



**DIVINE MERCY**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

*Illuminating Minds, Cultivating Faith*

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## DMCS Newsletter May 20, 2021

Dear Parents-

The final days of the 2020-2021 school year are flying by and the anticipation of a normal summer filled with activities is making everyone giddy. Last night's 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> grade concert was another wonderful celebration. These students entertained us all and did so with style! A huge thank you goes out to all of them.

We look forward to our youngest students sharing some music with us tonight, Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM when our Pre-school students have their Spring Sing at Divine Mercy Catholic School gym. Our spring has been filled with song!

I hope you will be able to join us for our Year End celebration at Divine Mercy Catholic Church (139 Mercy Drive) tomorrow night. We will have food and fun for all. Festivities begin at 5 and go until dusk. We will then be showing a movie. Bring lawn chairs and blankets for seating. Thank you to all who have signed up to help. You can view the Sign-Up Genius here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050A4AACAD23A4F94-year>

Next week on Wednesday, May 26<sup>th</sup>, our Prekindergarten students will graduate. Each class will have a separate event so that more guests can attend. We are happy to celebrate with them as they prepare for their transition to Kindergarten.

We look forward to our pool day event to close out the year. This event will be weather dependent, but the plan is to walk



to Alexander Park for lunch then spend the afternoon swimming at the Faribault Aquatic Center. The Aquatic Center will be staffed. Students attending after care programs or riding the bus home will be transported back to school. All other students should be picked up at the Aquatic Center.

Our 5<sup>th</sup> grade students celebrate an end to their years here at Divine Mercy on Wednesday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. We will honor them at our last school Mass and then have a reception for them and their guests after Mass is finished. I am so grateful to be able to have these important end of the year rituals, and I look forward to celebrating with our students.

Please help us by participating in our online Scholarship Gala. There is information in

today's newsletter and there will be more info coming. There are many ways to participate including joining in on the silent auction. We have many items including class projects that will be up for bid. Thank you for spreading the word and supporting our school.

Our Art teacher, Lynette DeShane, has put together an online Art Show of student work for you. Click the [HERE](#) and ENJOY!

Blessings-  
Mrs. Ashley

*Every child is a Vision of Hope!*

Join us to celebrate the end of a wonderful year!  
**Friday, May 21st, from 5-dusk at**  
**Divine Mercy Catholic Church**  
**139 Mercy Drive**  
*Hope to see you there!*

**FOOD, FUN, INFLATABLES, KONA ICE, MOVIE!**  
**End of Year CELEBRATION**

*Divine Mercy Catholic School invites you to attend*



*Visions of Hope "Virtual" Scholarship Gala*  
**#DMCS2021**  
*Friday, June 18, 2021*  
*Host a watch Party at 6:45 • Gala begins at 7:00 pm*

<u>Dates to Remember</u>	
May 20	Preschool Concert 6PM DMCS
May 21	End of Year Celebration
May 26	K Readiness Concert/Graduation (Time dependent on class)
May 28	Dress Down Reward Day
June 1	Pool Party
June 2	End of School Year/5th Grade Celebration