



# St. Mary Help of Christians Catholic Church

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Dear Parents of the School Students of  
St. Mary Help of Christians Catholic School  
and Parishioners of St. Mary's:

Registration of your children as students of our Grade School for the school year 2007-2008 has begun.

Enclosed is Father LeBlanc's [Letter \(click here\) Concerning Active Membership](#) in our Catholic Parish Church, i.e., being registered, attending weekly Sunday and Holy Day Mass, and contributing to the support of this parish. We are also enclosing some excerpts from Pope John Paul II's [Letter \(click here\) "On Keeping the Lord's Day Holy \(Dies Domini\)."](#) Our Holy Father stresses the great importance to the Church of Christ – and to every Christian – of regular weekly Sunday Mass attendance, which is both our grave obligation (## 36, 46 et seq.) and our very great privilege.

Will you please make the effort to read carefully and to accept lovingly these two very important policy statements of our Catholic Church. Please share them with your children - our students of our Catholic Grade School.

Also enclosed is a [Form \(click here\) of Active Member Affirmation](#) for you and your children to complete and to sign. We call upon you to affirm that you are now and will remain registered, attending and contributing members of our Parish Church. If that is your intention, please have your children sign this form, also yourselves, and then return it to the school with your registration application for the school year 2007-2008.

If you do not wish to, or you are unable to, register claiming to be Active Members of our Catholic Parish Church and seeking the discounted tuition rates that such membership supports, then there is no need for you to complete and to return the form of Active Member Affirmation.

Thank you.

Rev. James L. LeBlanc  
Pastor

Mrs. Marguerite B. Wertz  
Grade School Principal