

St. Finn Barr Catholic School
Preparing young, diverse minds for the future

AFTER SCHOOL CHOIR - Enrichment Program Fall 2019 Registration Form
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, September 13, 2019 - Start Date: Thursday, October 3, 2019
ONE FORM PER STUDENT

Participant Information				
Name of Child		DOB		
List any health conditions of which we should be informed		Grade	Fall 2019	
List any dietary restrictions, allergies or medical conditions		Male or	Female	
Parent Information				
Name of Parent or Guardian		Relationship		
Work Telephone		Home		Cell
Home Address		City		Zip code
Email Address				
Occupation				
Emergency Contact Information				
Emergency Contact		Relationship		
Work Telephone		Home		Cell Phone
Street Address		City		Zip code
Email Address				
Persons Authorized to pick up your child or children anytime (in addition to the names mentioned above)				
Name		Relationship		
Work Telephone		Home		Cell Phone
Medical Information				
Health Insurance Company				
Doctor		Telephone		
Dentist		Telephone		
Program	Program Provider	Fees		
Choir (5 th -8 th Grades only)	SFB	FREE		
<small>FINE PRINT</small> I understand and acknowledge that participation in these enrichment programs include activities that can result in physical injuries. I authorize the child/children named above to participate in all activities. On my own behalf and on behalf of the Child/children named above, I expressly and voluntarily assume the risks of these activities and hereby waive and release all claims (whether on behalf of the child/children named above or for my own benefit) against St. Finn Barr and the Program Providers (including its staff, employees, and agents) that may arise from injuries as a result of participating in activities, to the fullest extent allowed under California Law. If any aspect of this waiver is deemed to be invalid, I acknowledge that the remainder of the agreement will continue to have full force and effect. I hereby authorize the staff of the Programs to act according to their best judgment in any emergency or other situation requiring medical attention for the child/children named above. I understand that it is my responsibility to provide medical insurance coverage for the child/children named above while they are attending and to provide accurate and complete medical information. I acknowledge that the cost of any medical treatment provided to the child/children named above that are not covered by medical insurance will be my sole responsibility, consistent with the waiver of claims above. I agree that photos, video, and audio recordings including the child/children named above may be used by the Program for marketing purposes. I hereby grant permission for my child to participate in the selected Programs.				
Signature			Date	

FINAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Complete one form per child participant.
2. Include registration fees for all selected programs.
3. Money orders and checks only for registration fees.
4. Checks should be made payable to St. Finn Barr.
5. Please notate the participants name on the check/money order.
6. Return the complete form and check to the St. Finn Barr office.



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Dear Parents,

Thank you so very much for allowing your child to join the St. Finn Barr School Choir. Participating in this extra-curricular activity is an incredible way for your child to share his/her gifts with God and others.

Please familiarize yourself with the policies of the SFB Choir. If you have any questions, please contact me at 415-333-1800 or email at l.patriarca@stfinnbarr.org. Otherwise, please sign and return the permission slip along with the **AFTER SCHOOL CHOIR - Enrichment Program 2019-2020 Registration Form**. Your child will be signing a similar contract at our first choir rehearsal.

Thank you for your support with this important ministry of the Church!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Patriarca
Choir Facilitator





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Choir Permission Form

(Please return no later than Wednesday, August 28, 2019)

My son/daughter, _____, has my permission to be a member of the St. Finn Barr School Children's Choir for the 2019-2020 school year. My child and I have read through the Choir Handbook and understand the expectations, rules, and attendance policy that comes with being a member of this group.

I agree to pick up my child or to arrange transportation from school at 4:00 pm on Thursday afternoons.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ (Please print):

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____



Student Contract

I, _____, understand the rules, expectations, and attendance policy of being in the SFB Choir.

I understand that being a member of SFB Choir is a privilege and a serious commitment.

This includes:

- Attendance and punctuality during choir rehearsals.
- Not missing rehearsals, Masses, and other Liturgies unless I am sick or there is a family emergency.
- Active participation especially by singing to the best of my ability.
- Refrain from talking to those around me during the rehearsals.
- Be on my best behavior (no talking or socializing especially in Church) during Prayer Services and Masses.
- No eating after 3:10 pm or doing anything that may distract me from the rehearsal.

Lastly, I understand that if I break the rules, do not participate, or miss too many rehearsals, I may be removed as a member of the SFB choir.

