## **Our Mission**

As a community of clergy, families, and educators, we endeavor to meet the challenge of living the faith as modeled by Jesus, through worship, message, and service. We recognize that Christian education is a lifelong process, and we share a ministry that encourages the child's total development. We strive to be caring individuals, who nurture the spiritual, intellectual, social, physical, and psychological well-being of our students.

## More about Our Lady's Kindergarten Program:

- Full day program since 2011
- Experienced teacher and a full time aide in the classroom
- Your child must be 5 years old on or before October 15th
- Kindergarten class attends weekly school liturgy for grades 1-8 at least once a month
- Kindergarten and 8th Grade Buddy Program to work together on special seasonal activities and help students when needed
- Active parent involvement in the classroom and school community
- Gift Certificate/Fundraising Program to earn tuition rebates
- Classroom set of iPads to enhance learning
- Hot lunch offered daily
- Extended Care before and after school
- Extracurricular Activities for Kindergarten: Glee Club, Soccer, Track and Cross Country







## **Contact Us**

It would be our pleasure to provide a tour of *Our Lady* to your family. The school office may be contacted at any time. (610) 868-6570 A Kindergarten Open House is offered in January during Catholic Schools Week. We welcome any questions you may have so feel free to contact us. Information about Our Lady also can be found on our website at *www.olphbeth.org*.

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# Kindergarten

# "Childhood is a journey, not a race."

# Enroll your child in *Our Lady's Kindergarten* for your child's learning journey!

Kindergarten is a significant milestone and the beginning of a lifelong, faith-filled journey. Our Lady's Kindergarten offers each child the opportunity to nurture his or her social, physical, intellectual and spiritual growth.



Our Lady's Kindergarten curriculum is grounded in the Catholic faith with basic academic and social skills being taught for the whole child. Our Language Arts lessons are based on a letter and theme of the week. Children are guided along their reading journey through rich text, learning centers, writing and digital resources. The basics of numerals and number sense are practiced each day. Technology is woven into our curriculum daily with our Smart Board lessons and a classroom set of iPads for instructional use and practice. Students are also introduced to Spanish, computers, physical education, art, music, library, science and social studies concepts.

Recognizing that each child develops differently and is uniquely gifted by God, our team of professional staff strives to help all children reach their full potential. We focus on nurturing a safe and caring environment. Using our Catholic values as a guide, Our Lady's Kindergarten ensures that your child is safe and comfortable in our classroom environment.





### Partner with Our Lady

Our school values parents as partners. We know that parents are the first and best teachers of their children. We look forward to fostering a positive relationship with you so that together we can achieve excellence in education for your child. We welcome parents into school to assist with classroom centers and celebrations. Volunteers are also needed for the lunch room, playground duty and field trips.

