

## St. Helen Family & School Association e-Newsletter - August 2, 2006



### We're excited ! You're Invited !

Please join other friends of St. Helen School at the formal dedication of our new play structure on **Friday, August 25, 2006 at 8:30 a.m.**

Welcome by Mrs. Marianne Johnson, Principal  
 Presentation by Rev. Richard Milek, Pastor  
 Blessing by Bishop John R. Manz

Reception immediately following. St. Helen School gratefully acknowledges the generous support of the many friends of the playground, in particular: The Illinois Humane Society, The Morse Family and Bernice Jachim.

### Register for Preschool

St. Helen School will be opening a third class for the 2006-07 school-year. St. Helen's preschool is accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children, [NAEYC](#) and provides a nurturing, stimulating environment where children grow socially, intellectually, spiritually, and physically. Click here to download our early childhood brochure [Preschool-Kindergarten Brochure](#) and here to view the [Preschool Photo Album](#). School tours can be scheduled by contacting the school office at 773-486-1055.



### Festival Sponsorships Due

Please spread the word about the advertising opportunities available at this neighborhood event! We have a great location just south of Wicker Park on major streets (August Blvd. and Western Ave.). Click this link to view the [Location Map](#). To receive full benefits, the [Festival Sponsorship Form](#) must be received by **August 15, 2006**. To view photos from last year's Festival, visit our [Festival 2005 Photo Galleries](#) and to view the Festival layout, download the [Festival Map](#). Please support your community school! All sponsorship packages are customizable. Individual donations are also welcome!

### Elvis© Nite

Planning for the St. Helen Elvis© Nite featuring [The Rick Saucedo Show](#) is underway! The event is open to the community and will be held at the **St. Helen Social Center on November 4, 2006**. Doors open at 6 p.m., show runs from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. with dancing afterwards! A \$25 donation is requested which includes food. Tickets will go on sale soon. **For more information, reply to this email or contact the rectory at 773-235-3575.**





### Market Day

Open to the community, Market Day is a unique fundraiser offering a wide selection of over 180 high quality foods at competitive prices, many of which are not available in your grocery store. **Orders can be placed online** at [www.marketday.com](http://www.marketday.com). Select *St. Helen - No. 5562* as your benefactor and St. Helen will receive a 10% contribution on your order. Flyers are also available at the school office. **The next pick up for St. Helen is September 9 at 10:45 a.m. in the School Gym (Social Center).**

You can also order Market Day products through **Peapod**, [www.peapod.com](http://www.peapod.com). Select *St. Helen - No. MD5652* as your benefactor. Your Market Day products will be delivered to your home with your next grocery order and St. Helen will receive a 5% contribution on all Market Day products purchased.

### St. Helen Chess Tournament

A registration form for the *free* Mini Chess Tournament will be sent home to school families and is also available online by clicking here [Chess Tournament Sign Up Flyer](#). Space is limited, so please return your form to the school office by August 25, 2006. Both the tournament and chess club registration will occur at the school's open house on **August 30, 2006**. The club will meet on Tuesdays from 3-4 p.m. in the Bingo Kitchen and is open to St. Helen students (K-8). The first session will run from September 12 to October 31.



### E-newsletter Subscription Information

*FSA announcement emails are sent twice a month. The emails are sent "blind copy" to the FSA email list which contains 300 email addresses for members of the St. Helen community ( parents, teachers, administrators, parishioners and community members.)*

*If you would like to submit project highlights for the e-Newsletter, please send an email to [info@sthelenchicago.org](mailto:info@sthelenchicago.org).*

*If you would like your name removed from the FSA email list, please reply to this email. Individuals can **subscribe to the email list** on the FSA's web page, <http://www.sthelenchicago.org/associations>*

### E-newsletter Link References:

Links in this newsletter reference the school's website at [www.sthelenchicago.org](http://www.sthelenchicago.org). Photo Galleries can be found under *Our Community > Photo Gallery*. Forms and schedules can be found under *Our Community > Document Center*.