

# *St. Francis de Sales Parish School* *Participating Parishioner Policy*

*At St. Francis de Sales Parish we strive to provide a quality education for your child/ren as economically as possible. Tuition does not cover all the costs associated with educating your child. The Parish subsidizes the tuition of "Participating Parishioners" in the amount of approximately \$1100 per child. As all contributing parishioners are supporting the education of our parish school children, we feel that it is important that Parish School families:*

1. Participate in the faith life of the Parish, especially coming together for Sunday Eucharist.
2. Support the Parish financially on a regular basis through Sunday envelopes or EFT.
3. Participate in Parish and/or School related functions and programs, with a minimum of 20 volunteer hours per family required each year.
4. Register in the parish and update their name, address, and telephone numbers as needed.

These requirements must be met for the family to qualify for the in-parish tuition amount. The requirement for volunteer hours may be fulfilled with either or both parish and school activities. These hours are accumulated from July 1 to June 30, the Parish's fiscal year, and apply to the next School year. As part of the registration process, each School family is asked to document its volunteer hours during the current year. In addition, each family's Sunday contribution to the Parish is reviewed.

The following are activities to volunteer your time to meet your hour requirements:

### **Liturgical Ministries**

Choir  
Extraordinary Minister  
Hospitality Minister (Usher)  
Lector  
Musician  
Server  
Church Cleaning

### **Parish Life**

Knights of Columbus  
CRHP  
Hospitality/New Families  
Social Activities

### **Youth Ministry**

Athletics  
Boy Scouts  
Girl Scouts  
VBS  
Youth Group

### **Leadership**

Pastoral Council  
Finance Commission  
School Committee

### **Fund Raising**

Deck the Halls  
Book Fair  
Fish Fry

### **Education**

PSR  
RCIA  
Adult Faith Formation

### **Social Service**

St. Vincent de Paul  
Communion to Homebound

### **School**

Lunch/Playground Duty  
Parent Volunteers  
Everybody Counts  
Veterans Day  
Room mother