

May 5, 2023

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Community,

In May Nazareth School honors the Core Values of compassion and patience. These charisms are seen in today's celebration to honor Mother Mary, Our Blessed Mother at Mass and May Crowning with our eighth grade May Queen Jaden Burchell and her escort John Knapton. This year's May Crowning class representatives are:

Kindergarten: Valentina LoCoco, Ezra Cruz Reyes

Grade 1: Veronica Appel, Justin Lengel

Grade 2: Gianna Perkins, Ryan Stidman

Grade 3: Lauren Whittle, Bennett Bickel

Grade 4: Emma Estrada, Grant Harris

Grade 5: Eleanor Hall, Adrian Plasencia

Grade 6: Adelle Verdon, Rafael Ruiz

Grade 7: Aurora Hubbard, Colt Neubrand

Grade 8: Estella Diaz, Kenan Bier

The entire school processed over to the Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto to sing and celebrate the Queen of Angels and all her Glory. The representatives were chosen because each one of them emulates the values of Our Mother Mary and St. Joseph. They live our Nazareth Core Values of love, compassion, respect, hospitality, patience, and justice in their classrooms, on the playground and in their homes.

The Holy Family Prayer

JESUS, Son of God and Son of Mary, bless our family. Graciously inspire in us the unity, peace, and mutual love that you found in your own family in the little town of Nazareth.

MARY, Mother of Jesus and Our Mother, nourish our family with your faith and your love. Keep us close to your Son, Jesus, in all our sorrows and joys.

JOSEPH, Foster-father to Jesus, guardian and spouse of Mary, keep our family safe from harm. Help us in all times of discouragement or anxiety.

HOLY FAMILY OF NAZARETH, make our family one with you. Help us to be instruments of peace. Grant that love, strengthened by grace, may prove mightier than all the weaknesses and trials through which our families sometimes pass. May we always have God at the center of our

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hearts and homes until we are all one family, happy and at peace in our true home with you. Amen.

God Bless,

Mrs. René Coons Principal Nazareth School

Holy Family of Nazareth Watch over us and protect us.

**Our Mission:** Nazareth School, "A school with a Mission," develops faith-filled learners who are guided by the Core Values of the Sisters of Nazareth, providing academic excellence rooted in Catholic tradition.

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