
welcome) to learn more about our Cub
Scouts program at our first callout meetings
on **either Monday 9/19 or Wednesday 9/21**
from **6:30 - 7:30 pm** at the SMS outdoor shel-
ter. Please contact Nick McCallum,
nicholas_mccallum@hotmail.com with any
questions.

SMS students have voted and the winner is...



Join us Fri., Oct. 7th for the PFA Drive-in movie
night in the front parking lot. Same day tick-
et available at the entrance \$20/car. Parking
lot opens at 6:30pm. Low cost concessions
available and lots of great raffle items will be
up for grabs!

Important Links

[SCRIP Order Form](#)

[CYO Website](#)

[Mrs. Wuensch's
Tech Page](#)

[Calendar
2022-23](#)

Facebook: @stmattschoolindy
Twitter: @stmattschool
Instagram: stmattschool

Lunch Schedule

K-1	11:10-11:35
2-3	11:40-12:05
4-5	12:10-12:35
MS	12:40-1:05

1:00 Dismissal Lunch Schedule

K-1	10:40-11:05
2-3	11:10-11:35
4-5	11:40-12:05
MS	12:15-12:40

[Click here](#) for emails
for our
faculty and staff

WARRIOR CAFÉ MENU

Milk Only: \$.50
Student Lunch: \$3.75

Monday, Sept. 19
Baked potato, broccoli
& cheese, diced ham,
celery sticks, fruit, milk

Tuesday, Sept. 20
French toast sticks,
sausage patty, yogurt,
fruit, milk

Wed., Sept. 21
BBQ on buns, cheesy
potatoes, peas, cold
broccoli cuts, fruit, milk

Thursday, Sept. 22
Hamburger with pizza
sauce/cheese, corn,
cucumbers, fruit, milk

Friday, Sept. 23
Macaroni & cheese,
garlic bread stick, mari-
nara/cheese sauce,
garden salad, fruit, milk

In addition to hot lunch,
students may opt for a
chicken nugget meal,
or PB&J meal

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or all or part of an individu-
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[Free/Reduced Lunch
Application](#)

Attendance Line



When a student is absent or will be
late due to an appointment, please call
(317)251-3997 ext. 3910 by 8:30 am.
If you email your teacher, please copy
Elizabeth Ellis, eellis@saintmatt.org.

[Extended Care
Information](#)

[Student Parent Handbook](#)

Medications

If your student needs medication (prescription or over-the-counter) at
school, please complete the [Medical Authorization form](#) and drop off at the
school office. All medication must be in its original bottle.

YOU'RE INVITED

OUTDOOR MASS & PARISH PICNIC

SATURDAY, SEPT. 24 • 5 PM

5 pm outdoor Mass under a tent behind the church, followed by dinner

- Fried chicken provided.
- Parishioners are asked to bring a side or salad.
- Thank you to the Men's Club for donating beer and wine.
- St. Matthew School 8th graders will have a bake sale and games for younger kids to raise funds for their Washington, DC., trip.
- Picnic RSVP at <https://bit.ly/StMattPicnic> (link case-sensitive)

CELEBRATING the FEAST of ST. MATTHEW

Volunteer Opportunities

Our Café staff needs your help preparing food such as packing up peanut butter cups or chicken nuggets and assisting with service. The sign-up is below:



<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0845A8A72BA6F85-cafeteria>

Our Library needs your help reading to children and checking in/out books while they visit the library. Training is a breeze. The sign-up is below:



<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040e45aca828a02-smslibrary>



Our First Aid Office needs help applying ice, medication and kindness to our kiddos. No experience needed and training is offered the day of. The sign-up is below:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4facad22a0ffc34-first1>

Safe Parish

It is required by the Archdiocese that all coaches and parents who want to help out with various events complete this online course to volunteer at SMS. [Click here](#) for the website. You can also access the website by clicking on the "Safe Environment Training" button on the archindy.org homepage. **Passcode is Archindy2021**

Click on the link below to record your service hours. Each family is required to give 12 hours in volunteer time.

<https://forms.gle/vksmMjsEp3XDH6wQ9>



Altar Servers September Sign-Up

We had a great turn out for our server training. Please consider signing your child up to serve on the weekend!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4BACAC2FA0F49-september>



Our Parent Faculty Association (PFA) provides a medium for parents and faculty to communicate and work together for the welfare of your child and St. Matthew Catholic School. Additionally, PFA coordinates events and programs throughout the year to encourage community, celebration and fundraising for St. Matthew School. Do you have any new ideas to promote community or fundraising? We would love to hear them!

Meet your PFA Exec Board!

Nicole Helton	Co-President, Rylee - 4th, Tommy and Josie - K
Beth Walsh	Co-President, Norah - 4 th , Molly - 1st
Maria Browning	Vice President, Elise - 6 th , Connor - 4 th
Erin Kelly	Secretary, Riley - 3 rd , Harry - K
Lanita Hill	K - 2 nd Liaison, J.J. - 2 nd , L.J. - K
Carly Brenner	3 rd - 5 th Liaison, Jax - 3 rd , Beau - 1 st
Karen Hovanec	6 th - 8 th Liaison, Luke - 7 th
Nick McCallum	Data/Marketing, Connor - 4 th , Ellie - 1 st
Stephanie Mills	Staff
Colleen Middleton	Staff
Mary Marsh	Staff

Thank you!

