

## What is Mission Day?

- Mission Day is an annual event to raise awareness of our baptismal call to mission and collect funds for the Church's mission efforts. Ascension School's founding nuns, the Ursuline Sisters, started this fundraiser in 1957 with a few games on card tables in the gym. It has grown to be Ascension School's *longest running* and one of the most memorable events of the school year for generation after generation of students.
- All parishioners, especially school families, are welcome to celebrate **62 years** of supporting the missions through prayer and play! For grades K-8, it is an out-of-uniform school day with normal school hours. *There is no school for preschool or multi-age on Mission Day*, although the children are welcome to come with their parents, grandparents, or caregivers to enjoy the carnival and festivities.
- The day starts with a prayer service at 9:00 am in the church to pray for the missions and is filled with fun carnival games, a fabulous raffle, pizza lunch, movie and popcorn and, of course, the incomparable Cake Walk and Goldfish Toss.

## Who does it benefit?

Proceeds support the mission work of the Ursuline Sisters (who staffed our school for 74 years) and the mission efforts of the parish, including the Summer Youth Projects. Plus, for this year's Children's Lenten Mission, we will help raise funds for 'Welcome Home': Ascension is partnering with Housing Forward to furnish five apartments for homeless clients moving into supportive housing. Over the past nine years, Mission Day has raised about \$62,765 towards these valuable projects!

## When & Where?

### Friday, February 15, 2019

<b>Prayer Service:</b>	9:00 am in Church
<b>Mission Day Festivities</b>	Ascension School Gym:
<b>Grades: K-3:</b>	10:00 am to 11:45 am
<b>Grades: 4-8:</b>	12:15 pm to 2:15 pm
<b>PreK/Multi-age: w/chaperones:</b>	10:00 am to 11:45 am ( <i>No school for PreK/Multi-age</i> )

## How much?

**Lunch:** \$5.00 **Games:** \$2.50/10 tickets (Games 2 tickets) **Raffle:** 25¢ and \$1

## What to do?

In order to continue with this Ascension tradition, we need your help. We need in excess of 100 volunteers for this event. The Mission Day Committee is using **SignUp.com** (the leading online signup and reminder tool) to organize Mission Day 2019.

Here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

1. Click this link to go to our invitation page on SignUp.com:

<http://signup.com/go/KjohsS> (case sensitive)

2. Enter your email address: (You will NOT need to register an account on SignUp.com)

3. Sign up to help with Mission Day 2019! Choose your spots - SignUp.com will send you an automated confirmation and reminders. Easy! Note: SignUp.com does not share your email address with anyone. If you prefer not to use your email address, please email [missionday@ascensionoakpark.com](mailto:missionday@ascensionoakpark.com) with the information on the Volunteer and Donor Form and we can sign you up manually.

## What to do?

<b>Purchase:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Lunch &amp; Game Tickets (&amp; blue Mission Day Tote Bag)</b> Use: "Lunch and Game Ticket Order Form"  <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Raffle Tickets</b> Use: "Grand Prize Raffle Chances" form "Little Raffle Chances" form
<b>Volunteer:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Work at Mission Day</b> (must be registered for VIRTUS training) Sign up via SignUp.com: at <a href="http://signup.com/go/KjohsS">http://signup.com/go/KjohsS</a> or use: "Volunteer and Donor Form"
<b>Can't Volunteer?:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Please help increase the school's Mission Day donation by purchasing drinks or supplies via SignUp.com (see above for web address) or use: "Volunteer and Donor Form"
<b>Bake*:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Cakes for Cake Walk and/or Cookies/Cupcakes/Treats for Pastry Booth use SignUp.com (see above) or "Volunteer and Donor Form" *Please: No Nut Products in Cakes or Baked Goods
<b>Donate for Raffle:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> For "Grand Prize Raffle" (\$50 & over) & "Little Raffle" (\$20 & under) donations, please email: <a href="mailto:missionday@ascensionoakpark.com">missionday@ascensionoakpark.com</a> Raffle Ideas: Legos, games, crafts, DVDs, gift cards, Christmas duplications etc. (or provide monetary donation to help underwrite Mission Day 2019)

