



April 6, 2023



**Holy Spirit School**  
***Inspiring Minds/Igniting Hearts***  
**2022/2023**  
**"Joy"**

**Easter Triduum**

# Holy Week and Easter Schedule 2023



## April 2 Palm Sunday

Masses: 7:30am, 9am, 10:30am, 12 noon, and 6pm

## April 6 Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:30pm followed by  
Adoration at the Altar of Repose until 12 midnight

## April 7 Good Friday

Confessions: 9 to 11:00am  
Celebration of the Lord's Passion: 3:00pm  
Divine Mercy Chaplet: 5:30pm  
Stations of the Cross: 6:45pm  
Good Friday Tenebrae 7:30pm

## April 8 Holy Saturday

Confessions: 9:30-11:30am  
*no 3:30 pm confessions*  
Divine Mercy Chaplet: 9:30am  
Blessing of Easter baskets: 10:00am  
Easter Vigil Mass: 8:30pm

## April 9 Easter Sunday

Masses: 7:00, 9:00, 11:00,  
12:30pm, and 6:00pm

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops reminds us that the "summit of the Liturgical Year is the Easter Triduum - from the evening of Holy Thursday to the evening of Easter Sunday. Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day unfolding for us the unity of Christ's Paschal Mystery."

My hope is that each of our families will immerse themselves in the beauty of the Triduum as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus when He defeated death and opened the gates of Heaven to each of us. May your family celebrate Easter with a purity of heart and may you experience true joy because of the grace of our Lord.

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## Living Stations of the Cross

Thank you to the 8th grade class and Ms. Gregas for preparing and presenting the Living Stations to us this morning. As always it was beautiful and moving and a wonderful opportunity for us to come together in prayer as a community.



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## **Congratulations to the Science Fair Winners!**

Congratulations to all of the category winners in last week's science fair - a job well done by all!

The following students earned the recognition of being a Top 10 score winner (with two tied scores in the mix!).

TJ Fields - Chemistry - Thermal Conductivity in Relation to Density  
Martine Glymph - Chemistry - What's In Your Water?  
Claire Roberts - Botany - What Makes Green Beans Grow?  
James Neely - Biochemistry - What's Right for Your Electrolytes?  
Maddie Klee - Chemistry - I'm Melting!  
Angelica Terpenning - Microbiology - Killer Rays  
Noelle Claeys - Chemistry - Pour Some Sugar on Me  
Reagan Pineda - Physics - You Can Bank On It  
Eloise Ayers - Chemistry - Purifying Water with Charcoal  
Joseph Subasavage - Earth and Space Science - Salt Crystals  
Helena Munoz - Behavioral and Social Science - Read Me!  
Jamie O'Brien - Biochemistry - Gelatine Gelling Time

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## **Yearbook Sales End April 10th!**



**Holy Spirit**  
2022-2023 YEARBOOK  
**On Sale Now!**

**\$20**

**Get Yours Today!**

**Order Online:**

[BUYTHEYEARBOOK.COM](http://BUYTHEYEARBOOK.COM)

**ID: 712674**





## Little Medical School is now offering Little Doctor School at Holy Spirit School!

LMS offers STEM activity-based classes where we strive to inspire the next generation of Healthcare Heroes! We are offering a 6-week class on Thursdays starting in April.

We're excited to inspire your student to imagine a future in a profession that perhaps they didn't consider before this class!

### Little Doctor School

Through role-play and activities, students will learn the key responsibilities of a doctor, and explore anatomy, using real medical instruments such as stethoscopes. Children will also learn about first aid, treatment prevention, and much more!



