



April 24, 2026

Dear St. Anne Families,

We have just four school days remaining in April, and by next Friday, we will officially begin our final full month of the school year. As we enter this last stretch, our classrooms remain busy with meaningful learning, special activities, and opportunities for students to continue building on all they have accomplished this year.

The liturgical calendar reminds us that April 24 is the Feast of St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen. He was a priest and martyr known for his deep faith and dedication to teaching and guiding others. His life serves as a wonderful example for our school community, reminding us to stay rooted in our faith, seek the truth, and use our gifts in service to others.

We also look forward to celebrating our third graders as they receive their First Holy Communion on Saturday, April 25, at 10:00 a.m. Our students have worked very hard in preparation for this special day, and we are so proud of their commitment, reverence, and excitement. Special thanks to Mrs. Lisson, our third grade teacher and Director of Religious Education, for her dedication and care in preparing the students. We keep them in our prayers and are grateful to their teachers and families for their continued guidance and support.

Our next school Mass will be held on Friday, May 1. This Mass is also the May Crowning. May Crowning is a traditional Roman Catholic ritual held during the month of May - dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary - when a statue of Mary is adorned with a crown of flowers in honor of her as the Queen of Heaven and Queen of May. As always, parents are warmly welcome to attend.

Thank you to everyone who has already reenrolled their child for the 2026–2027 school year. Enrollment is now open to both current families and the broader community, and we are truly grateful for your continued trust and support of St. Anne School.

Thank you, as always, for your partnership and support. Together, we will make this final month of the school year a positive, productive, and faith-filled time for our students.

With prayers and blessings,

Dr. Gregory Fries

**St. Anne, Pray for Us!**

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## FINANCIAL AID ASSISTANCE

- Financial Aid applications are now being accepted via our Simple Tuition Solutions (STS) System
- We encourage everyone to apply, and all grade levels are considered
- When you apply make sure you are on the 2026/2027 school year
- Financial Aid is limited and there are income requirements
- Lowest incomes are granted assistance first

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Vasko at 610-868-41482 or [rvasko@stannebethlehem.org](mailto:rvasko@stannebethlehem.org)

School Code: 20398

# St. Anne School & CYO Volunteers

## AN IMPORTANT REMINDER

**ALL** volunteers, whether you supervise children or volunteer at a school or CYO event ...are required to obtain child safety clearances.

Many parents have asked, "Why does the Diocese require more clearances than most area public school districts?"

1. We are required by law to complete all PA State clearances, in addition to the National Sex Offender Registry clearance- which will likely be added to the State requirements in the future. These clearances expire every 5 years.
2. The Diocese, as its own Educational/Religious Entity, like a school district, has its own set of requirements – these include signing off on policy acknowledgements and completion of the *Protecting God's Children* one-time training. These are usually once and done.

The Diocese believes that for the benefit, safety and best interests of staff, volunteers, and students, it is imperative that the maximum clearances be completed.

**Please note:** August – November is a remarkably busy time to obtain clearances as new school families are requesting clearance information and CYO volunteers/coaches are signing up to participate.

**Please contact me now** – if you wish to complete your clearances now or over the summer in preparation for the new school year; or if you wish to check your clearance status. I am happy to assist you and provide the necessary information and paperwork to complete the process.

**CYO Coaches:** In addition to your volunteer clearances...your **CYO Sudden Cardiac and Heads Up Concussion** trainings are required annually at the beginning of each new academic school year. You may begin to complete these trainings for 2026-2027 after July 1, 2026, by going to the St. Anne CYO website for the link to these trainings.

I am happy to attend any group meeting of volunteers, etc. to clarify or answer any questions about clearances. Please contact me at any time. Thank you.