Fundraisers



Save the Date for the Trash Bag Sale! Sale begins on Oct. 5th

The trash bag sale will begin Wednesday, October 5th and conclude on Friday, October 28. Start taking orders so you will be ready when the sale begins next month! Watch for a separate email next week with further details.

Excited for the fall season? So are we! Our partner, Haulstr, is offering a firewood delivery service. For each firewood delivery order, they will donate \$10 / rick back to our PFA.

Join us in our **Wood for Good** fundraiser:

[Saint Matthew Indianapolis - Haulstr](#)

This pays off! We just received a check for over \$300 for spring and summer mulch deliveries! Thank you!



WISH YOUR STUDENT HAPPY BIRTHDAY (OR HALF BIRTHDAY) WITH A MESSAGE ON THE ST. MATTHEW SCHOOL SIGN on Forest Manor! The cost is \$10 per name and funds will support the 8th grade. [Click here](#) for the flyer.



Dine to Donate

Thank you to all who participated in our Dine to Donate at Portillo's! St. Matthew brought in \$1,031 in sales, earning a donation giveback in the amount of \$206! Thanks to Sarah Zurschmeide for scheduling our Dine to Donate events!



RaiseRight™

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Do you have a balance on your **Kohl's charge card**? Kohl's accepts Scrip gift cards (with the "Kohl's Cares" designation) as payment on Kohl's charge cards! And Kohl's Scrip has a **4% rebate**.

If you have any questions about Scrip, please email scrip@saintmatt.org.



Save the date for the next Dine to Donate at Bubba's 33 on Thursday, Oct. 13th.

Whether you are new to St. Matthew and haven't heard about the [Scrip/Raise Right Program](#), or if you've been here for years and just never got in the habit, now is the time to commit to being a regular scrip user!



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Things you should know about Scrip/Raise Right:

- Great app called **RaiseRight** that's **easier than ever** for ordering and redeeming right on your phone.
- The program **shares rebates with you** – earnings support St. Matthew as a whole, and also directly benefit you. You decide where it goes (tuition, 8th grade trip, cash to you, or many other options).
- There are over [500 vendors](#) to choose from!

Need the enrollment code for St. Matthew? Please contact the Scrip Office at scrip@saintmatt.org or the school office.



Sports and CYO

CYO Boys Basketball Evaluations

All call outs will be at Northside Baptist Church 3021 East 71st Street
on Monday Sept. 26th and Monday, Oct 3rd

Please send water with your player.

4th Grade - 9/26 and 10/3

5:30 - 6:30 pm at Northside Baptist Church

5th and 6th Grade - 9/26 and 10/3

6 :30 - 7:30 pm at Northside Baptist Church

7th and 8th Grade - 9/26 and 10/3

7:30 - 8:30 pm at Northside Baptist Church



Parents, if you have any questions or if your son is unable to be at the evaluations, please contact Eddie Keever at eddiekeever@hotmail.com or 317-476-2848. Practices start early November and games begin after Thanksgiving, but teams need to be submitted by the beginning of October, therefore the rosters need to be completed.

Spirit Wear Link

<https://1stplace.sale/34079>

CYO Football Schedules



Home games in red

Sat., Sept. 17	9:00 am	football	3rd grade at St. Simon
Sun., Sept. 18	2:15 pm	football	4th grade vs. IHM at Tabernacle Field
	3:30 pm	football	5/6 grades vs. St. Louis de Montfort at Cathedral
	3:30 pm	football	Cadet vs St. Michael at Cardinal Ritter
Sat., Sept. 24	9:00 am	football	3rd grade at St. Luke
	9:00 am	football	4th grade vs St. Simon
Sun., Sept. 25	4:00 pm	football	5/6 grades vs. Christ the King at Cathedral
	2:15 pm	football	Cadet at St. Luke
Sat., Oct. 1	9:00 am	football	3rd grade vs. OL Mt. Carmel
Sun., Oct. 2	2:30 pm	football	4th grade at St. Barnabas
	2:15 pm	football	Cadet vs St. Pius at Bishop Chatard
Sat., Oct. 8	9:00 am	football	3rd grade vs. St. Pius X
	10:15 am	football	4th grade vs. St. Pius X
Sun., Oct. 9	1:00 pm	football	5/6 grades vs. Our Lady of Grace
	2:15 pm	football	Cadet vs St. St. Maria Goretti
Sat., Oct. 15	9:00 am	football	4th grade vs. St. Jude
Sun., Oct. 16	1:00 pm	football	Cadet vs St. Michael - Indy (HOMECOMING)
	2:15 pm	football	5/6 grades vs. IHM at Tabernacle Field

Go Warriors!

Sports

OUR SMS KICKBALL TEAMS



Congratulations to all our kickball teams on a GREAT season! A special THANK YOU goes out to all the coaches! We appreciate you!

