

# Third Grade Choir

St. Gerard School offers the third grade students a chance to participate in a Third Grade Choir that at times combines with the Fourth Through Eighth Grade Children's Choir. This choir meets on Wednesdays during the students' recess. The choir will then combine with the Children's Choir to sing at mass on Christmas Eve and Easter, a concert in the spring and some all school masses. The students will have the chance to work on choral music that is spiritual, educational and fun! Students that would like to participate should return the attached sheet to Mrs. Darling or the school office **by Monday, September 17, 2018**. The first rehearsal will be on Wednesday, September 19, during the students' recess.

Parents may also sign up for text message or email reminders. I will be using an application called Remind. This allows me to send out quick reminders. This will be how I will remind parents of upcoming masses at which the students will be singing, including all school masses they will participate in. Your email or phone number will not be able to be viewed by others. Here is how you sign up for the reminders:

Text the code: **@af4ch8** to 81010

If you prefer email reminders, go to [rmd.at/af4ch8](http://rmd.at/af4ch8) on a computer and follow the directions.

Thank you in advance for signing up for the reminders. This will help in saving paper and ensuring you get the needed information quickly!

If you have any questions, please email at [adarling@stgerardlansing.org](mailto:adarling@stgerardlansing.org) or contact Mrs. Darling at school.

The following is the **performance schedule** (not including all school masses):

- December 24, 2018- 4:30 PM Christmas Eve Mass, report at 3:45
- April 21, 2019- 11:00 AM Easter Mass, report at 10:15
- May 2, 2019- Children's Choir Concert 6:30 PM in the Parish Hall, report at 6:00

## Third Grade Choir Permission Form

My student has permission to participate in the Third Grade Choir during recess on Wednesdays. Students who sign up are expected to participate in rehearsals from September through April. I understand the students will perform at a mass on Christmas Eve and Easter and a spring concert. If a student needs to miss a performance, prior notice should be given to Mrs. Darling as soon as possible.

Parent's Signature

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Student's Name

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Homeroom Teacher

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