



HMKids **SPIRIT**



Dear Parents,

As you are well aware parents have always had the first responsibility for raising children in the faith. Thanks to the coronavirus, that's about to get real. But more than that, we parents know how valuable it is for us to have a personal relationship with Jesus. When you make religious education an integral part of your family's life, the connections start showing up everywhere. Life isn't the same and we here at Holy Martyrs wish to work with our families and help our community make decisions for the good of our families, the community and our world. Having said that we would like to ask you to help us design an environment for continuing the growth of faith in your family while recognizing we all have different opinions on how that ought to work. After consulting with numerous area schools, teachers and principals, the pastoral staff is proposing several tracks for the coming year.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Track I** would be return to HM Kids with the intention of having 1 class per grade on: Monday and Wednesday for names ending in A – M, Tuesday and Thursday for names ending in M – Z, from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m., with no more than 10 children/class wearing a mask and social distancing.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Track II** would be a combination of HM Kids with virtual classes for those who do not wish to be on campus. This would have the class on campus recording a Zoom class as well as a link for those who could not do the time frame offered. Please be aware that there will be a requirement to show that your child has completed the work for each lesson.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Track III** would be virtual classes via Zoom. This option would be in lieu of Governor DeWine declaring no opening for schools or should the governor decide mid-year to close schools.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Track IV** would be a combination of both: begin the year on campus and if necessary move to a virtual class via Zoom if required by the governor.

For those who are experiencing financial or health issues due to COVID, we are offering a reduced fee for 2020-21. If your circumstances have remained the same then we ask that you pay your normal fee as in past years.

**We have enclosed a copy of our 2020/2021 School Year Registration forms.  
Classes will begin on September 14-15-16-17, 2020.**

**Please complete these forms and return them to us before September 10th.**

Yours truly in Christ,

Diane Bruce  
Director of Faith Formation

***SPIRIT* LETTER ON BACK**



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Hello SPIRIT Parents,

The biggest question that I have been getting is “When is SPIRIT going to start?” I can say with certainty that our SPIRIT program is going to begin September 13, 2020. I highly encourage you to register your student for the SPIRIT Youth Group. SPIRIT helps to prepare students for Confirmation while also helping them to understand their faith through small groups, fun activities and prayer. In addition to SPIRIT there will be Confirmation sessions. We are working on the details for both programs.

SPIRIT will be held from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm on Sundays as it has for the last 2 years. At this point, we are looking at both virtual and in person sessions. This may change, but we need to get registration information to you. My strongest suggestion for the most up to date current information is to look at our Holy Martyrs website at [holymartyrs.net](http://holymartyrs.net) under the SPIRIT Heading. I also use Facebook with the name Holy Martyrs SPIRIT and Instagram. Flocknote emails are also sent. If you are not receiving these emails, please contact me at [smcquate@holymartyrs.net](mailto:smcquate@holymartyrs.net) to get your email address into our system.

If you have questions or concerns call or email me at [smcquate@holymartyrs.net](mailto:smcquate@holymartyrs.net). Thank you for allowing me to have the opportunity to work with your kids. This has truly been a blessing for me over the last 2 years.

Thanks!  
Skip McQuate  
SPIRIT Youth Coordinator

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330-952-1466 HMKids Office  
[www.holymartyrs.net](http://www.holymartyrs.net)

**SPIRIT**



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**HOLY MARTYRS CHURCH**

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**SCHOOL YEAR 2020-2021— Sessions Begin Sept 14-15-16-17, 2020**

**HMKids Registration (Grades 1st - 6th)**

Holy Martyrs HMKids exists to support parents and families in the forming of children in their faith. The program is open to students in grades 1-6 who do not attend a parochial school. HMKids at Holy Martyrs teaches the basic knowledge and beliefs of the Catholic faith and works along with parents to develop a relationship with Jesus as well as Catholic values in every child. It also prepares students for the sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation.

**Classrooms at Church Grades 1-6:** We will be offering four days of classes this year:

Last Name begins **A through M** will attend class Monday or Wednesday from 6:00PM-7:00PM at Church

Last Name begins **N through Z** will attend class Tuesday or Thursday from 6:00PM-7:00PM at Church.

**Zoom classrooms** will be recorded once a week for each grade level. Your child will watch their class at their convenience. Please indicate your preference on your family registration form.

