



PARENT COVENANT **St. Theresa Catholic School**

We are blessed to have your family as part of St. Theresa Catholic School and are humbled by your trust in us. As a parent or guardian, you have an essential and irreplaceable role in the education of your child. **Catholic education works best** when parents and educators work together in a relationship of open communication, trust, and mutual respect. **We need you** as an essential partner to support your child while partnering with us in a Catholic community of faith. Building this community of faith is a primary mission of our school requiring a cooperative and supportive relationship with all members of its community including students and parents.

As such, this **Parent Covenant** has been developed to communicate our expectations as to how you can best partner with us in a manner reflective of our Catholic mission.

****PLEASE INITIAL EACH OF THE STATEMENTS BELOW:**

As a Parent or Guardian, I affirm that will:

_____ Understand and support the Catholic mission of St. Theresa Catholic School.

_____ Read, support, and follow school policies and procedures, embracing my role in promoting a harmonious school environment.

_____ Ensure that my child arrives on time to school every day unless there is a real emergency.

_____ Communicate and treat all others in the school community (students, teachers, staff, other parents) with respect, professionalism, and Christian care.

_____ Address questions and concerns at the lowest possible level, escalating to the next level when necessary.

_____ Assume positive intentions when addressing any concerns, working through concerns in a professional and solution-oriented manner.

_____ Refrain from unnecessary and negative gossip, including participation in harmful texts, chats, and social media interactions.

_____ Fulfilling at least ten (10) hours of Stewardship is a sign that we are actively involved with the school's mission and vision.

_____ Showing support for our school's Catholic values by attending Mass every Sunday (or Saturday evenings).

St. Theresa Catholic School is committed to Catholic faith formation, academic excellence and service in a nurturing, Christ-centered environment.

I understand that the school views the education of its students as a partnership between the parents and the school and that parents are required to comply with these expectations. I further understand that all enrollment and disenrollment decisions remain at all times at the discretion of the school. In addition, the school has the right to administratively withdraw a student if it determines at its discretion that the parent or student partnership is irretrievably broken.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Printed Name

Signature of Parent/Guardian #2 (if applicable)

Date

Printed Name

LIST NAMES OF ALL ENROLLED STUDENTS BELOW (WITH GRADE):

Name of Student

Grade

Name of Student

Grade

Name of Student

Grade

Name of Student

Grade