

CHILDREN'S CHOIR FOR CHRISTMAS EVE!



Dear Parents,

I am one of the Music Directors for the Winton Wyoming Pastoral Region, which includes Our Lady of the Rosary, St. Matthias, and St. James of the Valley. I play for Saturday 4:30 Masses at St. Matthias and Sunday 11:30am Masses at OLR. I would like to invite all children, Grades 2 & up, to sing at the Christmas Eve Mass on Friday, December 24th, 4:00pm at St. Matthias.

They will sing prelude music as well as the hymns and responses during Mass. The first 3 rehearsals will be held in the music classroom at John Paul II School (located at St. Bartholomew parish). The final rehearsal will be at St. Matthias in church.

Practice times are:

Monday, November 29	3:30-4:30pm, JP II
Monday, December 6	3:30-4:30pm, JP II
Monday, December 13	3:30-4:30pm, JP II
*Monday, December 20	10:00-11:30am, St. Matthias

*(*note additional half hour for final rehearsal)*

On Dec. 24th, please arrive in the church choir loft by 3:30pm. Children will leave coats with parents. After Mass, kids will stay in choir loft until parents come up to get them.

Please complete the permission form attached to this flyer and return to Mr. Collins through JP II school office by Friday, November 19th. (Permission forms are required by the Archdiocese when working with children.) I will need at least one adult chaperone for each rehearsal, and one adult to help in the choir loft with crowd control during Christmas Eve Mass. Please indicate on the permission form if you would be willing to chaperone. (Chaperones must be SafeParish approved.)

This is a wonderful opportunity for your child to share the happiness of Christ's birth with our faith community!

Thanks and God bless,
Mr. Michael Collins,
Music Director

