



VanderKlugt Family Testimonial



We have been parishioners of Most Holy Rosary Church for over 30 years. To say that Holy Rosary Church and School have impacted our lives would be an understatement. Throughout the years we have shared in all of the changes experienced by both the Church and the School. The Church and School have definitely been a huge part of our lives. Holy Rosary Church and School have provided the opportunity for our family to grow in our faith, volunteer and teach.

During this time we have been blessed with four children. All of our children have been fortunate to have received all of the sacraments available to them up to and including Confirmation. They each have had the opportunity to grow strong in their faith which has allowed them to navigate their way into adulthood. All four have attended Holy Rosary Catholic School and have reaped the benefits of the quality education provided by the school. As a testament to this is the fact that all have gone on to attend Catholic High Schools and have experienced great success academically. This success in high school and college, can be directly attributed the quality education received at Holy Rosary School. Holy Rosary Church and School have also instilled a strong sense of service in each of our children.

Holy Rosary Church has also provided the opportunity for us to grow in our faith as a couple. We have attended several couple's events, the most influential being our couple's retreat or "Cursillo". During our "Cursillo" we re-discovered the strength of our faith and realized that together our faith is even stronger. It provided guidance to us with regard to where we were at and where we were going in our faith as a couple and as a family.

After much reflection on our years at Holy Rosary Church and School a common thread was very evident. At every juncture of our journey one person was always at the forefront of our growth in our faith and family. That person was Father Francisco Vicente. Although Father Vicente is no longer with us, his love for us as a couple, his love for our children and his love for our family still provides the guiding light to our journey in faith.

