



ALUMNI NEWS

HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL

PRESIDENT'S UPDATE

MAY 2025

Greetings HFRS Alumni,

The school year is coming to a close, and the students are participating in memorable year-end events such as the May Crowning, Mothers' Dinner, Field Day, and the Eighth Grade Blessing Mass. It is delightful to watch our students create memories, build friendships, and grow in their faith and commitment to service. I hope you have fond memories of these special times and can relate to the enjoyment and bonding that takes place as the school year ends and summer approaches.

Throughout the year, we have hosted several alumni events, and the turnout and engagement have been encouraging. We are committed to building on this momentum and are excited about the prospect of organizing even more alumni events in the upcoming school year.

Thank you for your ongoing support and we look forward to the opportunity to collaborate with you in the future

Yours in Christ,

Mr. Jon Myers
President



JESUS CHRIST IS THE REASON FOR OUR SCHOOL

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MARIA SAAD '21
GRADUATES FROM EVEREST COLLEGIATE AND
SIGNED WITH AVE MARIA UNIVERSITY TO PLAY SOCCER IN FALL '25



BRIGID FITZPATRICK '22 AND MADISON
(MADDIE) LAWRENCE '22
RETURNED TO HFRS TO COACH THE
VARSITY CHEER TEAM AND DID AN
AMAZING JOB. THE CHEERLEADERS HAD A
FANTASTIC SEASON AND LEARNED SO
MUCH FROM THESE COACHES!

JACKSON SWORDS '21
GRADUATED FROM ROMEO HIGH SCHOOL AND WILL
BE ATTENDING AND PLAYING FOOTBALL FOR
KALAMAZOO COLLEGE IN THE FALL.



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JOEY LOESCHNER '17

RECENTLY GRADUATED FROM MICHIGAN STATE WITH HONORS IN ACCOUNTING. HE WILL BE INTERNING AT PRICEWATERCOOPERS IN DETROIT THIS SUMMER AND WILL BE STARTING HIS MASTER'S PROGRAM AND CPA STUDIES.

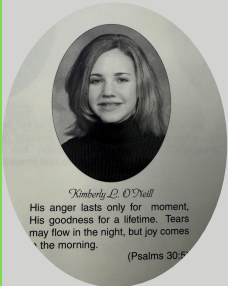


Rena Godish '94 has launched *Own It Public Relations*, a PR and media consultancy specializing in media relations, content development, crisis communications planning & management, and more. Rena has 20+ years of PR experience including representing large corporate clients such as Ford Motor Company, Deloitte, FiServ, and Dawn Foods; nonprofits including St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and Catholic Extension Society; and local and regional clients like the Chicago Auto Show, various chambers of commerce and more. Rena is available for both short-term/project work and long-term partnerships and she would love to work with Holy Family alumni! For more information, email renae@ownitpr.com or visit www.ownitpr.com.

SPOTLIGHTING HFRS ALUMNI



Kim (O'Neill) Chevalier and Michelle (Scollin) Braatz from the HFRS Class of 2002 have children who will be incoming students to HFRS in the Fall of 2025



Pictured in photo: Dad (Scott Chevalier), June (entering Y5), and Mom (Kim O'Neill Chevalier).

This fall, my daughter will begin her journey in the Young 5's program at Holy Family, the very place where I walked the halls as a student years ago. It's hard to put into words what it means to see her start her education in the same classrooms where I first discovered a love of learning, formed lasting friendships, and grew in my Catholic faith.

My time at Holy Family shaped not only my education, but who I am. The values I carry today—kindness, service, integrity, and faith—were nurtured by the incredible teachers and the close-knit school community. It wasn't just about academics; it was about becoming a whole person, grounded in faith and guided by purpose.

There's something truly special about being able to give my daughter the same gift: a strong foundation rooted in Catholic education. I know she will be supported, challenged, and loved—just as I was.

It feels like a full-circle moment, and I couldn't be more grateful.



Pictured in photo: Dad (Adam Braatz), Mom (Michelle Scollin Braatz) holding baby sister Isabelle (9 months); Grace (bottom left), little sister Abby (bottom right).

We are happy to have Grace attending Holy Family Regional School next year to learn and have fun in a welcoming and faith filled community.

It is an amazing experience to pass on to our children who will now be able to have great learning experiences and build life-long friendships just like mom did at Holy Family.

Grace will also be joining her older cousins and cannot wait to meet her new classmates in the Fall!

