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## WE CELEBRATE



*Students celebrate the beauty and fun in the life God has given them.*

*Special feasts are occasions of celebration, like Christmas, Easter and feast days of saints, especially St. Charles Borromeo. Classes have Halloween, Christmas, and Valentine parties and embark on educational field trips to museums, zoos, historical centers, state capital, and arts and crafts shops, to name a few.*

*Students learn to spread the joy of Jesus by sharing their talents with others when they visit nursing homes and when they make get well cards and birthday cards.*

Facts about St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School:

- ◆ Certified teaching staff
- ◆ Fully accredited by the State
- ◆ High academic standards
- ◆ Small class sizes
- ◆ Young Fives through Grade 5
- ◆ Language Enrichment Opportunity
- ◆ Before and after school child care
- ◆ Hot lunch program
- ◆ Active Parent-Teacher Organization
- ◆ Advisory Board
- ◆ Parent volunteers
- ◆ Tuition assistance: grants & scholarships

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## St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School

*Building a culture of holiness in our community for over 70 years.*



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### PHILOSOPHY

Each staff member and student of St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School recognizes that we are fellow disciples of Jesus, the unseen teacher present in every classroom.

### WE PRAY



- WEEKLY MASS
- DAILY CLASS PRAYER
- CHAPEL DEVOTIONS
- BENEDICTION / CHAPLET OF  
DIVINE MERCY
- ROSARY
- STATIONS OF THE CROSS
- ADVENT EVENING PRAYER

### MISSION STATEMENT

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School nurtures unity between Faith and culture in our students by providing academic excellence and a spiritual and intellectual encounter with Jesus Christ, developing the whole person as a reflection of Jesus.

### WE LEARN



St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School holds the highest standards in curriculum following the guidelines set by the Diocese of Kalamazoo and the State of Michigan.

Besides the regular curriculum of Theology, Math, Language Arts, Science and Social Studies; students participate in Physical Education, Art, Music, Language (Spanish), and Technology (computers).

### APOLOGIA

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School embraces a rich tradition of learning while preparing our students for the future. Administration, faculty and staff members work in partnership with our families to educate and develop the whole child through academic fundamentals, creative arts, technology, language arts enrichment and Theology in full fidelity to Christ and His Church. This learning enables students to appreciate and honor God's creation while developing intellectually, socially, emotionally and spiritually. Our approach, enriched with prayer, liturgy and service opportunities, establishes a firm foundation for each student's God-given vocation and builds a culture of holiness in our community.

### WE HELP



Students are encouraged to become involved in the community, especially in helping those in need:

- Collecting food for the Food Pantry
- Collecting toys for Toys For Tots
- Mailing care packages to soldiers
- Helping Beginnings Care for Life
- Hosting bake sales for the Shelterhouse