Eileen Brida  
Safe Environment Coordinator  
[ebrida@stannebethlehem.org](mailto:ebrida@stannebethlehem.org)



## 2026-2027 St. Anne School Calendar

August	Monday	31	First Day of School
September	Fri-Mon	4-7	Labor Day – School Closed
	Tues-Tues	8-22	STAR Testing – Testing Window Dates
	Friday	25	Early Dismissal – 11:45 a.m.
October	Monday	12	Columbus Day – School Closed
	Wed-Fri	21-23	Early Dismissal - 11:45 a.m.
			Parent Conferences
November	Friday	6	Early Dismissal – 11:45 a.m.
	Tuesday	24	First Trimester Ends
	Wed-Mon	25-30	Thanksgiving Holiday – School Closed
December	Tuesday	2	Second Trimester Begins
	Wednesday	23	Early Dismissal – 11:45 a.m.
	Thurs-Thurs	24-31	Christmas Holiday – School Closed
January	Friday	1	New Year's Day – School Closed
	Monday	4	School Reopens
	Mon-Fri	11-22	STAR Testing – Testing Window Dates
	Monday	18	MLK Day – School Closed Inservice
	Sunday	31	Catholic School Week
February	Mon-Sat	1-6	Catholic School Week
	Friday	5	Early Dismissal – 11:45 a.m.
	Monday	15	President's Day – School Closed
March	Friday	5	Second Trimester Ends
	Monday	8	Third Trimester Begins
	Friday	12	Early Dismissal – 11:45 a.m.
	Wednesday	24	Early Dismissal – 11:45 a.m.
	Thurs-Mon	25-29	Easter Break – School Closed
April	Friday	16	Early Dismissal – 11:45 a.m.
May	Mon-Fri	10-21	STAR Testing – Testing Window Dates
	Friday	28	Early Dismissal – 11:45 a.m.
	Monday	31	Memorial Day – Schools Closed
June	Tuesday	8	Kindergarten Last Day
	Wednesday	9	Last Day of School for Grades 1-7
	Wednesday	9	Early Dismissal 10:45 a.m.

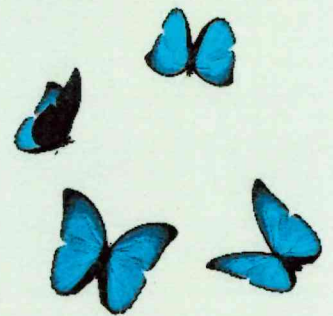
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Join us for the St Anne School  
Middle School (6th-8th grade)

# Farewell dance



Friday, May 1st

7-9pm

\$5 admission-school ID  
required

Photo booth available

**Food and drink available for purchase**

**Appropriate dress attire required!**

Promo Code - Summer26  
to Save \$30 (3/31)

All Campers  
will receive a  
camp T-Shirt  
(through 6/6)

# LOU CECALA

*Memorial Summer Baseball Camp*

**Early Drop off**  
available for additional Cost

**June 15-18 9 am - 12:30 pm**

Ages 5-14



**Notre Dame High School**  
3417 Church Road, Easton, Pa 18045



**Register here**



### **About This Camp:**

The 2026 Lou Cecala Youth Baseball Camp will be presented by the Notre Dame High School coaches and players. Other area high school coaches will assist as well. The camp will provide young athletes with knowledge of basic and advanced fundamentals through various skills and drills. The camp is held in an atmosphere of learning and having fun, while preparing players with new skills in a safe environment.

