



STATEMENT OF INTENT

The Statement of Intent is required to be completed by all school families and provides valuable information to the Finance Committee in preparing the operating budget of the Parish. The Statement of Intent informs us of the total amount of money that you, as a valued member of Our Lady of the Visitation Parish, plan to donate to the Parish during the 2023-2024 fiscal year. Personal information contained on your Statement of Intent will be kept confidential.

Our policy at Our Lady of the Visitation has been and will continue to be, that all school families financially support the Parish on a regular ongoing weekly or monthly basis, through the weekly offertory, in addition to paying tuition. Support through the weekly offertory will continue to allow our parishioners / parents to deduct their donations for tax purposes and to keep future tuition increases at a reasonable level.

The cost to educate a student is more than the tuition charged. The difference is made up by the parish subsidy. This subsidy is the payment made by the parish to the school in order to pay the deficit between operating costs and tuition income. Currently, the parish subsidy is approximately \$1400 per student. For families with one student, that would mean an average weekly contribution to the offertory of \$27, over 52 weeks, to make up the difference. For a family with two students, that would mean an average of \$54 a week, etc. Contributions less than or equal to this amount would not contribute to the overall upkeep of the Parish. Many of our families support our Parish extremely well and for that we are most grateful. While we realize that not all families can make up this difference we respectfully request that each family try to do their fair share.

PLEASE COMPLETE:

<p>Statement of Intent</p> <p>To be considered a contributing member in Our Lady of the Visitation Parish I will:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. participate in the faith life of the Parish by regular attendance at Mass AND 2. participate in the community life of the Parish by volunteering my time and talents in ministries and organizations as I am able AND 3. financially support the Parish on a regular, ongoing basis in addition to tuition, by using the Sunday offertory envelope or donating online at www.olvisitation.org <p>I can afford to contribute \$_____ per week average on a regular, ongoing basis.</p> <p>Print Name_____ Address_____</p>
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