

## St. Charles Children's Choir 2021-2022 Season

I am so thrilled to be leading this choir again and can't wait to have a fun time singing and praising God! This choir is open to all children from 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade. We sing at the 8:30am Family Mass once a month. We will also sing at a pending Advent Concert and the Christmas Eve Mass. Later in the spring, we sing at First Communion Mass as well as Easter Morning Mass.

### Children's Choir Calendar 2021-2022

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| <b>September 12</b> Mass is at 8:30am              | Please arrive at 8:00am |
| <b>October 24</b> Mass is at 8:30am                | Please arrive at 8:00am |
| <b>November 14</b> Mass is at 8:30am               | Please arrive at 8:00am |
| <b>December 5</b> Mass is at 8:30am                | Please arrive at 8:00am |
| <b>Advent Sing</b>                                 | <b>TBD</b>              |
| <b>Dec 24 Christmas Eve Mass</b> 3:00pm            | Please arrive at 2:20pm |
| <b>January 30</b> Mass is at 8:30am                | Please arrive at 8:00am |
| <b>February 13</b> Mass is at 8:30am               | Please arrive at 8:00am |
| <b>March 20</b> Mass is at 8:30am                  | Please arrive at 8:00am |
| <b>April 17 EASTER</b> Mass is at 8:30am           | Please arrive at 8:00am |
| <b>May 7 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Mass 10:30am</b> | Please arrive at 9:45am |
| <b>May 7 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Mass 1:00pm</b>  | TBD                     |
| End of the Year Party/Lunch                        | Date/Time: TBD          |

The rehearsal schedule for Tuesday from 3:15-4pm are:

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| September 7, 14, 28   | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |
| October 5, 12, 19     | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |
| November 2, 9, 23, 30 | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |
| December 7, 14        | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |
| Dec 18, 2021          | Christmas Rehearsal | TBD         |
| January 18, 25        | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |
| February 1, 8         | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |
| March 8, 15, 29       | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |
| April 5, 12, 26       | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |
| May 1                 | Meet in the Church  | 3:15-4:00pm |

**I ask that each child attend at least one rehearsal before the upcoming Mass that they want to sing at.** The students who I have cantor and solo are those who attend rehearsals regularly.

**All students who attend must fill out the Health Screening Form every time they come to a rehearsal and/or Mass.**

Health Screening Link:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1xbwCnkU99eFG62KnFIX7LSXukh-zc\\_H4uMxabcupMIzs/edit?ts=61315bb5](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1xbwCnkU99eFG62KnFIX7LSXukh-zc_H4uMxabcupMIzs/edit?ts=61315bb5)

I've created a Shutterfly group page for our St Charles Children's Choir that has our calendar, rehearsal schedule, etc. and a way for me to send emails and reminders to the group. In addition to our Tuesday after-school rehearsals, we may have a few extra rehearsals for our pending Concert, Christmas and Easter. Those dates will be added on the Shutterfly calendar as needed.

**If your child is singing in the choir this season, please sign up to be a member of the site.**

Shutterfly site: <http://stcharleschildrenschoir.shutterfly.com>

I am looking forward to singing with your child. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at [smurphy@stcharlesparish.org](mailto:smurphy@stcharlesparish.org)

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