***“SPIRIT” is a two year preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation  
Grades 7 & 8 meets on Sunday starting with Mass at 5PM  
Followed by their session from 6:00PM-7:00PM.***

**Please complete the following steps for registration:**

1. List All Children on the attached form for both HMKids ( Grades 1-6) and SPIRIT (Grades 7-8)
2. Only One Emergency Medical Form is Needed for the entire family. Please make sure you note each Child’s medical information and Allergies.
3. Sign the Photo Release Form.
4. Please include your Registration Fee with your Registration Form.
5. Please complete and Return the Time and Talent Sign Up Sheet

**Please return all forms via:**

- ◆ **Regular Mail**
- ◆ **E-Mail**
- ◆ **Drop off @ Parish Office in the brown wood box outside the door**
- ◆ **Text to 330-391-8265 Photo**

***Yours truly in Christ,  
Diane Bruce  
Director of Faith Formation***

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HMkids (Grades 1st - 6th AND and *SPIRIT*—Grades 7 & 8)

SCHOOL YEAR: 2020—2021

Sessions Begin Sept 14-15-16-17

**Check time preference:**  
**CLASSROOM AT CHURCH**

Last Name A-M Mon/Wed Grades 1-6 6:00 pm—7:00 pm  
Last Name N-Z Tues/Thurs Grades 1-6 6:00 pm—7:00 pm

**ZOOM CLASSROOM**

Each week a class will be recorded for each grade level for your child to view at their convenience.

**Sunday SPIRIT Grades: 7&8**

Start :5:00 Mass

Session to follow 6:00 to 7:00pm.

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mom Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Dad Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

**For Holy Martyrs to Communicate with your family we must have your e-mail address:**

Mother's E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Lives with:  Both Parents  Mother  Father  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Other \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Student First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_ School Child Attends: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size : Youth:  S  M  L  XL Adult:  S  M  L  XL

Please check one: Attending Class at Church A-M  Monday  Wednesday

N-Z  Tuesday  Thursday

Attending Zoom Class on A-M  Monday  Wednesday

N- Z  Tuesday  Thursday

Student First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_ School Child Attends: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size : Youth:  S  M  L  XL Adult:  S  M  L  XL

Please check one: Attending Class at Church A-M  Monday  Wednesday

N-Z  Tuesday  Thursday

Attending Zoom Class on A-M  Monday  Wednesday

N- Z  Tuesday  Thursday

Student First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_ School Child Attends: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size : Youth:  S  M  L  XL Adult:  S  M  L  XL

Please check one: Attending Class at Church A-M  Monday  Wednesday

N-Z  Tuesday  Thursday

Attending Zoom Class on A-M  Monday  Wednesday

N- Z  Tuesday  Thursday

Student First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_ School Child Attends: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size : Youth:  S  M  L  XL Adult:  S  M  L  XL

Please check one: Attending Class at Church A-M  Monday  Wednesday

N-Z  Tuesday  Thursday

Attending Zoom Class on A-M  Monday  Wednesday

N- Z  Tuesday  Thursday

**HOLY MARTYRS**

**HMKIDS & SPIRIT REGISTRATION FEES**

FAMILY NAME \_\_\_\_\_

_____ FIRST CHILD	\$85.00	Child's Name _____	\$ _____
_____ SECOND CHILD	\$65.00	Child's Name _____	\$ _____
_____ THIRD CHILD	\$50.00	Child's Name _____	\$ _____
_____ FOURTH CHILD		Child's Name _____	\$ _____

\*Family Maximum is \$200.00.

2nd Grade Sacramental Preparation fee for First Holy Communion \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\$35.00

8th Grade Sacrament Preparation fee for Confirmation \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\$45.00

FAMILY TOTAL FEE PAYABLE TO HOLY MARTYRS CHURCH \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**COVID Related**  
**Special Circumstance**

For those who are experiencing financial and health issues due to the COVID,  
A reduced fee as follows will be offered:

Family with One Child	\$40.00	\$ _____
Family with Two Children	\$50.00	\$ _____
Family with Three Children	\$65.00	\$ _____
More than Three Children– Family Max is \$100.00.		\$ _____

2nd Grade First Holy Communion Sacramental Prep Fee	\$35.00	\$ _____
8th Grade Confirmation Sacramental Prep Fee	\$45.00	\$ _____

FAMILY TOTAL FEE PAYABLE TO HOLY MARYS CHURCH \$ \_\_\_\_\_

The parishioners of Holy Martyrs generously subsidize the costs related to the religious education of our children. The fees you pay are necessary for us to provide a quality religious education program not only for your child but for all the children in our program.

We recognize that special circumstances may prevent some families from doing all they would like to support their children's program. ***It is the policy of Holy Martyrs Parish that no child will be excluded from religious education for financial reasons.*** If any family needs a waiver of fees, they are asked to contact Diane Bruce or Father Steve Dohner. All discussions are confidential.

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR CHECK TO  
HOLY MARTYRS CHURCH  
3100 OLD WEYMOUTH ROAD, MEDINA, OHIO 44256**

**Holy Martyrs HMKids**  
**EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION FORM 2020—2021**

(Ohio Revised Code 3313.712)

Purpose: To enable parents and guardians to authorize the provision of emergency treatment for children who become ill or injured while under Holy Martyrs authority, when parents or guardians cannot be reached. This information will be shared, as necessary, with youth ministers, parish administrative staff and medical personnel.

It is extremely important that you provide **ANY** pertinent medical history of information about existing conditions that may affect your child. This information is needed by any hospital or practitioner not having access to your child's medical history.

