

Annual Fund

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The cost of educating each student at St. Bartholomew School, as with most private schools, is greater than the tuition provides for. [The Annual Fund Campaign is essential to help fill this gap between tuition and operating expenses.](#)

Since 1963, St. Bartholomew School has prepared its students with a strong foundation, focused on educating the whole child. St. Bartholomew School is committed to enriching each child's spiritual, intellectual, physical, emotional and social development. Nurturing strong Catholic virtues and moral values helps our students prepare to enter our ever changing society as people who will constructively and intellectually contribute to the world around them.

We need your help to continue this educational tradition.

The Annual Fund Campaign has been designed to help control tuition increases and facilitate program advancements. The Annual Fund is directed entirely by the School Administration and Parish. 100% of your donation will go directly to the school and the strategic goals set by the administration. Your donations will go towards some of the schools most pressing needs, such as:

- Technology in the classrooms
- academic enhancements
- tuition assistance
- teacher support and professional development
- purchase of supplies and equipment
- operating expenses

Please look for information about the Annual Fund Beginning **September 22nd**. As always, thank you for including us in your charitable giving.

Home & School Fundraisers

September 22nd

Annual 5K Run and Walk

Celebrate the beginning of the year with your family at these special events. Come out with your family to spend the morning outside and celebrate our community with this great activity.

October 26th

Trunk or Treat

Park your decorated car and bring treats so students can "trunk or treat" with each other from car to car! Funds raised help support the school!

December 1st

Sweets with Santa

Crafts and a visit from Santa for children of all ages.

February 2nd

Family Movie Night

Look for our invitation to this year's special family movie night at the school!

March 1st

Bingo Night

The 6th Grade Bingo night to raises funds for their school and is a great family night for all ages!

March 22nd

Lenten Fish Fry

Come out and celebrate with the 2nd Annual Lenten Fish Fry. Support the school and enjoy a fun night at the parish with family and friends.

Early May

Annual HSA Gala

The Gala is the most important fundraising event that HSA has each year. This year, we will again host a Cinco de Mayo event! Look for the exact date soon!

Service & Charitable Giving

October

Socktober!

Help us with our month long collection of new men's socks for a local men's shelter.

November

Thanksgiving Food Drive

St. Bartholomew teams up with the Greg Gannon Canned Food Drive to help support those in need during the holiday season. 8th Grade students help lead this project and all our families contributing makes a difference!

December

Adopt-a-Family at Christmas

Each St. Bartholomew Class adopts a family in need to provide them with food and gifts during the Christmas season.

Baby Shower for Mary's House

We collect new pajamas for infants and toiletries for their mothers to be distributed to Mary's House.

January

Coats of Many Colors

As the cold winter is in full swing, we work to collect new or gently used coats, hats, gloves and scarves to be distributed by Catholic Charities to those who are in need.

March

Lenten Food Drive

Families are asked to bring in items of food that correspond with the first letter of their last name. This goes to Catholic Charities to be distributed to local and regional food pantries.

Team Competitions:

Penny Wars (Oct), Soldier's Angels (Nov) and Oral Hygiene Month (Feb) are all events where our house teams compete to see who can earn the most points - and help others!

"Give your hands to serve and your hearts to love."

- Mother Teresa