



# Good Shepherd Charger News

"The Lord is my Shepherd" - John 10:11

All School Newsletter  
March 14, 2019

## Charger Headlines...

### Calendar of Events

#### Sunday, March 17

- Seraphim Choir 8:00am
- 7 & 8 Grade Choir 10:30am

#### Monday, March 18

- Scrip Orders Due by 9:00am

#### Tuesday, March 19

- Achievement Testing Through Wednesday 27th

#### Wednesday, March 20

- Lenten Services 4:30 & 7:00pm

#### Thursday, March 21

- Chapel 8:25am

#### Saturday, March 23

- School Benefit Auction 5:30pm

### Grandparents/Special Friends Day

We were honored to have our students' Grandparents and Special Friends spend the morning with us. After Chapel, time was spent participating in a variety of hands on activities with the students, allowing our guests a chance to see what we do here at Good Shepherd. Thank you to the Co-coordinators, Teachers, and Staff for making this a successful event.

### Honor Band

The All Illinois School Honor Band Festival will be held Friday, March 15th at SIUE. Good Shepherd will be represented by 4 band members selected to participate: Elliot J., Abbey G., Gavin T., and Ellie M. It is an incredible honor to be selected to perform in this festival.

### Thank You

Thank you to the many volunteers that make Good Shepherd that special school. Your time and talents are truly appreciated. Mr. Mayhew.

### Spring Yard Work Day

Saturday, April 13th is the Spring Yard Work Day from 8:00am to noon at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and School. Please bring your rakes and shovels to help beautify the school grounds. Any and all help will be appreciated.



### Olympiads

The Olympiad was held Tuesday, March 12th at SIUE. Good Shepherd was represented by the following four students, Elliot J., Tyler H., Jakaob F., and Ellie M. Congratulations on their achievements.

For more information:  
[gslcs.org/calendars](http://gslcs.org/calendars)



### Dress Code

Reminder as we approach the end of the year...when students grow while their clothing seems to begin to shrink. Parents, please look at your child's clothing prior to coming to school for belts, colors, and properly fitting sizes. Your help is appreciated, so we can concentrate on learning.

# Charger Headlines Continued...

## Variety Show

Attention students, the Variety Show is Tuesday, April 9th. Entry forms are available in the school office. Participants may be in an individual act, a group act, or both! You may be in no more than two acts. All the entries will be previewed by Mrs. Daniels and Mrs. Maske. Each person must have an entry form turned in with the parent signature. We hope you have been thinking about what you might do for the Variety Show!

## Report Cards

Report cards for the 3rd quarter have been sent home. Please contact the teacher if you have any questions. This is an excellent way to work together with your child's teacher to enhance the education for your child.

## Communication

Reach out to your child's teachers if there seems to be an issue that is troubling you regarding the classroom. Other issues, please see the principal. Thank you for working together.

## Lutheran Summer Camp

It is time to register for Lutheran Summer Camp. Camp is being held this year at: Camp Sherwood Forest at Cuivre River State Park in Troy, MO. Children finishing 4th - 8th grade can register.

Spaces are limited! To ensure a spot please register early. Be sure to register prior to May 15, 2019, to avoid a late registration fee!!

Registrations will not be accepted after June 1, 2019.

Registration Handbooks can be picked up from the school office or by emailing: [lutheransummercamp@gmail.com](mailto:lutheransummercamp@gmail.com).

Camp weeks are as follows:

Campers currently in 4th, 5th or 6th Grade: Sunday, June 16 – Friday, June 21; Directors 4th, 5th & 6th Grade – Chris & Adrienne Schaefer (618-792-4971)

Campers currently in 7th or 8th Grade: Sunday, June 23 – Fri., June 28; Directors 7th & 8th Grade - Mike & Amy Stewart (618-409-1327)



## In Our Prayers This Week

Each week this school year, the faculty will be praying for the school families. Please remember these and others in your prayers.

The families of: Hunter M., Adelynn M., Aria M., Liljana P., Keegan S., Natalie S., Vanessa V., Riley Y.

## Something to Consider...

The First Rules for Communicating

1. Say what you mean, mean what you say, but don't say it mean.
2. Make a good first impression.
3. Smile
4. Say "Good morning," even if it isn't.

Do not be deceived: "Evil company corrupts good habits." – 1 Corinthians 15:33

Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth, but what is good for necessary edification, that it may impart grace to the hearers. – Ephesians 4:29

What an awesome responsibility we have to communicate with each other the Good News of Jesus Christ!

