

# CONCERT CHOIR ~ Grades 5-8

Join this after school Choir that will represent Notre Dame Elementary School performing in a number of events listed below. Choir gives each singer an opportunity to develop and strengthen her/his vocal quality, explore singing in various styles of music, languages, and enjoy singing with others in 5th-8th grades!

**FIRST REHEARSAL:** TUESDAY; SEPT. 20 from 3:00 to 3:45 pm

*(time conflicts with rehearsals during seasonal sports (i.e baseball, volleyball) can be adjusted)*

**REHEARSALS:** TUESDAYS: 3:00- 3:45 p.m. on campus *(no rehearsal on Oct 18 and 25)*

*(If needed, lunch recess (after eating) may be used prior to upcoming performances)*

**CHORAL DIRECTOR:** Mrs. Barbara Varian Barrett; Music Teacher Gr 1-8

**CHOIR OUTFIT:** (please have ready to wear by Nov. 17)

**Boys:** *Black pants and black Dress shoes and sock, White long-sleeved shirt*

*(Go to Sears Boys' Dept or at Old Navy at Hillsdale for pants)*

**Girls:** *Black skirt no higher than 2 inches above knee, white long sleeved blouse, black stockings,*

*Shoes: no higher than 1-1/2 inch heels, heel backing, closed toe and comfy!*

**CHOIR FEE:** \$180.00 for the year. Payment option: \$30 deposit; 2 - \$75 payments Nov. 1/ Feb. 7

Please make check payable to Barbara Barrett and place in office mailbox in envelope

Fee will include music, folder, snacks, awards and many performing experiences!

**COMMUNICATION:** Mrs. Barrett will email all parents of singers about upcoming performances and any other necessary information pertaining to choir

**CHOIR CALENDAR SO FAR:** Dates scheduled so far!

Sept. 20 - First rehearsal!

Sept. 25 - Sunday 11:00 am Mass in Chapel

Oct. 11 - S F Opera performance of "Elixir of Love" -

Nov. 17 - Thanksgiving Family Mass - 6pm

Nov. 28 - Carlmont Tree Ceremony -5:00-5:45 pm

Nov. 30 - Ralston Lunch

Dec. 15 - School Prayer Service

Dec tba- Local Senior Residence and/or Hillsdale Mall

Jan 25- School Mass; 11:00 am

- Feb. 22- Ash Wednesday Prayer Service

March 15 - Archdiocesan Choral Festival ~Riordan H.S., S.F (session tba)

April 5 -Holy Thursday Prayer Service

April/May- Giants Game tba (sing the National Anthem on field!)

May tba -Spring Choral Concert; 7:00 p.m.

June 1 -School Mass - 9:00 p.m.

**FORM and FEE Due:** no later than SEPTEMBER 27

**Questions? Contact Mrs. Barrett at [bbarrett@nde.org](mailto:bbarrett@nde.org) or 650-619-6003**

*Check the school's website under "Choir" for future updates!*

# CHOIR REGISTRATION FORM - place in envelope

**FORM and FEE Due: no later than TUESDAY, SEPT. 27**

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Name Homeroom B-day phone parent email

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Please select payment option:

\_\_\_\_deposit only (\$30) \_ \_\_\_\_deposit and 1st payment (\$105) \_\_\_\_single payment \$180

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:**

\_\_\_ Chaperones during performances \_\_\_Photograghy/Publicity \_\_\_ Drivers to transport choir

\_\_\_Piano Accompaniment \_\_\_Assistance before and after special events

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Parent signature

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Student signature