Girls Volleyball CYO Night

Bishop Chatard High School is hosting CYO Night on Tuesday, Sept. 20, for Girls Volleyball! Go watch as the Trojans take on Scecina Memorial High School. Wear your grade or middle school t-shirt or jersey, or present a Future Trojan Pass for free admission!

Plan on arriving at Bishop Chatard at 6:30 p.m., as the JV match concludes. Players will sit with current high school players in the Main Gym to help cheer on the Trojans during the Varsity match. T-shirts will be handed out to the first attendees through the door.

Planning on attending? [Click here to RSVP!](#) Questions? Contact varsity assistant coach, Ellen Schroeder, at eschroeder@bishopchatard.org.

St. Matthew Represented!
Bishop Chatard played in the Ladies' Golf City Championship on 9/12. Clare Kirchgessner (SMS Class of 2022) placed first and Sarah Semon (SMS Class of 2019) placed 5th!
#warriorproud



Our Student Council met this week and are planning a fun Homecoming Week. Watch for details in a few weeks. Homecoming Week is 10/10-10/14.



Last day to enter a team is Wednesday, 9/21!



ST. MATTHEW MEN'S CLUB GOLF OUTING



Wednesday, October 5th

12:30 Shotgun Start

Hillcrest Country Club



\$150 per person (\$600 team) – Darn Inflation!

Prizes, Mulligans, Food and Drink, Auction Items

Fellowship

Brand new this year – The Men's Club is partnering with the School and Parish to donate 50% of the net

proceeds towards tuition assistance for all students with a primary focus on assisting Pre-K and

Kindergarten families obtain the Catholic School experience.

Donations are tax-deductible

For more information contact Cam Ellis

Email: cam@cjeassociatesllc.com

Phone: 317-538-2017

Checks should be made out to St Matthew Men's Club (SMMC) and sent attention

Campion Ellis

6284 Rucker Road, Suite A

Indianapolis, IN 46220

This event has raised over \$150,000 for the 20 years in existence to meet the needs of the parish and school.

Sponsorships are available

Bronze - \$200 unlimited (Unlimited) – Hole signs (you will get 5 raffle tickets for the auction items.)

Silver - \$300 – 4-5 available – Beer Carts (You also get 10 raffle tickets for the auction items)

Lunch sponsor – \$400 (15 raffle tickets for auction items)

Title sponsor - \$1000 – 1 available (35 raffle tickets for auction items)

Blood Drive

Turn a new leaf
Fall into giving 

**Sunday
October**

9

10:00 am - 1:00 pm

**Helpful tip:
Make sure to eat a healthy
meal and drink plenty of
water before donating.**

**ST. MATTHEW CATHOLIC CHURCH
BLOOD DRIVE**

**Bloodmobile
4100 E 56th Street
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46220**



**Schedule your donation by scanning
the QR code with your smart phone!**



High School Information

Junior High Opportunities Available at Bishop Chatard

Registration for shadowing is open! 8th grade students are invited to join us for a full school day where they will attend classes and participate in school activities with a current student. A shadowing experience is one of the best ways your student can learn what life is like at Bishop Chatard. To register visit www.bishopchatard.org/enrollment/shadowing.



Spend a morning getting to know Bishop Chatard at a Wednesday Walk-Thru. Wednesday Walk-Thru sessions give parents and guardians the opportunity to hear a presentation from a member of our leadership team and take a tour while classes are in session. These events start 8 a.m. and last two hours. Space is limited so registration is required. Learn more at www.bishopchatard.org/enrollment/parents.

Mark Your Calendars for the Bishop Chatard Open House. The “Trojan Tour” will be held on Thursday, Nov. 3 from 5:30 – 8 p.m. Learn more at www.bishopchatard.org/enrollment/openhouse.

Follow us on Twitter and Instagram for the latest updates!
@BCHSEnrollment

Attention 8th grade students!

Applications for the Class of 2027 are open. Please go to gocathedral.com/apply

October 15th/priority admission

December 15th/regular admission

Students, register to take your High School Placement Test (HSPT). Parents, stay while your student is testing for a tour and information session. Register at gocathedral.com/placementtest

October 29, January 21

Schedule your shadow visit now!! Please pick your date at gocathedral.com/visit



Irish Events/Join Us

Cathedral Open House October 13th!! Register now at gocathedral.com/openhouse

CYO/Youth Sports nights

Cheerleading: September 30 /<https://www.gocathedral.com/admissions/gocathedral.com/cyocheerleading>

Football/Cheerleading/Homecoming: October 7/[Homecoming Registration](#)

Catheatre Presents: Willy Wonka, the Musical! Join us September 30th.

Download your All Access Pass now! This is your student's ticket to all home sporting events, theatre and music. [All Access Pass](#)

”Coffee Talks” with Cathedral

Register at gocathedral.com/visit for all “Talks”. Share a cup of coffee with Cathedral's Admissions staff and learn how Cathedral could benefit your student. All sessions begin at 9:00 am with an optional tour to follow.

Tuesday Talks with Cathedral - September 20th, October 11th and October 25th

Individual Tours

Multiple private tours offered every week

Register for the best date and time for you at gocathedral.com/visit

Want more information, visit <http://gocathedral.com/>