**APRIL 20TH THRU MAY 25TH**

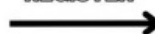
**3:30PM - 4:30PM**

**GRADES K-2 WELCOME**

**6-WEEK CLASS**

Questions?  
Contact Morgan Taylor  
at  
[MTAYLOR@LITTLEMEDICALSCHOOL.COM](mailto:MTAYLOR@LITTLEMEDICALSCHOOL.COM)

INTERESTED?  
**SCAN  
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TO  
REGISTER

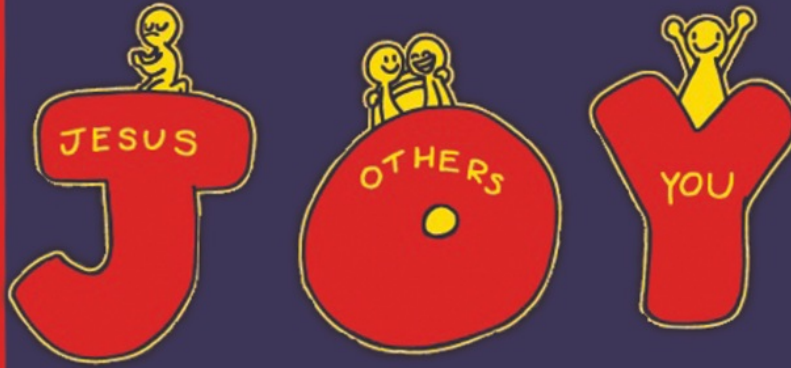


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## 5K Spirit Run 2023!! Early Bird Registration Ends April 30th!

JOIN US FOR...  
Holy Spirit's Annual  
**5K SPIRIT RUN**

Save \$5 per registration if you register before April 30!



When: May 20, 2023  
Where: Holy Spirit School  
Time: 8:00 AM



**REGISTER TODAY!**

Register [HERE](#) for the 5K Spirit Run!

Sponsorship Information Found [HERE!](#)


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 **Thoughtful Moments**

**Prayer habits**  
Children with good prayer habits become adults who rely on prayer throughout their lives. Refresh your family prayer habits and encourage children to start and end the day in prayer. Together pick a morning and evening offering and say it together. Encourage spontaneous prayer from the heart.

**Penance vs. punishment**  
Penance isn't punishment. In fact, true penance helps us to undergo a change of heart that helps us become better people who positively influence others. Our sin affects others, and our penance and reparation can, too. Help children cultivate penitential habits such as abstaining from meat on Fridays throughout the year, performing extra chores, graciously accepting the mental tasks of life. The purpose of penance is not to diminish life but to enrich it.

**A living hope**  
*"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy we have been born anew to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead" (1 Peter 1:3).*



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**Help children to P.R.A.Y. in Mass**

The Mass is the most important gift Catholic parents can share with their children. Help youngsters engage with this timeless treasure of our Faith, by encouraging them to

**P-Prepare.** Good preparation leads to a fruitful Mass experience. Lay out Mass outfits the night before. Get up early enough to have breakfast (at least an hour before receiving Communion) and share the Gospel reading. Explain that this time with God deserves special attention.

**R-Raise voices in song.** We're encouraged to actively participate in Mass by being attentive, praying the responses, and offering our lives, our

intentions, and our praise to God's service. By respectfully raising their voices in song, children also lift their prayers – and their hearts – to God.

**A-Adore God.** We are made to love God and to receive His love for us.

Encourage older children to receive Communion with the right posture and reverence for Jesus' Body and Blood.

Little ones can use this time to tell God they love Him and to thank Him for His gifts. Y-Say "Yes!"

to His grace. At the end of the Mass, we're sent out to "Go in peace to love and glorify the Lord by your life." Together, take a moment after Mass to say "yes!" to accepting God's grace. That grace in you will bear good fruit all week long.

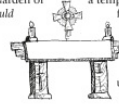


**Why Do Catholics Do That ?**

**Why do Catholics pray at an "Altar of Repose" on Holy Thursday?**

On Holy Thursday night, Jesus and his disciples prayed in the Garden of Gethsemane. He asked, "Could you not watch with me one hour?" (Matthew 26:40). Instead, they slept while Jesus prayed in agony over His Passion.

Catholic parishes traditionally display a temporary altar decorated with flowers and candles where the Eucharist is displayed. People are invited to come before the Eucharist and offer their prayers and love, making up for that "lost hour" in Gethsemane.



-Maureen Ashby

Principal

Holy Spirit School PTO



**Upcoming Events:**

April 29<sup>th</sup> – Art Show Sign-up. See the flyer below.

April 29<sup>th</sup> – Talent Show Volunteers Needed! See the flyer below.