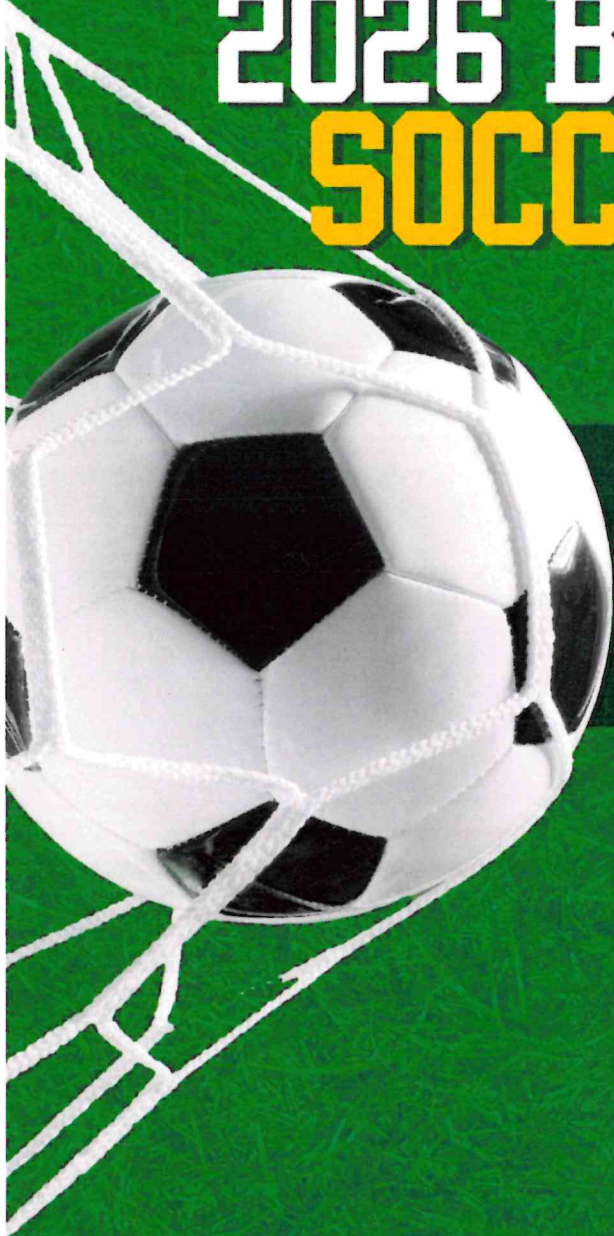
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More Information: [mbedics@ndcrusaders.org](mailto:mbedics@ndcrusaders.org)



