



# St. Catherine of Siena PTO MEETING

SEPTEMBER 20, 2018

### WHILE WE ARE WAITING TO BEGIN:

1.) Introduce yourself to those you do not know!



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Enter code **#M897** then hit JOIN button to take survey & submit anonymous question or suggestions and vote up favorite questions proposed by others.

3.) Sign up to bring future PTO meeting snacks:

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### AGENDA:

- Gathering - Fellowship
- Opening Prayer
- Welcome and Introductions
- Officer Reports
- PTO Goals & Objectives
- Committee Reports
- **Special Guest:** *Jess Bouldin – Winter Fundraising Event*
- Announcements
- Closing Prayer



### OPENING PRAYER:

Father,

**We thank you for the opportunity to gather this evening.**

**May you guide us to work together & serve you during this meeting.**

**We ask your blessing upon our endeavors & upon all present today.**

**May your love & grace continue to guide us, in everything we do today & in the future.**

**We pray in Jesus name,**

**Amen**



### 2018-2019 PTO EXECUTIVE BOARD:

NAME	ROLE
Sabrina Tinkler	President
Heather Guidugli	Secretary
Amy Muench	Treasurer
Jen Kirst	School Committee Liaison
Elizabeth Bricking	In-School Volunteer Coordinator
Megan Herfel	In-School Volunteer Coordinator
Nicole Green	Fellowship & Events Coordinator
Emily Schwegman	Fellowship & Events Coordinator
Julie Scherer	Principal
Betsy Stegner	School Secretary



### PRESIDENT'S REPORT – Sabrina Tinkler

We will be looking to collect the annual PTO membership dues of \$5 at the next meeting.



**PTO GOALS & OBJECTIVES:**

To help St. Catherine of Siena Ft. Thomas school and our parish to be a place where every student reaches their full potential spiritually, physically, and academically.

**Strategy:** organized communication and welcoming fellowship events that:

- foster more meaningful fellowship leading to friendship among families
- develop open and clear communication between parents, teachers and school administration
- increasing awareness of school and parish in community

becoming the Catholic school of choice in the region leading to increased enrollment



**TREASURER'S REPORT – Amy Muench**

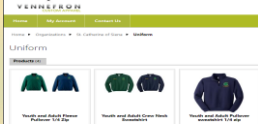
\$360 raised at LaRosa's Dine to Donate!



**WEARABLES:**

**1.) SCHOOL SANCTIONED UNIFORM SWEATSHIRTS & FLEECES:**

Vennefron – 39 ordered!  
Reopening online ordering in October for Christmas orders.



**2.) Spirit Wear – THANK YOU NICOLE SEALY!!!!**

For coordinating all the orders!



**FELLOWSHIP & EVENTS COMMITTEE REPORT –**

**Nicole Green & Emily Schwegman**

Please share Dine to Donate with everyone you know to help raise funds!

School events like Halloween party are open to family friends and neighbors, parishioners, and CCD participants (who would you want at your own family party).

- Builds community and fellowship with our parish and CCD families
- Recruiting tool to introduce other families to the school/parish



**EVENTS RECAP:**



This beat the previous 1400 sandwich total from St. Pius volunteers!  
**Way to go!**



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**DINE TO DONATE/FELLOWSHIP FOOD NIGHT:  
Thursday, October 11 -**



**f** Make sure you "like" *St. Catherine of Siena* Facebook group - so we can build social media presence (easy to forward events to others). Please forward Dine to Donate flier to friends and family (even non-parishioners/non-school attendees can participate).

**G** Post a "Pop-up Party" for take-out meet-up location to encourage fellowship. If the weather is nice, we will try to meet up at Tower Park!



**SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORT – Jen Kirst**

Next meeting is October 2 at 7pm.

Can join Executive, Finance, or Policy review committees.

Suggestions, comments, concerns should be brought up at PTO Meeting or to Jen Kirst to take to School Committee. Sli.do #m697 until 9/26 or pto@stcatherineofsiena.org.



**IN-SCHOOL VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE REPORT–**

**Elizabeth Bricking & Megan Herfel**

Contact Elizabeth for paper sign up sheets for room parent, teacher appreciation events, etc.



**PRINCIPAL REPORT – Julie Scherer**



Please "like" *St. Catherine of Siena* Facebook group and give it a 5 star rating! We need to improve social media rating in case new to area are looking for a great parish and school to join.



**GUEST SPEAKER – Jess Bouldin & Becky Schill  
Winter Fundraising Event Committee Chairs**

Saturday, February 2, 2019 – Belles & Boots  
Planning meeting on Wed., October 3, 7:30pm at Grassroots & Vine. Need co-chairs for 2019-2020!