**STUDENT**

**NAME**

(Please print)

\_\_\_\_\_ Last

\_\_\_\_\_ First

\_\_\_\_\_ Middle

Medical Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Medications: \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

**STUDENT**

**NAME**

(Please print)

\_\_\_\_\_ Last

\_\_\_\_\_ First

\_\_\_\_\_ Middle

Medical Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Medications: \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

**STUDENT**

**NAME**

(Please print)

\_\_\_\_\_ Last

\_\_\_\_\_ First

\_\_\_\_\_ Middle

Medical Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Medications: \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

**EMERGENCY CONTACTS (OTHER THAN RESIDENTIAL PARENT OR GUARDIAN)**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Photo /Video Release**

I/we hereby give consent to photograph or videotape aforesaid student and without limitation to use such photographs or videotapes and stories in connection with any work of the Holy Martyrs Church without consideration of any kind, and I do hereby release Holy Martyrs Church from any claims whatsoever which may arise in said regard.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**PART I OR II MUST BE COMPLETED**

**Part I: TO GRANT CONSENT**

I hereby give consent for the following medical care providers and local hospital to be called:

Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Dentist: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Specialist: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

In the event reasonable attempts to contact me have been unsuccessful, I hereby give my consent for: 1) the administration of any treatment deemed necessary by above named doctors, or, in the event the designated practitioner is not available, by another licensed physician or dentist; and 2) the transfer of the child to any hospital reasonably accessible. This authorization does not cover major surgery unless the medical opinions of two other licensed physicians or dentists, concurring in the necessity for such surgery, are obtained prior to the performance of such surgery.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Part II: DECLINE TO CONSENT**

I do **NOT** give my consent for emergency medical treatment of my child. In the event of illness or injury requiring emergency treatment, I wish the authorities to take the following action:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

# HMKIDS

## TIME AND TALENT SIGN-UP

### **Our Program benefits with the help of our parents.**

Nothing is more important than helping our children grow in faith. No parish religion program can be successful without the help of many people who are willing to do a little by sharing some of their gifts and talent to help our children. Every role is important. Any time you can give is greatly appreciated!

### **Twenty-Four Hours for the Life of Our Children**

Our program is structured around four modules of six weeks each during which children learn about their relationship with Jesus, the Bible, prayers and values. Lessons include things children can do at home to expand their understanding and apply faith in their lives. The commitment in the classroom is a little more than 24 hours for the year.

### **Hall Monitors \*\*\***

The safety of our children is paramount. Adults who can help monitor our buildings and hallways are needed at every HMKids session. Those who are willing to help in the program but can only available part time may sign-up for either Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday sessions, every week or once a month.

Time Schedule is 5:45PM (Check-In) Class Begins 6:00PM-7:00PM

Every Week    *(Please circle one)*    Once a Month

\*\*\* Every adult working with children is required by the diocese to be **VIRTUS trained** for the safety of our children. Please obtain a ministry training packet from the HMKids Office.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

## **Baptism Certificates**

All First Grade Students must attach a copy of their Baptism Certificate to this Registration form.

All new Families coming into the Parish must attach each child's Baptism Certificate to this Registration form.



Dear Parents:

All parishes in the Diocese of Cleveland are required to provide their students each year with the abuse prevention skills that they can use virtually anywhere—school, home, sports, band clubs, teams, and in all interpersonal relationships!

Called to Protect for Youth which is a self-protection program that uses DVD, facilitated discussions, and interactive activities to teach youth.:

- ◆ What their emotional, physical and behavioral boundaries are
- ◆ Ways that child abusers try to violate these boundaries
- ◆ Ways to respond if a person tries to violate their boundaries
- ◆ How to report abuse that has happened or is happening to them or someone they know
- ◆ How to recognize an abuser on their internet, what not to give (information) online

The DVD (designed for 7 & 8 graders only) features a diverse group of actors who convey current statistics and skills in a hip studio format. The facilitated discussions encourage kids to talk to each other using their own common language. The interactive activities allow teens of different cultures and backgrounds to unite and work together.

The program, developed by Praesidium, the national leader in abuse risk management, is not sexual education. The content has been written and developed by experts and is age-appropriate for grades one through eight.

Called to Protect for grades 1 through 6, is 3 sessions that provide age appropriate examples. It is offered during class in January.

Example: Grade 2 How to listen to your gut instinct and trust yourself.

Called to Protect for Youth (grade 7 & 8) will be shown during class in January.

We recommend all youth have the opportunity to learn these valuable skills. As a parent, you have the option of requesting that your child not participate in the above program. Please fill out the Opt Out form below and submit the form to Holy Martyrs HMKids Office.

We look forward to teaching these skills on the above dates. Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,  
Diane Bruce  
Director of Faith Formation

Complete and send to the Director of Faith Formation for **OPT OUT only**. I request that my child **does not** participate in the Praesidium: Called to Protect for Children and Youth program.

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_