# 2026 BLUE & GOLD SOCCER CAMP



DATE

**JUNE 29 - JULY 2**

**9:00-11:30AM**

**BOYS & GIRLS  
6-14 YEARS OLD**

CAMP VENUE

**NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL**

3417 Church Road, Easton, PA 18045

SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER

**\$100**

Checks made payable to  
**NDHS GIRLS SOCCER**

Venmo: @NotreDame-High School  
with Girls Soccer in memo line



**CONTACT INFO: GIRLSSOCCER@NDCRUSADERS.ORG**

→ NOTRE DAME GREEN POND ←

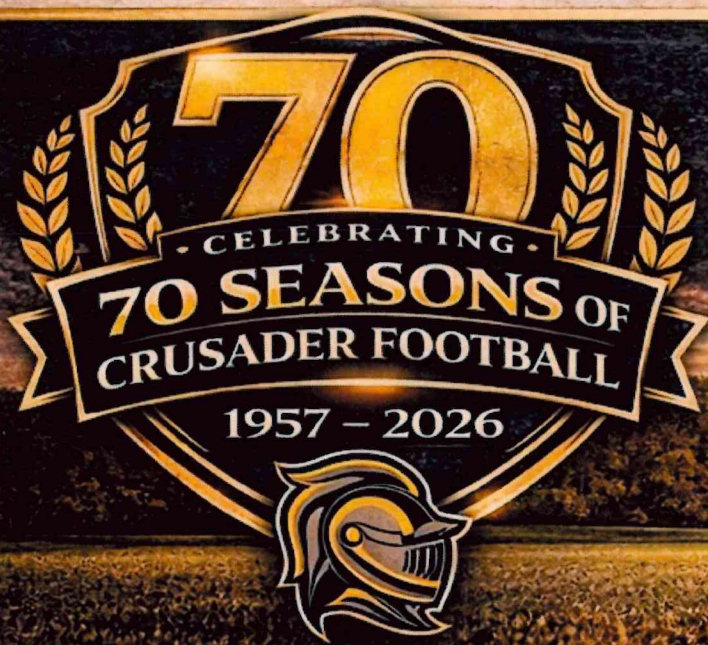
**FREE**

# YOUTH SUMMER FOOTBALL CLINIC

 TUESDAY, JULY 21

 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM

📍 3417 Church Road, Easton, PA 18045



- ◆ BACK-TO-BACK  
WHITE DIVISION CHAMPIONS
- ◆ UNDEFEATED  
REGULAR SEASON – 2025

OPEN TO ALL FEEDER SCHOOL ATHLETES GRADES K-8 • ALL ARE WELCOME

REGISTER: [NDLILCRUSADERS@GMAIL.COM](mailto:NDLILCRUSADERS@GMAIL.COM)

3417 Church Road • Easton, PA 18045

→ **TEAM FIRST** ←

# 2026 BLUE & GOLD

## *Girls Basketball Camp*

**WHO:**

**GIRLS ENTERING  
GRADES 3RD – 8TH  
FOR THE 26-27  
SCHOOL YEAR**

**WHEN:**

**MONDAY, JUNE 22  
THROUGH  
THURSDAY, JUNE 25  
12:00 PM - 5:00 PM**

**WHERE:**

**JEFF DAILEY  
COURT  
AT NOTRE DAME  
HIGH SCHOOL**

### **CAMP FOCUS:**

**SKILL DEVELOPMENT: DRIBBLING, SHOOTING, DEFENSE  
FUN GAMES AND COMPETITIONS  
TEAMWORK AND CONFIDENCE BUILDING  
LED BY ND COACHING STAFF AND PLAYERS**



**\$130**

**TO REGISTER, PLEASE CONTACT  
JOSH KOPP,  
GIRLS BASKETBALL COACH  
EMAIL: JKOPP@NDCRUSADERS.ORG**



NOTRE DAME GREEN POND

# CHEER CAMP

JUNE 15-19

9:00AM-2:00PM

FOCUS ON TEAM  
BUILDING,  
TECHNIQUES,  
DANCES,  
STUNTING/JUMPS,  
CHEERS AND  
CROWD  
INVOLVEMENT

**\$125**

**GRADES  
K-9**

**NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!**

*Campers will be divided  
by age and experience.*

*Last day of camp, students will celebrate with a pizza  
party for lunch followed by a showcase for parents to view.*

Registration



Contact info:  
[cfenton@  
ndcrusaders.org](mailto:cfenton@ndcrusaders.org)



Venmo:  
[@NotreDame-HighSchool](https://www.venmo.com/NotreDame-HighSchool)  
Subject line: Cheer camp



**STUDENTS  
ENTERING  
7<sup>TH</sup> &  
8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**

**NOTRE DAME  
2026 FOOTBALL TEAM!**

**DISTRICT XI  
CHAMPIONS**

2015 (AA)  
2016 (AAA)

**LEAGUE  
CHAMPIONS**

1979 (CENTENNIAL)  
2018 (COLONIAL)  
2020 (COLONIAL)  
2022 (COLONIAL-SCHUYLKILL)  
2024 (COLONIAL-SCHUYLKILL)  
2025 (COLONIAL-SCHUYLKILL)



*Register today!*

**PHILIP STAMBAUGH**  
HEAD NDGP FOOTBALL COACH  
EMAIL: PSTAMBAUGH@NDCRUSADERS.ORG

MIDDLE SCHOOL & YOUTH FOOTBALL  
EMAIL: LILCRUSADERS@NDCRUSADERS.ORG

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# VOLLEYBALL CLINICS

**AUGUST 1, 2026**



**HIGH SCHOOL PREP CLINIC**

**GIRLS 7TH AND 8TH GRADE**

**9AM - 12PM**

**FOCUSED 3-HOUR CLINIC: FUNDAMENTALS + HIGH SCHOOL CONCEPTS (OFFENSE/DEFENSE/POSITIONING) + GAMES/SCRIMMAGES**

**REGISTER HERE** <https://forms.gle/9TzyR6xePMFYpCfaA>

**\$50**

T-SHIRT INCLUDED

**CYO/MIDDLE SCHOOL PREP**

**GIRLS 5TH AND 6TH GRADE**

**1PM - 4PM**

**FUN 3-HOUR CLINIC: FUNDAMENTALS + PREP FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL/CYO + GAMES/SCRIMMAGES**