May 19<sup>th</sup> – Field Day is coming – Please volunteer and join us in one of the most fun events of the year! Check out [Connect 1](#) for three separate sign-ups -- one for Team Coach (23 Virtus compliant parents still needed!); one for coolers with waters (one needed for each classroom – 9 still needed!); and one for an array of other ways to help (there are so many options!) More information will be shared closer to the event. Questions? Email the Field Day Committee at [Jessica.A.Driscoll@gmail.com](mailto:Jessica.A.Driscoll@gmail.com)

**Next PTO Meeting: April 18<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm.** This meeting can be found at the following link (more information to follow):

[https://holyspiritflames.zoom.us/j/87077053723?](https://holyspiritflames.zoom.us/j/87077053723?pwd=SkJiMEdsWHcvKzdVZC9qN09GdlgrZz09)

[pwd=SkJiMEdsWHcvKzdVZC9qN09GdlgrZz09](https://holyspiritflames.zoom.us/j/87077053723?pwd=SkJiMEdsWHcvKzdVZC9qN09GdlgrZz09)

Meeting ID: 870 7705 3723      Passcode: 483688

**Connect1:**

If you need more assistance with Connect 1 you can either contact Tom Fields at [PTOPSSC@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOPSSC@holyspiritflames.org) or visit <https://app.connect1.io/volunteers/gmguijg6pp>

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# Holy Spirit School Silent Auction

## DONATIONS REQUESTED

Do you have a talent, service, or product you could donate to support the school auction? Please contact the coordinators at [HSAuctionCoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:HSAuctionCoordinator@gmail.com) to discuss ideas and advertising by Monday, April 24th

-  BABYSITTING?
-  TUTORING?
-  MUSIC LESSONS?
-  PHOTOGRAPHY?
-  GARDENING?
-  SPA TREATMENTS?
-  PARTY PLANNING?
-  PET GROOMING OR SITTING?
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-  NEW ELECTRONICS?
-  PERSONAL ASSISTANT FOR THE DAY?

THE ANNUAL TALENT SHOW EVENT SERVES AS A FUNDRAISER FOR THE HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL PTO. THERE WILL BE A SILENT AUCTION, 50/50 RAFFLE, AND PRIZE RAFFLE. IN ADDITION TO THE THEMED BASKETS FOR EACH GRADE, ANY OTHER ITEMS THAT COULD BE DONATED WOULD BE APPRECIATED. IF REQUESTED, THE AUCTION COORDINATOR WILL PROVIDE A RECEIPT FOR TAX PURPOSES. DONATIONS GO TOWARD THE PTO'S GENERAL FUND WHICH PROVIDES THE SCHOOL'S OUTDOOR CLASSROOMS, FUNDING FOR FIELD TRIPS, TEACHER CONTINUING EDUCATION STIPENDS, AND MORE! THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.



**Field Day** is coming -- mark your calendars for **Friday, May 19, 8 am - 1 pm**. Please volunteer and join us in one of the most fun events of the year! Check out [Connect 1](#) for three separate sign-ups -- one for Team Coach (64 Virtus compliant parents needed); one for coolers with waters (one needed for each classroom); and one for an array of other ways to help (there are so many options!) More information will be shared closer to the event. Questions? Email the Field Day Committee at [jessica.a.driscoll@gmail.com](mailto:jessica.a.driscoll@gmail.com)

## **PTO Executive Board Nominations**

**Have you thought about serving our school community in a new way? Do you know someone who would make a great Executive Board member?**

**The nomination form for the 23/24 academic year is now open!**

[Click here to access Nomination Form](#)

Need a bit more information? Take a look at the PSSC Handbook or contact a current Executive Board member.

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# Be Sure To Get Your Tickets for the PTO Talent Showcase!!!

## Holy Spirit School's Talent Showcase

### Dinner & Dance

Saturday, April 29th 5:30-9:30 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 5:00)

#### RESERVATION FORM

TALENT \* DANCING \* DINING \* FUN

AWESOME ACTS, ART, RAFFLES AND MORE

Registration includes catered dinner and DJ, with dancing after the show.  
Pre-registration is required.