HFRS GOLF OUTING 2025

This year's Golf Outing was a huge success with over 130 golfers braving the cool temperatures to support HFRS. The outing was held at WestWynd and several alumni were spotted on the course.

HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL

32ND ANNUAL GOLF OUTING



Scan QR Code
or
[Click Here to Register](#)

**Ladies Tournament &
Men's Tournament**

Sponsorships Available

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ALL ARE WELCOME
PARENTS, GRANDPARENTS,
ALUMNI, AND FRIENDS

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Register now, space is limited.

All proceeds support the
students of Holy Family
Regional School.

MONDAY
MAY 19, 2025
WESTWYND GOLF CLUB
OAKLAND TOWNSHIP

Check-in: 8:00 am
Shotgun start: 9:00 am





Jackson Sancimino '19 and Chris Pagano '19 with friends.



Chris Maltese '04 with friends.

It's not too late to support!

HFRS Annual Fund

We are grateful to all who have made contributions to the Annual Fund.

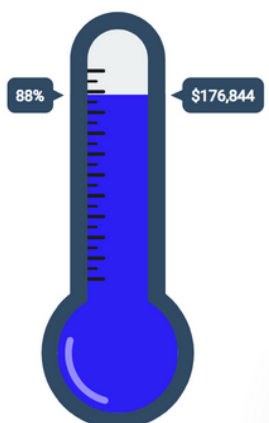
This year the actual cost of educating one child at HFRS is \$8,570. The difference between the actual cost and the cost of tuition and fees will be made up through our fundraising efforts. We ask that you prayerfully consider a tax-deductible donation to the school that will help us fill the gap. A contribution in any amount is welcomed, appreciated, and is considered an affirmation of our ministry in providing a Catholic education.

Click on this [link to make an online contribution](#) or use the QR code.

Thank you for supporting HFRS!



GOAL: \$200,000





HFRS Class of 2021

ALUMNI

**HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES
WE WANT TO CELEBRATE YOU!**

**JOIN US IN CAP AND GOWN FOR
THE HFRS CLOSING MASS**

FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 2025

10:00AM

ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH

**REFRESHMENTS IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING
THE MASS**

PLEASE RSVP BY MAY 31

HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO FIND CLASS REPRESENTATIVES FOR 36 OF OUR 41 GRADUATING CLASSES. WE ARE STILL SEEKING CLASS REPRESENTATION FROM THE CLASS OF '85, '86, '87, AND '90. IF YOU KNOW OF AN HFRS GRADUATE FROM ANY OF THESE YEARS, PLEASE HAVE THEM CONTACT THE ADVANCEMENT DEPARTMENT. WE WOULD LOVE TO SPEAK WITH THEM ABOUT CONNECTING THEIR CLASSMATES TO OUR EVENTS. ALSO, PLEASE ENCOURAGE ALL HFRS ALUMNI TO REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE TO RECEIVE ALUMNI COMMUNICATIONS.

2023 GAVIN VELICEVIC

2022 STELLA BABAJAN

2021 MARIA SAAD

2020 CHARLIE SEIP

2019 LILYANA ISHO

2018 CHRIS GALLE

2017 DREW SANDS

2016 SERGIO GUERRA

2015 EVARISTO GARCIA

2014 LAUREN NEIHEISAL

2013 MARINA (IZZ) DUBOIS

2012 SHAWN POTWARDOWSKI

2011 JENNA (SASSACK) BUR

2010 MARIA (REDOUTEY) HUA

2009 MARISSA DIMAMBRO

2008 ALEX EHMS

2007 MICHAEL BOUNDY

2006 SALVATORE MUNACO

2005 MAGGIE (KLOSTERMAN) DECKER

2004 CHRIS MALTESE

2003 ANTHONY STEWART

2002 JOHN VANDERCRUYSSSEN

2001 MELISSA (MCMAHON) MCINTOSH

2000 LAURA (VANDERCRUYSSSEN) NAZIONE

1999 SCOTT DOYLE

1998 DAVID DONOUGHE

1997 MARTY MACKOWSKI

1996 TRACY (CAREY) LOGAN

1995 ALDO SALERNO

1994 RENAE (PLACINSKI) GODISH

1993 ELIZABETH (DUDEK) KENNEDY

1992 COLLEEN (DOYLE) MCCABE

1991 ANDREA (BURNS) THOMAS

1990

1989 AMY (KOMENDERA) BERRY

1988 JULIE (CAMILLI) KLOTZ

1987

1986

1985

1984 JOHN PAUL BELANGER

1983 KATIE (BABCOCK) MASON

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