

Liturgical Choir

Dear Villa Community,

My name is C.J. Fesalbon. I am the Liturgical Choir Director for Villa Academy this year. I would like to take a moment to introduce myself and let you know how excited I am to be working with your children. I come to you from St. Bridget where I have directed their Liturgical Choir for the past 16 years. I have also worked with the Faith Formation Children's Choir and Teen Youth Mass Choir. Music is so vital to our Liturgies. It helps us pray from the heart in a way not possible with the spoken word. I have a great love for praying in song and look forward to sharing that with your children.

At this time we are inviting all those who have participated in the past as well as other interested newcomers in Grades 5-8 to join us!

Because we spend a great deal of time and energy learning pieces in parts, and we plan for a certain number of voices, we need a committed group of singers. Should your child decide to join the choir for the 2009-2010 school year, we need a commitment from you and your child, that he/she will regularly attend practices on Tuesday mornings, beginning promptly at 7:35am in the Villa Chapel. Occasionally, we may need to add a morning practice, but this is rare. Consistently coming late, leaving early to go take care of other school business, or missing practice altogether, wrecks havoc on our work. So, if you and your child are unable to commit to regular attendance, it might not be wise to sign up. Of course we will be understanding of the occasional missed practice due to illness.

We are a fun group who enjoy singing and making music together. We hope that you will consider joining us!

Sincerely,

CJ Fesalbon, Karen Jones, and Jean Johnson



Who: Students in
Grades 5-8

When: Tuesdays
7:35 am

Where: Villa Chapel

"They who sing, pray twice!"



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Please tear off and return to Ms. Jones

My child, _____, has my permission to join the Villa Liturgical Choir. We both understand that regularly attending practice on Tuesday mornings, arriving promptly at 7:35am, is required and we are committed to doing so.

Parent Signature: _____

Student Signature: _____