#### ADULT MENU

Seared Chicken w/ Gazpacho Salsa - Italian Sausage w/ Pepper - Orzo w/ Roasted Vegetables  
Italian Salad - Assorted Rolls & Butter - Cake - Beverages - Coffee

#### STUDENT MENU (& under 4)

Chicken Nuggets - Penne Pasta  
Broccoli - Cake - Beverages

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

# adult meals (\$20.00 ea) \_\_\_\_\_ # student meals (\$10.00 ea) \_\_\_\_\_

Under 4 (free) \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_



return form and payment (check made out to Holy spirit PTO) by April 24<sup>th</sup>

**\*\*Physical Tickets will not be provided.  
Reserved Attendees will be on a check in list that evening\*\***

Make checks payable to **Holy Spirit School**. Submit form and check via backpack mail:  
Attn: Joe Terpenning  
Spring Talent Show Committee  
c/o Angelica Terpenning grade 7 Del Canto

Questions: Email Joe Terpenning at ([jterpenning@infinitech.org](mailto:jterpenning@infinitech.org))





# Holy Spirit School's Annual Talent ShowCase & Dance



Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023



## ART SHOW SIGNUP

The Lobby Art show is looking for works of sculpture, photography, writing, painting, drawing or other displayable media. If you have a talent for creating, the lobby show is looking for you!!

Requirements for Submission:

Flat work no larger than 22 X 24 including mat/frame, needs to have hanging hardware attached. Sculptures no bigger than 24 x 20 with a weight limit of 10 pounds, must stand on it own.

Please include a title, description, and your name and grade on a card with the work submitted.

**Deadline for submission:** March 29th. Please **submit all works to Mrs Liss by April 26th.**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_



grade/teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Type of work: \_\_\_\_\_

## Holy Spirit School's Annual Talent Showcase



**When: April 29, 2023**



### **WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!!**

Volunteers are needed to help make this year's talent show awesome!! All manner of jobs from small to large are needed, and all help is appreciated. If you signed up at the PTO Fall Fair, your signup has been transferred to Connect 1 for your convenience. To volunteer for this event, Please click the signup link below:

<https://app.connect1.io/volunteers/kKpf0p4TN>

any questions, email Joe Terpenning at [jterpenning@infinetech.org](mailto:jterpenning@infinetech.org)

**CHECK CONNECT 1 FOR VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

## PTO Board 2022 - 2023

President - Christine Ploschke - [PTOPresident@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOPresident@holyspiritflames.org)

Vice President - Trevor Lowing - [PTOVp@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOVp@holyspiritflames.org)

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Fundraising Coordinator - Toni O'Neill - [PTOVpDevelopment@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOVpDevelopment@holyspiritflames.org)

Homeroom Parent Coordinator - Valerie Overstreet - [PTOHomeroomCoordinator@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOHomeroomCoordinator@holyspiritflames.org)

## Volunteering

Please remember that you must be fully compliant with the Child Protection policies of the Diocese in order to perform recess duty and to volunteer in activities where students are present.

# Parish Happenings!

SAINT MARY MAGDALENE  
"AT THE FEET OF JESUS"




Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> 7:30 PM  
Holy Spirit Catholic Church 5121 Woodland Way, Annandale

A one-woman drama that shines a holy light on the great saint who remained at the cross and announced the Resurrection. This compelling story brings familiar Bible stories to life and transports us to the time of Jesus and the Blessed Mother.

No tickets needed. Suggested ages 10 through adult. Program runs 65 minutes.  
Sponsored by Holy Spirit Parish Women's Council [cpoumade@prodigy.net](mailto:cpoumade@prodigy.net)  
Nancy Scimone as Mary Magdalene. [MaryMagdaleneDrama.com](http://MaryMagdaleneDrama.com)  
"You took me back to that time--what it must have been like to be with Jesus." (Review)

Holy Spirit Church Presents  
Vacation Bible School 2023



Who Is My Neighbor?  
LEARNING TO LOVE LIKE JESUS

June 19 - 23  
9 am - 12 pm  
Lunch is included

Adult and Youth Volunteers are needed.  
Children of adult volunteers attend for free.

Registration opening soon.

HOLY Spirit CATHOLIC CHURCH  
Respect Life's annual  
Bedding for Babies Drive



Our Goal is to collect 100 baby blankets, 100 receiving blankets and 100 crib sheets to accompany each crib that the Knights of Columbus provide for needy mothers each year. Join us! YOU can make a difference!

