

July 2026

Dear Parents,

I hope everyone is having a relaxing and fun-filled summer! It is hard to believe the first day of school is just a few weeks away. With the help of our very dedicated faculty and staff, we are busily preparing school for reopening. **St. Anthony School will be open for the first day of school on Monday, August 17th. On this day, school will begin at 7:30 AM. Students may arrive as early as 7:00 AM. School will dismiss at 11:00 AM.** Grab-and-Go breakfast will be served, but lunch will not. If you plan on walking your child into school on the first day, you are welcome to park in front of school or in front of church. **THERE WILL BE NO KENTON COUNTY BUS SERVICE ON MONDAY, AUGUST 17TH OR TUESDAY, AUGUST 18TH.**

Below is a list of our dedicated faculty and staff who play a vital role in the operations of our school:

Mrs. Lisa Faulhaber – K-1
Ms. Patty Reams – Grades 1-2
Mrs. Rachel Webster – Grades 2-3
Mrs. Veronica Schweitzer – Grades 6 and 7
Ms. Karen Blank – Grades 4-8
Mrs. Catherine Murray – Grades 4-8
Mrs. Carole Simon – Grades 4-8
Sr. Suzanne Rose – Grade 8 Math
Mrs. Tina Walter – Title I Teacher (Covington)
Mrs. Jackie Benkert – Art Instruction Grades K-8
Mrs. Tara Drummond – Music Instruction Grades K-8
Mrs. Lisa Bottom – Administrative Assistant
Mr. Tom Martin – Maintenance
Mr. Bob Hammann – Cafeteria Manager/Cook
Fr. Ivan Kalamuzi -- Pastor

Some important information for you to know is listed below:

1. FEES:

Fees can be paid by mail (485 Grand Avenue, Taylor Mill, KY 41015), or paid at the office by Monday, August 24, 2026. This year, there is a fee of \$50 for all families. This fee will cover expenses for student planners and other necessities. **ALL FEES SHOULD BE PAID BY AUGUST 21, 2026.**

2. SUPPLY LISTS:

Supply lists are attached to this email. A hard copy will be available upon request.

4. UNIFORM INFORMATION:

School uniforms are to be worn by all students (K-6) beginning August 17, 2026.

Uniform regulations are attached to this email. I strongly encourage you to be sure that girls' uniforms, skirts, skorts, and shorts are of appropriate length before the school year begins, and to make it a point to check this throughout the school year. Dress code is often an area of contention with students.

5. SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS:

St. Anthony School has a PTO and Boosters organization.

6. FACTS:

We are using FACTS again this year for tuition and if you wish to apply for tuition assistance. If you already have an account, please be sure to log in to your account and make sure that everything is set up correctly for the first payment in August. Any questions regarding FACTS should be directed to Mrs. Bottom.

7. GRADE BOOK:

We will also be using FACTS for the grade book and communication purposes. Information about logging into the system will be given after the start of the school year.

8. VIRTUS

Please remember that all volunteers need to be Virtus trained. Please go to www.virtusonline.org to sign up and to participate in any training sessions offered. Background checks are required for anyone whose last background check was completed 5 or more years ago. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

9. LUNCHES AND DRINKS: To my knowledge, this year, St. Anthony School will be a part of the USDA's National School Breakfast and School Lunch Programs. At this time, all students in the school will receive a Grab-N-Go bagged breakfast and a Hot Lunch with a drink at no cost to parents.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call school at 431-5987.

Veronica Schweitzer

Principal