**WAYS TO HELP FUNDS TO SCHOOL - SET AND GO:**

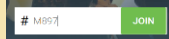
- 1.) **Kroger Rewards** – use Kroger app, My Account, Community Rewards, St. Catherine of Siena Church Ft. Thomas # **80149**
- 2.) **Smile Amazon** - <https://smile.amazon.com>
- 3.) **Box Tops for Education** – School earns 10 cents per General Mills product  
Download "Box Tops Bonus" app from Apple Store to multiply points & scan receipt



Fundraising goal is \$10,000 for the year

**SLIDO SURVEY & OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

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Enter code **#M897** then hit JOIN button to take survey & submit anonymous question or suggestions and vote up favorite questions proposed by others through 9/26/18.

Cafeteria volunteer helpers are needed <http://signup.com/go/CWbkGqt>

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**CAREER DAY**

Looking to assess interest from parents and understanding what careers they would want to talk about with students.

Suggestion to reach out to Mike Smith with NCC for template for recent Career Day.

Survey to go out soon in family folder.



**2018 EVENTS:** Click the Underlined link to view PDF or Sign Up Genius

DATE	DAY	TIME	WHAT
<u>9/20/18</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>
<u>9/23/18</u>	Sunday	4:00-6:00pm	<a href="#">Parish Fest</a>
<u>10/4/18</u>	Thursday	2:30pm	<a href="#">Pet Blessing</a>
<u>10/5/18</u>	Friday	8:00-10:00pm	<a href="#">Drive In Move Night</a>
<u>10/10/18</u>	Wednesday	7:00-7:45am	<a href="#">Walk &amp; Bike to School Day</a>
		TBD	<a href="#">Survey Fundraiser</a>
<u>10/11/18</u>	Thursday	N/A	<a href="#">Fellowship Food Night - Buckhead</a>
<u>10/18/18</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>
<u>10/22/18 - 10/26/18</u>	Monday - Friday	N/A	<a href="#">Red Ribbon Week</a>
<u>10/26/18</u>	Friday	<u>6:00-8:00pm</u>	<a href="#">Halloween Party</a>
<u>10/28, 10/29, 10/30</u>		7:00-8:00pm	<a href="#">Parish Mission</a>
Nov	Month	N/A	<a href="#">Minted Holiday Card Sale</a>
<u>11/3/18</u>	Saturday	7:00-11:00pm	<a href="#">Parent's Night Out-College Night</a>
<u>11/15/18</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>
<u>11/8/18</u>	Sunday	N/A	<a href="#">Fellowship Food Night- Buffalo Wild Wings</a>
<u>12/13/18</u>	Thursday	N/A	<a href="#">Fellowship Food Night - City BBQ</a>
<u>12/20/18</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>



**2019 EVENTS:** Click the Underlined link to view PDF or Sign Up Genius

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<u>1/9/19</u>	Thursday	N/A	<a href="#">Fellowship Food Night-Skyline</a>
<u>1/12/19</u>	Saturday	7:00-9:00pm	<a href="#">Father - Daughter Dance</a>
<u>1/17/19</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>
<u>1/31/19</u>	Wednesday	N/A	<a href="#">Family Dinner Night</a>
<u>2/2/19</u>	Saturday	7:00-11:00pm	<a href="#">Blue Jean Ball</a>
<u>2/14/19</u>	Thursday	N/A	<a href="#">Fellowship Food Night</a>
<u>2/23/19</u>	Saturday	7:00-9:00pm	<a href="#">Mother - Son Party</a>
<u>2/28/19</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>
<u>3/8/19</u>	Friday	5:00-7:30pm	<a href="#">Friday Fellowship Fish Fry</a>
<u>3/15/19</u>	Friday	5:00-7:30pm	<a href="#">Friday Fellowship Fish Fry</a>
<u>3/21/19</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>
<u>3/22/19</u>	Friday	5:00-7:30pm	<a href="#">Friday Fellowship Fish Fry</a>
<u>3/29/19</u>	Friday	5:00-7:30pm	<a href="#">Friday Fellowship Fish Fry</a>
<u>4/5/19</u>	Friday	5:00-7:30pm	<a href="#">Friday Fellowship Fish Fry</a>
<u>4/12/19</u>	Friday	5:00-7:30pm	<a href="#">Friday Fellowship Fish Fry</a>
<u>4/25/19</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>
<u>4/29/19-5/5/19</u>	April/May	N/A	<a href="#">Flower Sale</a>
<u>5/3/18</u>	Friday	TBD	<a href="#">Grandparent's Day/Walk-a-Thon</a>
<u>5/9/19</u>	Thursday	5:00-7:30pm	<a href="#">Fellowship Food Night-Marco's Pizza</a>
<u>5/16/19</u>	Thursday	6:30-8:00pm	<a href="#">PTO Meeting</a>



**CLOSING PRAYER:**



**FINAL COMMENTS:**

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