



Registration

Registration numbers are used to help determine budget and staffing for the upcoming year. **Additionally, registration is available on a first come basis.** K3 is capped at 20 students and K4-8th are capped at 25 students per class. **Registration is complete and your student's class seat is secured when all registration fees, forms and choice application (if applicable) are submitted.** Please note all registrations must be submitted online (there are no paper registrations). A registration form must be filled out for each child in your family. One tuition preference form is also required per student (page 5 of the electronic registration form). Links to sign up for FACTS and the parental choice applications can be found on the online registration form, as well as below. If you have any questions or need help, please contact the office.

Letters of Encouragement

As we approach Forward Testing, we ask that all parents of students in grades 3-8 write a letter of encouragement for their child. Letters should be returned to teachers in a sealed envelope with your child's name on the front. Please see the email that was sent by your child's teacher this week for more information.

Trimester Two

The end of the trimester is on Wednesday, March 6, 2024. Report cards for grades 1-8 will go home on Friday, March 15, 2024.

Clubs

The last day for trimester two clubs will be Wednesday, March 6, 2024. Threads club will continue for a few weeks into trimester three as the students are completing a project. Please contact Mrs. Thompson for more details/questions about Threads end date. Trimester three clubs will begin on Monday, March 11, 2024.

St. Gerard's Scholarships

We are pleased to announce that the St. Gerard Fund will be accepting applications for Catholic school scholarships for students currently in grades 2-8. The St. Gerard Fund has expanded to provide scholarships to deserving 8th graders who will be attending a Catholic high school in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. The St. Gerard Fund will award up to 100 scholarships for the 2024-25 school year in the amount of \$800 each to students in grades 3-8, and \$1000 to 9th grade students enrolled at a Catholic high school in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.

Awards will be based primarily on:

1. Demonstrated volunteerism by the student and the student's family in the school, church, or community.
2. Academic achievement or demonstrated academic effort by the Student.
3. Special financial need of the student's family.

Applications are due to the school office by Friday, April 5, 2024. See attached [flyer](#) for more information

Buddy Masses

Divine Mercy's Parish School and Christian Formation Masses (formerly Buddy Masses) are an opportunity for youth from both Divine Mercy Catholic School and Divine Mercy Parish to grow as prayerful leaders. All Masses are held at Divine Mercy Parish (800 Marquette Ave, South Milwaukee, WI 53172). We invite students to sign up and participate during these masses – families are invited to join, attend mass, and connect with all parish members. Students may sign up to greet parishioners, read, present the gifts, or assist Ushers. All students are encouraged to sign up! Below are the links for the remaining Masses. Please consider signing up!

- [K5 & 5th Grade 3/17/2024](#)
 - [K4 & 6th 4/14/2024](#)
 - [All students 5/12/2024](#)
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Stations of the Cross

Come join us as we pray stations of the cross throughout the Lenten season. Students from our buddy classes will be presenting the stations, each from a different perspective. All are welcome, parents, families, friends and parishioners. We hope to see you and pray with you.

- Grades 3rd and 8th March 7, 2024 at 1:30 p.m.
 - Grades 5th and K5 March 12, 2024 at 1:30 p.m.
 - Grades 4th and 1st March 27, 2024 at 1:30 p.m.
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Dates to remember:

- 3/3- 3/5 - Parish Mission
 - 3/4 Spirit Day- wear your Divine Mercy Spirit wear with uniform bottoms
 - 3/7 Stations of the Cross- 8th and 3rd grade, 1:30 p.m. in the gym. All are welcome!
 - 3/22 - Early Release Day 11:30am
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Attachments

- [2024-25 Registration Link](#)
- [Parental Choice Application](#)
- [St. Gerard Scholarship](#)
- [Parish Mission](#)
- [Stations of the Cross and Musical Reflections](#)
- [March 2024 Lunch Menu](#)