

Parents,

*Thank you for your interest in enrolling your child in St. Patrick School.*

*St. Patrick School has offered a challenging education and living faith to students for more than ninety years.*

*Continuing renovations and a new addition provides the modern amenities and technology for the ultimate educational experience. The administration and faculty strive to bring out the full potential in each child's individual giftedness, focusing on the "whole child" in an environment of spirituality, academic excellence, values and discipline.*

*After reviewing this information, please contact the school to schedule an appointment so that I can introduce myself and give you a tour of our wonderful school. We look forward to working with you and your child.*

Sincerely,



Mrs. Dee Kelly  
Principal



#### OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of St. Patrick School is to provide a quality education in a Catholic environment that promotes love of God, positive self-esteem, personal responsibility, as well as respect for others and the world around us following the example of Jesus Christ.



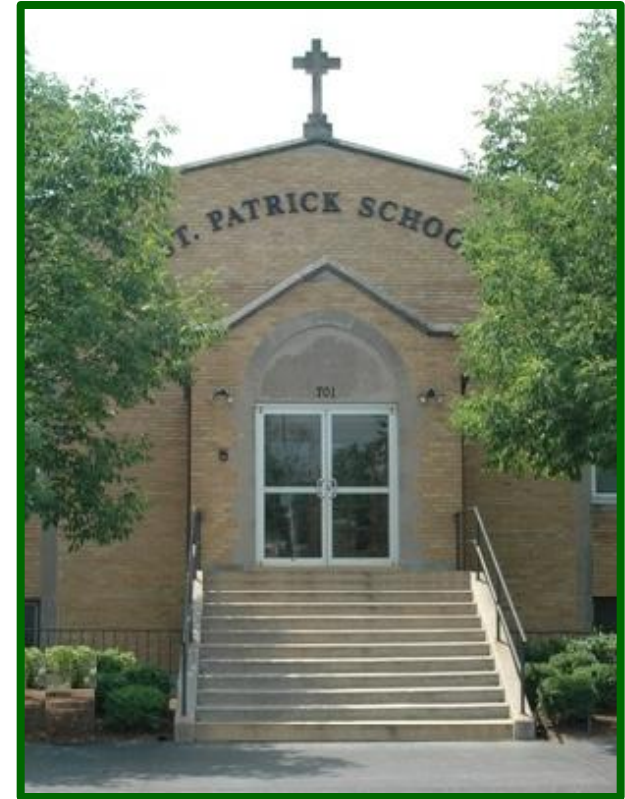
When our son was a fifth grader, the teachers had high expectations for his class. Now as a high school freshman, he is a wonderful young man and we believe his foundation at St. Patrick School has contributed to his beliefs, values and blessings. - John and Judy Green



In today's world, we often find ourselves trying to do it all on our own. At St. Patrick School, we have a web of support. Not only do our children get support from their teachers and the administration, they also have support from fellow students. It is a network where the kids go to school together, play sports together, and grow together. It is an interwoven connection that builds strong children and strong relationships. - Patrick and Tracey Kelly



My favorite thing about attending St. Patrick School is that I feel closer to God and learn more about my religion everyday!  
- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Student



## St. Patrick Catholic School

*A quality education  
and a living faith for  
children in grades  
Preschool-Eighth*

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## Religious Activities

Catholic values are integrated throughout the curriculum and are evident in all aspects of school life. By positioning faith at the center of St. Patrick's curriculum, your children will rely on their

strong Christian values when facing challenges.

Many opportunities for prayer and worship experiences are offered to enhance the faith-life of each child. Prayer is integral throughout each day, including student-planned liturgies of weekly mass.

Students are involved at all levels in service projects of outreach to the local community. Some of the services in which our students have participated in include:

- Sts. Joachim and Ann Outreach Program
- St. Vincent DePaul Society/Caring & Sharing
- Birthright
- Jump Rope for Heart



## Faculty and Staff

Our dedicated faculty have an average of 15 years of teaching experience and more than 50% are pursuing or hold a Masters degree.

Every student at St. Patrick School is respected for their own learning style and is challenged to achieve their maximum potential. Students benefit from a strong core academic program that includes:

- Religion
- Mathematics
- Language Arts
- Social Science
- Physical Education
- Spanish
- Music/Art
- Computer Science

## Curriculum

St. Patrick School offers a challenging curriculum. Our students consistently score above local, state, and national averages on standardized academic tests. Curriculum plans are revised annually to reflect changes in student learning, instructional resources, and research-based best practices. Continual support, encouragement and praise between parent and child are enhanced by the parents' convenient access to online grades, progress reports and report cards.

With the average class size of 25, it allows for our students to engage in active learning experiences with their teachers and work in small groups with their classmates. Accelerated courses are also available.



## Technology

St. Patrick students have daily access to and instruction on modern computer equipment and programs that provide them with the necessary 21<sup>st</sup> century learning skills. Every academic classroom is equipped with SMART Boards (web-enabled interactive whiteboards). Laptop computer carts and Texas Instruments graphic calculators are also utilized.

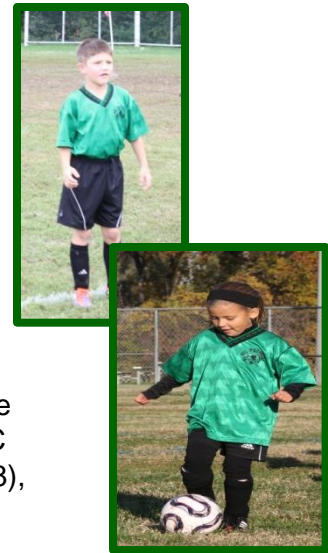
Our computer lab contains 26 workstations providing our students with tutorials, keyboarding and technology literacy. Our library and teachers manage and monitor our students' independent reading practice through the Accelerated Reader program.

## Extra-Curricula Activities

Students are offered the opportunity to develop further skills in clubs such as:

- Art
- Band
- Boy/Girl Scouts
- Choir
- Lego Club
- Math Club
- Safety Patrol
- Student Council

Through the generosity of parent volunteers, students are given the opportunity to participate in athletics through CYC including basketball (3-8), soccer (preK-8) and volleyball (4-8).



## Lunch

The students may participate in the hot lunch program offered daily or they may bring their own lunch. The cafeteria offers many homemade items and full-service salad bar daily.

## Before & After Care

An on-site Before and After School Care Program is available for all full-time students. Our staff and aids provide study help for students. The morning hours are 6:45 a.m. until school opens. The afternoon hours are 3:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m..

