

Children's Choir 2019-2020 School Year

With the choir loft renovations now being complete, it is now time to begin the Children's choir for the 2019-2020 school year. Being involved in music ministry is a fun way to participate in the liturgy, to serve both the parish and the school, and to learn about the faith!

Who Can Participate?

-Children's choir is open to all Children grades 3-8!

What is the Time Commitment?

-Choir rehearses every Wednesday that school is in session from 3-4 PM in the choir loft
-Choir leads the music at every school Mass during the school year

Can Children Participate in More?

-Yes! In addition to the children's choir, all children grade 6-8 are welcome to participate in the Teen-Adult Choir that sings at the 10 AM Mass on Sundays.
-All members of the children's choir (all ages) are also welcome to sing with our parish guitar group at the 4 PM Saturday Mass.
-Children in grades 6-8 have the option to lead as cantor at the school Masses.
-Children in grades 6-8 in the Teen-Adult Choir have the opportunity to be selected as Cantors for the 10 AM Mass

What is a Cantor?

The Cantor is in charge of leading the responsorial psalm at the school Mass, and the psalm and gospel acclamation at the 10 AM Mass. These are songs where the verses are done by one individual, rather than the entire choir. The Cantor leads these verses solo with the director.

Contact Information

If you have any questions regarding children's choir, you can reach me at (513)753-2546 and leave a voice mail. You can also reach me at dstegeman@sttm.org.

Please pack a snack for your child on choir rehearsal days, as we will have snack time! Please don't pack anything with nuts, in case of severe allergies of other children!

In order to join, the following permission form must be filled out completely!

Thanks,
Douglas J. Stegeman
Director of Music
St. Thomas More Parish

Permission Form

Child's Name _____

Grade Level _____

Homeroom Teacher _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian Cell Phone _____

Parent/Guardian E-mail _____

Address _____

Emergency Contact Name _____

Emergency Contact Number _____

Name of Person Picking Up Child _____

Send Child to Latchkey After Rehearsal? _____

Parents are welcome to be in church during choir rehearsal time! Please be sure to arrive by 4 PM to pick up your child. If your child is in Latchkey, they will be escorted to Latchkey by a Virtus certified adult at the completion of choir rehearsal.

I _____ certify that this information is correct, and give my child permission to join children's choir by signing this form.

Signature: _____ Date: _____