

Catholic East Elementary

We Pray! We Serve! We Learn!



Our Proud History

Our roots go back more than 100 years, when Roman Catholic Germans, Italians, Poles, and other immigrant groups in Milwaukee established eight parishes and schools in an area from downtown north along the Milwaukee River.

With the passage of decades and the decreasing numbers of students, the single parish schools closed or merged with one another. The five remaining area parishes - Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, Old Saint Mary, Our Lady of Divine Providence, SS. Peter and Paul, and Three Holy Women actively invest their time, talent and treasure in the one unique Catholic grade school that remains at the heart of Milwaukee's East Side: Catholic East Elementary.

Quick Facts

- Motto: We Pray! We Serve! We Learn!
- Enrollment: 270 students in grades K3-8
- Class size: 19-25 students ensures all students participate in learning
- Teacher/student ratio: 1 to 21
- Accreditation: By the Wisconsin Religious and Independent Schools Accreditation Association through the Archdiocese of Milwaukee
- Athletics: Grades 5-8 basketball for boys and girls; volleyball for girls in the North Shore Catholic League or Don Bosco League
- Mascot: Eagles
- Activities and Extracurriculars: Student Council; Big Brothers and Sisters of Milwaukee; Scouts; Forensics; Rosary Club; Homework Club; Children's Choir; Altar Servers; Junior Honor Society; Dominican Challenge



Our Mission

The Mission of Catholic East Elementary School, a richly diverse Catholic Community, is to pursue academic excellence, nurture strong moral development and foster lifelong learning through living out the Gospel values.

- Annual events: Talent Show; Family Valentine Dance; Celebrating Catholic East Gala; Wellness Walk; Family Rummage Sale; Soles for Education Walk
- Our Graduates: Our graduates are well-prepared for the challenges of high school. Dominican High School valedictorians of the Classes of '10, '11 and '14 are our alumni. Graduates also have attended St. Thomas More, Pius XI, Divine Savior Holy Angels, Marquette, St. Joan Antida, Messmer, Riverside University, Ronald Reagan and Rufus King.
- Community Partnerships: Milwaukee Catholic Home, First Stage Milwaukee, SHARP Literacy, Pius Fine Arts Program and Urban Ecology Center.

Living Gospel Values

- Every school day begins and ends with prayer
- Daily religious studies are part of our core curriculum.
- Scholars in grades 2-8 attend Mass weekly while our K3-1st grade scholars plan and attend bi-monthly prayer services. Once a month, 2nd-8th graders walk over to the Holy Rosary campus to attend an all-school Mass with their K3-1st grade buddies.
- Service projects have included monthly visits with residents of the Milwaukee Catholic Home, and food, book and coat drives for local and international organizations.
- Liturgical seasons such as Advent, Lent and Easter are taught and special prayers include Stations of the Cross and the Living Rosary.
- Our Coordinator of Religious Education and Campus Ministry engages all of our scholars in meaningful lessons and faith formation in addition to their regular classroom religion instruction.
- Children are prepared for sacraments in cooperation with East Side Child and Youth Ministry.

Kids Campus

Our before- and after-school enrichment program is directed by certified teachers. Kids Campus is available to scholars who need care daily as well as to scholars who need care only occasionally. Before school care begins at 7AM and after school care ends at 6PM.

Specials

- Physical Education
- Health
- Music
- Art
- Integrated Technology
- Opportunity to study band and string instruments through the Pius Fine Arts Program

Home and School

Our Home and School Association has a variety of activities both social and educational each year. Here is a lineup of this year's activities:

- Parents Night Out
- Family Board Game Night
- Annual Lenten Fish Fries
- St. Nicholas Christmas Cookie Decorating
- Ladies Night Out
- Family Valentine's Day Dance
- Career Night
- Wellness Walk

**Register Online Starting
Monday, January 30, 2017**

Visit:

<http://www.catholiceast.org/admissions/>

**to start the enrollment process for the
2017/18 school year!**

Want to Schedule a School Day Tour!

Contact Sarah Parlier at 414-964-1770 X317

Or via email at sparlier@catholiceast.org

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Sr. Ellen Barrett Holy Rosary Campus (K3-1st) 2038 N. Bartlett Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

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