**Manchester Homecoming Parade**

**Saturday, Sept. 11, 2021**

**Where you need to be:** The Journey Church, 625 Meramec Station Road **Manchester**, **MO** 63021

**When do you need to be there:** Saturday, September, 11, 2021 at 9:15 am

**What do I need to bring:** Your instrument, water bottle (FILLED)

**What do I need to wear:** Wear your Parkway South Bands Pep Band Shirt, socks and tennis shoes, swim/beach paraphernalia (goggles, floaties, swim trunks, sunscreen, hats, etc.) This year’s theme is Under The Sea

**What will I be doing:** We will “march” from The Journey Church to Southwest Middle, in a roundabout way, as part of the Manchester Community in the parade. We plan to perform, The Fight Song, Gimme Some Lovin and maybe something else (drumline will do cadences).

We will have to get instruments from the school on Friday night and take them home, which works out since we have band Friday night. You will need to come to The Journey Church on Saturday morning to be dropped off. You will need to be picked up at Southwest Middle BUT drive to it using the South High road, I think its called Wren Road? The one that goes by the stadium. Do NOT stop at South High. There is an ACT being given and no students will be allowed in the building. The parade usually lasts around an hour. Students should be ready around 11:00 am.

When you are released from the parade, get some food and some rest. Be back at school at 2:00 pm for rehearsal. At 6:00 pm we will have a parent preview of the Press Start show. It could be very hot. Bring water, sunscreen, hats, all that kind of stuff.

We will make sure you get a shorty food break so bring some snacks. You can get DINNER after the show.