Robert Mayhew, Principal

**The purpose of Good Shepherd Lutheran School is to provide each student with a quality Christian Education. We recognize that this begins with the premise that Jesus Christ is our Lord and Savior and in Him we have eternal life. The curriculum and all activities are developed around this premise.**

# Charger Headlines Continued...

## Cooking for Kids

“Cooking for Kids” is LESA’s largest annual fundraising event to support and sustain the future of Lutheran Christian education in the St. Louis Metro Area. Proceeds from the Cooking For Kids Dinner Auction benefit families who receive Building Blocks Tuition Assistance and are enrolled at member schools, our 500 educators through professional development, curriculum guides, and other cost-saving resources. Since 2004, LESA has awarded more than \$5.1 million in financial assistance to families of all faiths in St. Louis and southern Illinois.

Visit [https://lesa.schoolauction.net/auction2019/register/ticket\\_sales](https://lesa.schoolauction.net/auction2019/register/ticket_sales) to purchase and register online.

## GSLs Auction Reservation - It is Not Too Late

On Saturday, March 23rd, our 35th Annual GSLs Benefit Auction will be held at the Knights of Columbus, 1 Columbus Plaza in Collinsville.

Make your reservation now! Space is limited and you do not want to miss out!

Please complete the attached reservation form by Monday, March 18th and turn it in to the school office.

Tickets are \$30.00 person, tables hold 8

Doors open at 5:30pm.

Silent Auction is from 5:30-7:30pm.

Buffet Dinner from 6:00-7:00pm

Live Auction at 8:00pm

Please consider donating an item: tickets, time share, collectible, gift certificates, etc.

All items big or small may be dropped at the school office or contact us at 618-344-3153.

Your participation is vital to the event’s success.



## Prospective Student Open House

Good Shepherd Lutheran School Open House for Preschool through 8th grade is Sunday, March 24th from 1-3pm. Tours will be available and teachers will be present to answer questions regarding curriculum. Invite your friends/neighbors to attend this Open House to help promote the 2019-20 school year.

This is a great opportunity to learn the advantages of quality Christian education, tour our complex and meet our staff!

Check us out at [www.gslcs.org](http://www.gslcs.org).

## Charger Bucks

Scrip Weekly orders will be processed on Monday, March 18, 25, April 1, 8, & 29. The green order sheets need to be turned in to the school office by 9:00am on Mondays to be processed that week. Walk-up sales will be after school on Fridays and will continue on Sunday mornings between services.

Questions, please contact the school office at 618-344-3153. Tell your family & friends about this program - anyone may participate!

If you have a student who attends MELHS, you can earn tuition credit by purchasing scrip through our Charger Bucks program at Good Shepherd. The ordering process is the same and your tuition credits will be posted to your MELHS account.



# 35<sup>th</sup> Annual GSLS Benefit Auction

Collinsville Knights of Columbus – 1 Columbus Plaza, Collinsville

March 23, 2019

- Doors open at 5:30pm
- Silent Auction from 5:30pm – 7:30pm
- Buffet Dinner from 6pm – 7pm
- Live Auction at 8pm

\$30 per person; tables hold 8

RSVP by March 11, 2019

### Become A Patron

Help underwrite the expenses of the event, so more of the auction proceeds will support the educational needs of the school.

### Donate

Donate a gift card or an item to the silent auction. Donate your company baseball tickets or your extra time share to the live auction. Everything helps!

### Get your Tickets

Space is limited and you don't want to miss out! RSVP by March 11, 2019. We can't wait to see you!

### Raise Your Paddle

Don't be shy! Put in your silent auction bids, then raise your paddle during the live auction and fund-a-need portion of the auction.

### Pray

Gracious Lord, open the hearts of your people to generously support your ministry at Good Shepherd. Let us gather in joy and harmony at this year's auction and help us enrich the lives of your children. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Please fill out the form below and return with payment to the GSLS office to reserve your spot now!

## GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOOL BENEFIT AUCTION RESERVATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Bid Number

Address \_\_\_\_\_

(Office Use only)

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone/Email address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is \$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ reservations

\_\_\_\_\_ Request one bidder number for entire family

\_\_\_\_\_ Request a bidder number for each individual

***(Please list names of all separate bidders on the back of the form)***

\_\_\_\_\_ I am unable to attend but will support the auction with the following donation \$\_\_\_\_\_

*Return completed form and money for reservations or donation to school office.*

### Additional Bidders

Name

Name

Address

Address

City/State/Zip

City/State/Zip

Phone/Email address

Phone/Email address

*Save  
the  
Date*

**3.23.19**

**Good Shepherd Lutheran School**

**Celebrating 35 years!**

**WE'VE GOT  
SCHOOL SPIRIT!  
HOW 'BOUT  
YOU?**

**Annual Benefit Auction  
Collinsville KC Hall**

**Doors open at 5:30pm**

**Silent Auction: 5:30-7:30p**

**Dinner: 6:00p**

**Live Auction: 8:00p**

**Come for food,  
fundraising, and fellowship!**

**GSLs Alumnae:**

**BOGO Free Tickets**

**More info at [gslcs.org](http://gslcs.org)**