



# *St. Marys Catholic Elementary School*

## *Kindergarten Registration Application Instructions*



Enclosed please find the registration forms for St. Marys Catholic Elementary School Kindergarten.

Individual classrooms will be limited to around 20 students. No requests for a specific teacher will be accepted.

### *Two Steps through the Registration Process*

1. Complete the application form.
  - Please print legibly and sign the back of the form.
  - Present your application and a state-verified birth certificate. Children must be five years of age on or before August 15.
  - Present the child's baptismal certificate if he or she was baptized (this is not required for acceptance into the program).
2. Include a copy of current immunizations for the school nurse to review. She will be in contact with you if additional immunizations are needed. The current requirements are listed below.

If you have other questions, please call the school office at 834-4169.

### *Pennsylvania School Immunization Requirements*

Children **ENTERING SCHOOL** (at kindergarten or grade 1) need the following vaccines:

- ✓ 4 doses of tetanus\* (1 dose on or after the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday)
- ✓ 4 doses of diphtheria\* (1 dose on or after the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday)
- ✓ 4 doses of polio (1 dose on or after the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday)
- ✓ 2 doses of measles\*\*
- ✓ 2 doses of mumps\*\*
- ✓ 2 doses of rubella (German measles)\*\*
- ✓ 3 doses of hepatitis B
- ✓ 2 doses of varicella (chickenpox) vaccine or history of disease (with the first dose given on or after the 1<sup>st</sup> birthday)

\* Usually given as DTP or DTaP or DT or T

\*\* Usually given as MMR with the first dose given on or after the 1<sup>st</sup> birthday