## Important Dates

<b>Lunch and Game Ticket Form Volunteer/Donor Form or SignUp.com</b>	<b>Due: Friday February 1, 2019</b>
<b>Raffle Item Donations</b>	<b>Due: Friday February 1, 2019 (Thank You!)</b>
<b>Mission Day Setup</b>	<b>Thursday February 14, 2019</b> Starting in Gym 6:00 pm until 7:00 pm
<b>Mission Day 2019 is here!!</b>  -Cake & Bakery Drop Off: 7:30-9 am -Set-up: 7:30-9 am	<b>Friday February 15, 2019</b>  <b>Prayer Service:</b> 9:00 am in Church <b>Mission Day Festivities</b> Ascension School Gym <b>Grades: K-3:</b> 10:00 am to 11:45 am <b>Grades: 4-8:</b> 12:15 pm to 2:15 pm <b>PreK/Multi-age w/chaperones:</b> 10:00 am to 11:45 am ( <i>No school for PreK/Multi-age</i> )

## Questions

Please contact Mission Day Team: [missionday@ascensionoakpark.com](mailto:missionday@ascensionoakpark.com) or 708-732-1973.

Web Site: [www.ascensionoakpark.com/school/missionday](http://www.ascensionoakpark.com/school/missionday)

## Lunch and Game Ticket Order Form

Please write your child's name on EACH section. (The form will be cut)



### Lunch (includes reusable Mission Day tote bag)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student lunch includes pizza and drink (juice or water) during carnival. **\$5.00**



### Game Tickets

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

	Quantity	Ticket Total
Strip of 10 tickets @ \$2.50 each	_____ Strips x \$2.50	\$ _____

Games require 2 tickets. There are approximately 20 games.  
 Plus the Cake Walk, Pastry Booth and Raffle.  
 May order 1/2 strips. Unused tickets can be used for Raffle.

Suggested Quantity:  
 AM: 3-4 Strips  
 PM: 4-6 Strips



### Total \*Cash or Checks payable to: Ascension School Mission Day

A single check can be written for your family  
 for Lunch and Game Tickets plus Raffle.

Mark Envelope 'Mission Day'  
 (Raffle Tickets can be included in same envelope)

Help offset Mission Day costs  
 thereby increasing the proceeds  
 to Mission recipients

Lunch Order: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Game Tickets Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Raffle Ticket Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Monetary Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Enclosed or Family Total\*: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

Chances **25¢** Each or  
**\$3** for Entire Sheet

# Little Raffle Chances

■ Every year some prizes are unclaimed because we do not know how to contact the winner. Please include the student's grade and teacher.

■ Please do not cut this sheet. This will be taken care of by Mission Day staff.

■ Leftover Game Tickets can be used for the Raffles

■ Cash and Checks are accepted

Checks payable: **Ascension School Mission Day**  
 May include in envelope with Lunch & Game order.  
 Raffle sheets and money accepted up to 2:15 pm on Mission Day.

■ More sheets available on line at

[www.ascensionoakpark.com/school/missionday](http://www.ascensionoakpark.com/school/missionday)  
 -FILLABLE PDF. Enter information and remainder of fields will autofill. If you want to put multiple names, please print and write in.

Name		Name	
Grade		Grade	
Teacher		Teacher	

Name		Name	
Grade		Grade	
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# Grand Prize

## Raffle Chances

Name	
Grade	
Teacher	

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Teacher	

Chances \$1 Each or  
 \$7 for Entire Sheet

# Grand Prize to be announced!

### ■ FILLABLE PDF

Enter (all in one line)

### ■ NAME(, ) GRADE\_ (, ) TEACHER

Example: Davy Crockett, Grade 2, Ms. Ford

The remainder of fields will autofill.

■ If you want to put multiple names, please print and write in.

■ **Please do not cut this sheet. Mission Day staff will cut into strips.**

■ Cash and Checks are accepted-payable to: **Ascension School Mission Day.** May include in envelope with Lunch & Game order. Raffle sheets and money accepted up to 2:15 pm on Mission Day.

■ More sheets available on line at [www.ascensionoakpark.com/school/missionday](http://www.ascensionoakpark.com/school/missionday)  
 Can use mailing labels and photocopies.

■ Leftover Game Tickets can be used for the Raffles