**REGISTER HERE** <https://forms.gle/oJGxWXGU3y7sMRUTA>

**\$50**

T-SHIRT INCLUDED



**SPOTS ARE LIMITED- GET YOUR ATHLETE REGISTERED EARLY!**

Contact info: Coach Zile at [girlsvolleyball@ndcrusaders.org](mailto:girlsvolleyball@ndcrusaders.org)

# NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL

## LADY CRUSADERS SOFTBALL CAMP

3417 CHURCH RD. EASTON, PA 18045



COVERING ALL ASPECTS OF THE GAME OF  
SOFTBALL IN A FUN, POSITIVE MANNER  
THROUGH DRILLS, SKILLS, AND GAMES!

# \$100

CAMP T-SHIRT INCLUDED!

## JULY 27-30 | 5:00-7:00PM

GIRLS, AGES 5-14  
ALL LEVELS WELCOME!  
FUN THEME DAYS!

Current Notre Dame varsity coaches,  
players, and alumni will instruct the camp.

REGISTER  
HERE!



Venmo - @Notre Dame-High School  
or checks are accepted

Contact: Coach Lilly for more information  
[glilly@ndcrusaders.org](mailto:glilly@ndcrusaders.org)



# NOTRE DAME LITTLE CRUSADERS

**REGISTRATION NOW  
OPEN FOR THE Fall 2026  
SEASON!**



**Football & Cheerleading:  
ages 4-12 year old**

**Sign Up Now!**

**[ndlilcrusaders.com](http://ndlilcrusaders.com)**



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# BOYS BASKETBALL CAMP

**JULY 13 - JULY 16**

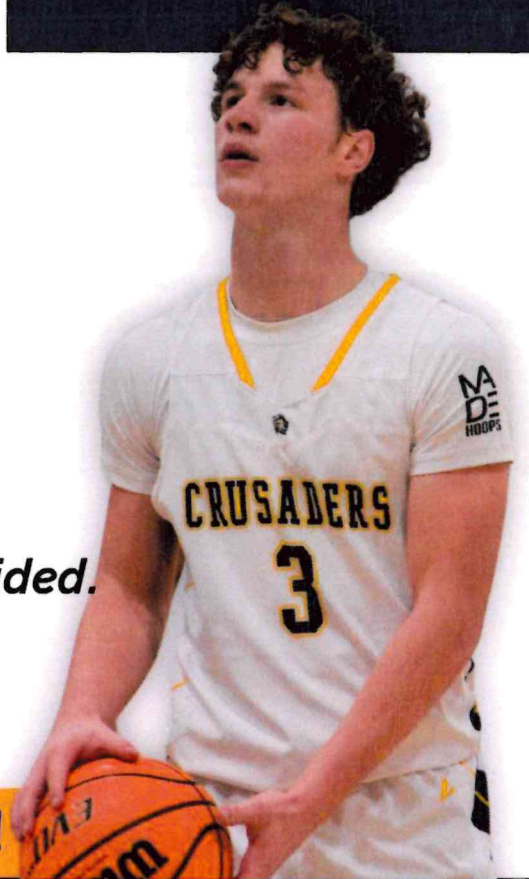
individual instruction in all aspects of the game with an emphasis on shooting techniques and defensive fundamentals. also have the opportunity to test their skills in game situations.

