

We are Champions for Christ!



August 7, 2024

Dear Charger Family,

Happy Wednesday! I am a day early with this week's letter because tomorrow I will be at the Diocese of Toledo Principal Convocation in Fremont. Our new Senior Director of Catholic Education, Kyle Kubik will be leading our meeting. The focus of the meeting is on the new legislation of cell phone free schools by Governor Dewine as well as AI and its effects on school academics.

Do we have a cell phone policy? Yes, we do! The Student Parent Handbook is on the school website. Please familiarize yourself with our school policies and procedures before the year begins. Here is the link: <https://blessedsacramenttoledo.com/school/student-parent-handbook/>

MBSPA Youth Board is asking that all students that are planning on participating in a Fall sport (volleyball, soccer, cross country, flag football) to have their registration forms and payments submitted by **Monday, August 19**. Representatives will be available at the Blessing of the Backpacks in the school gym. Sign up information on the school website!

****There is also a MANDATORY Parent-Student Athlete Sports meeting on Tuesday, August 20 at 6:00 p.m. in the gym. This meeting is REQUIRED for all students playing ANY sport in the 2024-2025 school year. There will be an attendance and code of conduct paper that will need to be signed by the parent and the student at this meeting.** Contact Matt Gabel, President of Youth Board or Liz Walton, Athletic Director with questions.

Friday, August 16 is the Blessing of the Backpacks! We will begin in church at 5:00. Families will then come over to the school to see their classrooms and drop off supplies. The MBSPA has invited food trucks to be on campus so that families may get some dinner or snacks and visit with one another.

IMPORTANT DATES:

- Friday, August 16- Blessing of the Backpacks and Meet the Teacher (5:00-7:00)
- Monday, August 19- First Day of School Grades 1-8 (Staggered Start Kindergarten)
- Tuesday, August 20- Mandatory Athletics Meeting 6:00 p.m. in the gym

The MBSP Treasure Sale begins tomorrow, Thursday, August 8 with a sneak peek! Doors open at 5:00 p.m. and it is \$5 to enter. The treasure sale is open Friday and Saturday from 10-6 and concludes Sunday at 3:00.

In Christ,
Mrs. Melissa Empie
Principal

Please check out the school website at blessedsacramenttoledo.com/school/
"Start by doing what's necessary, then what's possible, and suddenly you are doing the impossible."
St. Francis of Assisi