Drop off donations at Parish Center or donate via Amazon Wish List  
[www.holyspiritchurch.us](http://www.holyspiritchurch.us)

## Catechism Study! WITH DEACON TOM IN 2023

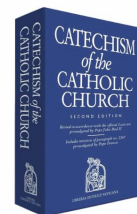
Come study the Catechism of the Catholic Church and dive deeper into our Faith, the sacraments, life in Christ, prayer, and more.

2<sup>ND</sup> TUESDAY of EVERY MONTH

WHEN: 7:00-8:15 p.m.

WHERE: Rectory, Large Meeting Room

To sign up, send an email to:  
[CatechismStudy@holyspiritchurch.us](mailto:CatechismStudy@holyspiritchurch.us)



Placed to Fr. Mike's "Catechism in a Year" podcast from Ascension Press, but open to all who want to study the Catechism.



Wednesday Night  
**Bible Study**  
 With Father O'Donohue

FOR THUS SAYS THE HIGH AND LOFTY ONE WHO INHABITS ETERNITY, WHOSE NAME IS HOLY: "I DWELL IN THE HIGH AND HOLY PLACE, WITH HIM WHO HAS A CONTRITE AND HUMBLE SPIRIT, TO REVIVE THE SPIRIT OF THE HUMBLE, AND TO REVIVE THE HEART OF THE CONTRITE ONES.  
 ISAIAH 57:15

Isaiah gives us the path to knowledge of God by putting ourselves low and being contrite in spirit before Him

Next Session | April 19, 8:30 PM  
 Livestream option available for those unable to attend.



Marian Homes, Inc.  
**Document Shredding Event**  
 A Knights of Columbus Charity  
 Maintaining group homes for intellectually disabled individuals



**May 6th**  
**10 AM - 12 Noon**  
**Upper Parking Lot**

Bring your old documents, cancelled checks, paper, manila envelopes, etc. **NO** newspapers, magazines, card board, 3-ring binders, hard drives, discs, etc.

*(Donations accepted)*


For more information, contact:  
**Knights@holyspiritchurch.us**




**Parish Easter Egg Hunt!**  
 April 16  
 Divine Mercy Sunday

For children through Grade 5. Bring empty Easter basket to collect eggs and join us on the Parish lawn at 3:00pm.

[www.holyspiritchurch.us](http://www.holyspiritchurch.us)





**CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY NOVENA**  
 Preparing for the Feast of Divine Mercy Sunday

"O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!"

**Novena Schedule & Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour: April 7 - April 16**  
 (in the church)

- Good Friday, April 7: **5 PM**
- Holy Saturday, April 8: **3 PM**
- Easter Sunday, April 9: **8:00 PM**
- Monday, April 10 - Wednesday, April 12: **7 PM**
- Thursday, April 13: **6 PM**
- Friday, April 14: **7 PM**
- Saturday, April 15: **3 PM**
- Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour April 16: 4:45 PM**



The miracle-famous image of Merciful Jesus from the Shrine of Divine Mercy in Krakow-Logiewaski. Photo: Ryszard Turdakowski © Zgromadzenie Sióstr Matki Bożej Miłosierdzia

DIocese of Arlington Presents  
**BASH**




AN EXCITING DAY FOR HUNDREDS OF MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS TO GATHER WITH BISHOP BURBIDGE TO CELEBRATE THEIR CATHOLIC FAITH!

MASS WITH BISHOP BURBIDGE! | FUN WITH FRIENDS! | ENTERTAINER PAUL J. KIM

**SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2023**





Vivat  Jesus!

Knights of Columbus  
 Holy Spirit Council 11922  
 Wishes Holy Spirit's Priests, Deacons, and Parishioners  
 Happy Easter And a Joyful Easter Season!

Business/Social Meeting 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the Month 8PM  
 Planning Meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the Month 8PM  
 Rosary before meetings start time 7:40PM  
 Holy Spirit School Quin Room

Mark your Calendars | Save the Date




Join Us!


**Spring Appreciation Dinner Dance**  
 May 20, 2023 | 6:30 PM Start | Holy Spirit Cafeteria and Gym


K of C Holy Spirit Council Thanks Holy Spirit Parish for over 25 years of Support, especially Charter GK Chuck Bennett and charter members.