Student Signature

Date: _____



CHOIR Music Calendar

St. Finn Barr Catholic School & Parish

2019-2020

DATE	DAY & TIME	EVENT
August 18	Sunday @ 10am	<i>Back to School Family Mass</i>
Sept 11	**Wednesday @ 930am	<i>Mass of the Holy Spirit</i>
Sept 21	Saturday @ 10am	<i>Feast of St. Finn Barr Mass</i>
Oct 4	Friday @ 8am (in yard)	<i>Blessing of the Animals</i>
Oct 20	Sunday @ 10am	<i>First Communion Enrollment Mass</i>
Nov 1	**Friday @ 9am	<i>All Saints Day Mass</i>
Nov 10	Sunday @ 10am	<i>Family Mass</i> <i>*Athletics Collection</i>
Nov 20	**Wednesday @ 930am	<i>Thanksgiving Prayer Service</i>
Dec 8	Sunday @ 10am	<i>Confirmation Enrollment Mass</i>
Dec. 12	Thursday @ 930am	<i>Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Service</i>
Dec 24	Tuesday @ 5pm	<i>Christmas Eve Children's Mass</i>
Jan 26	Sunday @ 10am	<i>Catholic Schools' Week Mass</i>
Jan 29	**Wednesday @ 930am	<i>Grandparents Day Prayer Service</i>
Feb 23	Sunday @ 10am	<i>Family Mass</i> <i>*Athletics Collection</i>

Feb 26	**Wednesday @ 9am	<i>Ash Wednesday Mass</i>
March 15	Sunday @ 10am	<i>Family Mass</i>
April 9	Thursday @ 930am	<i>Stations of the Cross</i>
April 9	Thursday @ 7pm	<i>Holy Thursday Mass</i>
April 11	Saturday @ 8pm	<i>Saturday Easter Vigil</i>
April 12	Sunday @ 10am	<i>Easter Sunday</i>
April 26th	Sunday @ 2pm	<i>First Holy Communion</i>
May 1	**Friday @ 9am	<i>May Crowning</i>
May 28	Thursday @ 10am	<i>Graduation Mass</i>
June 5	**Friday @ 930am	<i>Last Day of School Prayer Service</i>

Rehearsals

Choir practices are held in the 7th-grade classroom on **Thursday** afternoons from 3:10 - 4:00 p.m. From 3:00-3:10 pm, students may talk, use the bathroom, and have a snack. Once rehearsals start, students are not permitted to leave the classroom until dismissal at 4:00 pm. If a rehearsal is canceled for any reason, parents will be notified in advance through email. Also, there may be some **dates to be added** if we need more rehearsals. Below is a full list of rehearsal dates.

August	8/29
September	9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26
October	10/3, 10/17, 10/24
November	11/7, 11/14, 11/21,
December	12/5, 12/12, 12/19
January	1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 1/30
February	2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27
March	3/5, 3/12, 3/19, 3/26
April	4/2, 4/23, 4/30

May	5/7, 5/14, 5/21, 5/23,
June	6/4

Attendance Policy

If your child chooses to participate, attendance is **mandatory** and punctuality is **very important**. It is crucial that students are present at all rehearsals and Masses. If for some reason your child cannot attend the practice, please let me know so your child will be excused. Please note that **three unexcused absences or tardies** will result in your child being removed from the choir. However, it is understandable that conflicts do come up. If your child cannot attend a rehearsal or Mass, please send a note to school with your child or send me an email as soon as possible explaining his/her absence.

RULES and BEHAVIOR

1. Always sing your best and listen to directions.
2. No talking or socializing when directions are given.
3. Respect and support each other.
4. Be on your best behavior during rehearsals, Masses and Prayer Services

***PLEASE NOTE:**

If a choir member disregards the rules during a rehearsal, they will not be permitted to join us at our next scheduled Mass. If a choir member continues to disregard the rules, they will be dismissed from the group.

DRESS CODE:

The dress code for school Masses will be the full school uniform. But, when the choir sings at Sunday Masses, the dress code will be their Sunday best.

CHOIR BENEFITS

1. An opportunity to praise God by using your gift of singing.
2. Lead and enliven the celebration of the Eucharist.
3. Field trip at the end of the school year.
4. Homework coupon to be used in Math only.
5. Homework extensions in Math/Religion will be granted upon request. One request per week.

