

St. Mary Help of Christians School

*Where faith in education
makes a difference*



*“Make your life something
Beautiful for God.”*

-Saint Mother Teresa

Our Mission

We, the faith community of
St. Mary Help of Christians School,
are messengers of Christ:
Called to Proclaim the Gospel Message;
Dedicated to Education and Service;
Transforming the World.

Our Philosophy

We proclaim the Gospel Message

by:

- Loving God and loving one another.
- Learning and sharing the richness of our Roman Catholic faith tradition.
- Being encouraging and responsible in our words and actions.

We are dedicated to Education and Service through:

- Giving our best efforts each day as motivated and enthusiastic learners and teachers.
- Encouraging the individuality and potential of each member of our school community.
- Committing ourselves to Catholic Social Teaching and the welfare of our local and global family.

We transform the World as we:

- Inspire one another to live with peace, justice, and responsibility toward all creation.
- Become generous stewards of our time, talent, and treasure in service to our world neighbors.
- Extend to all the warmth of Christ's love.

Saint Mary Help of Christians community of faith and excellence will give your child a solid foundation in academics and religion.

We are pleased to offer an excellent student to teacher ratio. Class sizes range from 12 to 23 students.

Our focus is toward educating the whole child, in addition to core classroom curriculum, St. Mary Help of Christians also offers students religion, art, physical education, music, band, and technology in our recently updated computer lab.

St. Mary Help of Christians School helps your child build a sense of compassion through our community projects such as Catholic Charities, Meals on Wheels, and Anna Marie Alliance.

All student needs are addressed at St. Mary Help of Christians School. We implement student instruction with enrichment instruction or remediation based on students needs for success. Auxiliary staff and volunteers work with our teachers as part of our dedicated educational team.

We think we have something very special at St. Mary Help of Christians School, and we thank you for your interest in our school community. Please contact us if you have any further questions.

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