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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are conducting our registration process this Spring to help with our Fall planning. While you may not know your family's exact schedule, it is less complicated in the Fall to make changes rather than add a spot. It will also offer you the opportunity to participate in the summer program as an option for Grades 3 - 6 and helps us anticipate classrooms needs for the Fall.

As parents, your role is crucial to imparting a faith and value system that your children can rely on as they go through life. Often, they learn most through our actions. As a parish, we want to support both you and your children as they begin their faith journey. While recognizing that you are pulled in many directions, we are asking that you make their religious formation a priority. This begins with our coming together for Mass to worship God and support each other. Religious Education seeks to deepen the faith knowledge that you share with them and seeks to connect their faith to everyday life. We ask your help to make this an effective learning environment by attending worship services and classes, by being on time, and by having your children ready to participate.

You and your children are an important part of our parish. We seek to work with you in the faith formation of your children. It works best when this is a combined effort of you, the teachers and our parish. We need to hear from you as we go through the year! Your input is important and helps us to be more effective. Feel free to contact me at 908-874-3141 x 224 if you have any questions or concerns.

Jim Jungels



Director of Religious Education

P.S. Please prayerfully consider helping in the program, especially as a teacher. We can help with the teaching tools, but we need people of faith who love working with children. Our children and our parish need you. Please contact me to learn about what is involved. For more ideas on how to be involved please refer to the Volunteer form included in this packet.

Virtus training, fingerprinting & a Diocesan application must be completed & turned in before you can be a volunteer and work with/or be around any student. Please see us for forms & information.