Everyone is welcome to join this celebration with Dinner and Dancing. Brother Knight & DJ Deacon Malcom will be leading the dance in the gym.

RSVP (required by May 10): \$25/person 12 and up, \$12 kids 5-12, Kids 0-4 free Family Max \$100, Price includes Dinner, Drinks, Dessert, and Dancing.  
 To RSVP email GK Tom at [Knights@HolySpiritChurch.us](mailto:Knights@HolySpiritChurch.us)  
 Make checks payable to K of C Holy Spirit Council #11922 and mail check to: K of C Holy Spirit Council, P.O. Box 225, Burke, VA 22009


  
**COLLEGE NIGHTS**
  
 Bridging the Gap of Faith


  
 Student testimonials


  
 Peer connections


  
 Small groups sessions

June 28: St. Mark's  
 July 5: St. Michael's  
 July 12: Holy Trinity (NEW location!)  
 July 19: Basilica of St. Mary  
 July 26: Holy Cross Academy

All rising college freshmen and transfer students may register for FREE at ASJB.org. All events begin at 7PM.

# Community Happenings!


  
 2023 D.C. UNITED

## FAITH & FAMILY NIGHT

SATURDAY, MAY 13 | 7:30 PM


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JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP! EACH TICKET INCLUDES ACCESS TO A FAITH TESTIMONIAL WITH A D.C. UNITED PLAYER AND TEAM CHAPLAIN.



TO PURCHASE TICKETS, VISIT  
[HTTPS://FEVO.ME/DCFAITH23](https://fevo.me/dcfaith23)  
 FOR GROUPS OF TEN OR MORE, SCAN THE BARCODE OR EMAIL  
[SMCGRATH@DCUNITED.COM](mailto:SMCGRATH@DCUNITED.COM)



# Bishop Ireton High School SUMMER CAMPS

All camp descriptions and more information can be found online at [bishopinretion.org/summercamps](http://bishopinretion.org/summercamps)

Morning sessions run from 9 am - 12 pm  
Afternoon sessions run from 12:30-3:30 pm

Sign up by April 1, 2023 for an early bird discount! Prices go up \$25 per camp session after April 1.

Questions? Contact Camp Director, Kieran Mitchell at: [summercamps@bishopinretion.org](mailto:summercamps@bishopinretion.org)

Early drop off and lunch are available for purchase upon registering for camp.

Registration cancellations will incur a \$25 administrative fee.

Please note that all registrations are non-refundable thirty days from the date camp begins.



ART CAMP		
■ June 20-21 Morning and Afternoon Session		\$220
■ July 5-7 Morning and Afternoon Session		\$165
■ July 26-28 Morning and Afternoon Session		\$275
ATHLETIC CONDITIONING		
■ June 20-21 Afternoon Session		\$220
■ June 26-30 Afternoon Session		\$275
■ July 5-7 Morning and Afternoon Session		\$165
■ July 10-14 Afternoon Session		\$275
■ July 27-28 Afternoon Session		\$275
BABYSITTER TRAINING		
■ June 20-21 Morning and Afternoon Session		\$220
BAND CAMP		
■ July 10-14 Morning Session		\$275
BASEBALL CAMP - BOYS		
■ June 26-30 Morning Session		\$275
BASKETBALL CAMP		
■ June 26-30 Morning and Afternoon Session - Boys Camp		\$275
■ July 5-7 Afternoon Session - Boys Camp		\$165
■ July 17-21 Morning and Afternoon Session - Boys Camp		\$275
■ June 20-21 Afternoon Session - Girls Camp		\$220
■ July 5-7 Morning Session - Girls Camp		\$165
■ July 10-14 Morning and Afternoon Session - Girls Camp		\$275
CHORAL CAMP		
■ July 10-14 Morning Session		\$275
COMPUTER CAMP - PROGRAMMING WORKSHOPS		
■ June 26-30 Morning and Afternoon Session		\$275

Camps are co-ed unless otherwise indicated.