**9:00AM - 2:00PM**

**\$150**  
PER CAMPER

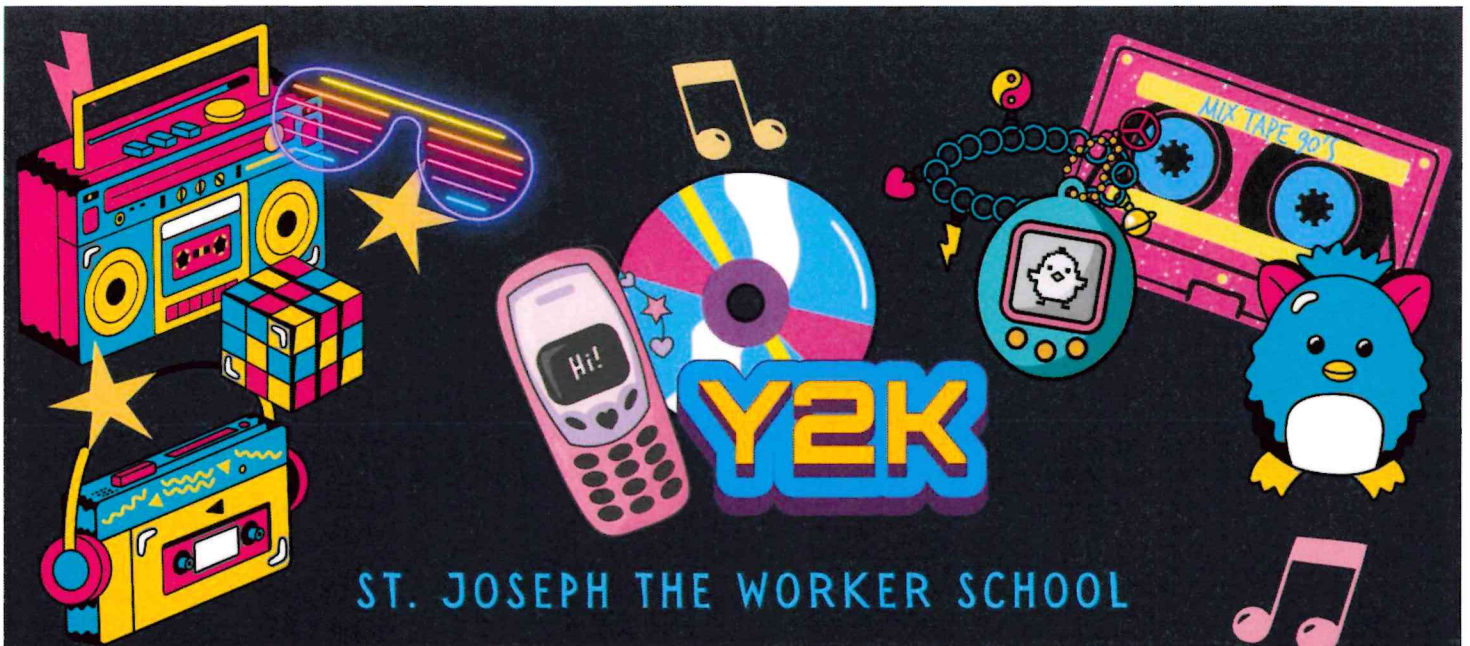
**AGES**  
**7-18**

*Campers must bring their own lunch.  
However, cold beverages will be provided.*



**CLICK THIS LINK TO REGISTER!**

Contact info: Coach Pat Boyle at [pboyle@ndcrusaders.org](mailto:pboyle@ndcrusaders.org)



ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER SCHOOL

# DANCING THROUGH THE DECADES!

Students must wear appropriate attire. The following are not permitted: spaghetti straps, tank tops, halter tops, tube tops, bare midriffs, hats, or hoods. Skirts, shorts, and dresses must be an appropriate length.

## NO PHONES ALLOWED!

### DIOCESAN SCHOOL DANCE | GRADES 6-8<sup>TH</sup>

(THIS EVENT IS LIMITED TO STUDENTS CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN AN ALLENTOWN DIOCESAN SCHOOL. MUST BRING SCHOOL ID.)

### STJW SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

1858 APPLEWOOD DR. OREFIELD, PA 18069

### SATURDAY, APRIL 25

### 7:00 PM TO 9:00 PM

### \$5 ADMISSION

### SNACKS AND DRINKS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

