

August 7, 2023

Dear Parents,

Greetings in Christ Jesus! May the grace and peace of our Divine Savior be with you!

Religious Education 2023-2024 Registration forms for grades K-8 are enclosed. Please complete and return the forms and payment one of the following ways:

- 1. Mail them to Divine Grace Parish at the address above, Attn: Religious Education.
- 2. Drop them off at the parish or school office, in an envelope marked Attn: Religious Education. There is a mailbox outside the parish office.

On the registration form you will see that tuition for the year is \$100 per student, with a \$25 Sacramental fee for students receiving a Sacrament. This Sacramental fee defrays the cost of a few extras that are included during a Sacramental preparation year. There is an additional fee of \$75 per family for non-parish members. If you are not a registered parishioner, you are invited to contact the parish office at 654-2500 to officially become a member of Divine Grace Parish.

Religious Education Registration and payment are due by **Sunday**, **September 10**, **2023**. If you are unable to make a full payment at this time or are in need of financial assistance, please contact me at the parish office or by email.

If you are enrolling family members for the first time, you will need to fill out the Sacramental Record on the back of the registration form. Also, I must have a copy of the Baptismal Certificate of all newly enrolled students who were <u>not</u> baptized at Divine Grace.

Enclosed you will find a Medical Treatment Release form that will need to be returned for each child being enrolled. Please make additional copies as needed or contact me for the same. The Archdiocese of Detroit requires that we have new forms on file each year.

A calendar for the year is also enclosed. Classes begin in October and continue into May. Classes are from 9:30 to 10:45 at St. Patrick School. Please note additional classes and meetings for Sacramental preparation years (grades 2 and 8).

New this year: Religious Education includes attending the 11:00 Mass with other students after morning catechism class. Details, instructions, and arrangements will follow.

Lastly, please make sure I have your updated email address and cell phone number on the registration form. I will be communicating most changes, updates, and reminders via email.

May the Lord Jesus bless your family in this new school year!

Sincerely,

Timothy Bolster Director of Religious Education dre@divinegraceparish.com

