



Our Lady of Consolation **CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

Parent Association Meeting
August 15, 2024

Mission Statement

Our Lady of Consolation School actively invites students and their families to a deeper relationship with Christ Jesus through the Sacraments, education, prayer, and service. We strive to be a Christ-centered Catholic community that welcomes, serves and guides people to a life of holiness.

THE FUNCTION OF THE PARENTS ASSOCIATION:

The Parents Association functions under the OLC School Board. Through subcommittees of this organization, volunteers are sought to assist in activities of the association. The Parents Association is an essential part of Our Lady of Consolation School, with the purpose to bring about a closer cooperation between parent and school. It provides assistance to the school in a variety of ways.

The objectives of the Parents Association are:

1. To advance the religious and educational welfare of all children in the parish community through efforts of parents and teachers,
2. To promote an interest in educational matters and understanding of the mutual responsibilities of parents and teachers in education.
3. To provide steady communication between school and home.
4. To encourage a high standard of family living.
5. To enhance the spirituality of all members.
6. To make a positive impact on our parish community as a whole.

Meeting Agenda

Opening Prayer – Father Dominic

Pastors Report - Father Dominic

Welcome 9 new families to OLC!

Treasurer's Report – Nick Pash

- Report coming soon.
- PA supports: Robotics, Christmas Bonus & Luncheon, Farm School, ETC.

Principal's Report – Kevin Varner

- New mission statement review with parents– see above

- OLC School theme for this year: Be the hands and feet of Jesus. We hope to have both students and families involved.
- Parenting Series coming- topics to be finalized.
- Cell phone & smart devices policy coming
- Beau Petersen – Therapy dog coming soon this fall
- Strive for 5 – Minimal tardies and absences this year
- Please have last name on a sign in bold black in car at pick up
 - A-L Parish Lot
 - M-Z School Lot

President's Report – Megan Parker

- Social Coordinator Needed

Bazaar- Jamie Holtrop

- **November 16th – 50th Year**
- Volunteers Needed
- Vendors Needed
- Facebook Page is active.

Amy Pereira

- OLCEF – gave school \$140,000
- OLC GALA - October 19th, 2024
- Sponsorship tables available

New Head Room Parents

- Gina Peterson
- Joe Abrams

Athletics Report – Mr. Z

- Sports physical form needed for ALL athletes as of April 2024
- Golf Outing September 21st
 - Moved to North Kent
 - Donations needed
 - Volunteers needed
 - Teams can sign up

Helper Helper – Abby Petersen

- All volunteer opportunities will be on this app
- Every family 20 hours or more
- Virtus training required for all volunteers

Little Flowers- Megan Kaluzny

- K – 5th grade Girls
- Meet Monthly after school
- See flier

SCRIPT- Kathleen Benton

- Gift cards available in office. Many cards on hand

- SCRIPT gift Certificates available
- Purchase in office or on Raise Right App

Closing Prayer – Jaclyn Wheeler

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Head Room Parent	Gina Peterson / Joe Abraham