# DON'T MISS OUT!

# SUMMER CAMPS

AT BISHOP O'CONNELL HIGH SCHOOL





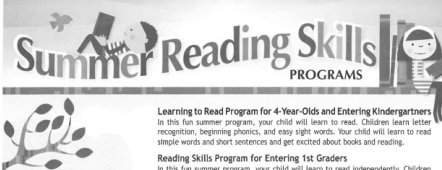


Digital Game Development • Sports Management  
Creative Writing • Field Hockey  
Entrepreneurs • Basketball • Young Debaters  
Baseball • Cybersecurity • Band  
Volleyball • Web Development  
Video Production • Lacrosse • Theatre  
Junior Veterinarians ...and more!

[bishopoconnell.org/summercamps](http://bishopoconnell.org/summercamps)



## Summer Reading Skills PROGRAMS



**Learning to Read Program for 4-Year-Olds and Entering Kindergartners**  
In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read. Children learn letter recognition, beginning phonics, and easy sight words. Your child will learn to read simple words and short sentences and get excited about books and reading.

**Reading Skills Program for Entering 1st Graders**  
In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read independently. Children learn phonics and sight words and build comprehension skills. Your child will develop a love of books and reading and get off to a great start in first grade.

**Reading Skills Program for Entering 2nd Graders**  
In this fun summer program, your child will become a confident fluent reader. Children build solid phonics and word-attack skills, develop reading fluency, and improve comprehension. Your child will develop a love of books and reading and get off to a great start in second grade.

**Reading Skills Program for Entering 3rd Graders**  
In this fun summer program, your child will become a strong, enthusiastic reader. Children improve reading fluency and develop excellent comprehension. They build long-word decoding skills and expand their vocabulary. Your child will gain confidence, develop a lifelong love of books and reading, and get off to a great start in third grade.

**Reading and Writing Skills Programs for Entering 4th and 5th Graders**  
In these fun single-grade programs, your child will become a skilled, confident reader with strong comprehension skills in fiction, nonfiction, and textbooks. Students expand their vocabulary and learn to read more fluently and quickly. They become better writers who can effectively communicate their ideas. As a result, your child will complete homework more quickly and easily, get better grades, and enjoy reading more.

**Reading and Writing Skills Programs for Entering 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th Graders**  
In these single-grade programs, your son or daughter will make substantial gains in comprehension in fiction and nonfiction and learn to read twice as fast. Students expand their vocabulary and learn the best way to take notes. They become stronger writers who can effectively communicate their ideas. As a result, your child will complete homework more quickly and easily, get better grades, and build confidence as a reader.

**College Prep Program for Entering 11th, 12th, and College Freshmen**  
In this program, students learn the skills they need to succeed in high school and college. Your son or daughter will double reading speed and improve comprehension, recall, and focus. Students become stronger writers and learn effective time management and study strategies that help them complete work efficiently, get better grades, and score higher on exams.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER  
**Call 1-800-715-2808**  
Mon.-Fri. 8am-9pm, Sat. 8am-7pm and Sun. 10am-6pm

Get A Head Start  
Ask About Our  
Spring Program!



## FAMILY FOLDER

The following flyers may be found in the folder labeled "March 30, 2023" on the website. For your convenience, some flyers are repeated.



School Flyers:

1. Little Medical School flyer
2. Yearbook Order Form flyer
3. PTO Talent Showcase Ticket Reservation form
4. PTO Talent Showcase Art Show Signup
5. PTO Talent Showcase Volunteer Signup
6. PTO Talent Showcase Auction Donation forms



7. Partners in Faith (April) newsletter

## 5K Spirit Run

1. Sponsorship information

## Parish Flyers:

1. Holy Week services flyer
2. Vacation Bible School flyer
3. Bedding for Babies flyer
4. "At the Feet of Jesus" flyer
5. Document Shredding Event flyer
6. Catechism Study flyer
7. Bible Study flyer
8. Easter Egg Hunt flyer
9. Chaplet of Divine Mercy Novena flyer
10. Bash flyer
11. Knights of Columbus Spring Appreciation Dinner Dance
12. College Nights

## Community Flyers:

1. Faith and Family Night at DC United
2. BI Summer Camps flyers
3. Summer Reading Skills program flyer
4. Bishop O'Connell Summer Camps flyer