

## **Our Spiritual Mission**

Prince of Peace Catholic School  
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At Prince of Peace Catholic School, in helping our students pursue holiness and grow in their personal relationship with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, it is our spiritual mission to foster:

- An uncompromising love for and obedience to our Holy Father (the Vicar of Christ on earth) and to the teaching of the Magisterium of the Church.
- A great love and reverence for the Most Holy Eucharist – from Holy Mass to adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.
- A Love for and a relationship with the Blessed Virgin Mary which leads us into a vibrant and loving relationship with Jesus Christ.
- A love and fraternal admiration for the Holy Apostles, Martyrs, and other Saints of the Church from whom we receive encouragement and example and with whom we are united in the liturgy in heaven.

We do this by uniting our actions to the celebrations of the Church according to the calendar of the liturgical year. Our actions include but are not limited to:

- Weekly attendance at Holy Mass on Wednesdays during the school year, with dress attire and behavior appropriate for honoring the presence of Our Lord in the Eucharist.
- Weekly adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in "Our Lady's Chapel" according to a schedule provided.
- Every 6-weeks Sacramental Confession for children 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and up.
- Honoring of the Saints and Our Blessed Mother on Saint's days and Holy Days. (e.g. All Saints Week at the end of October).
- Honoring of our Blessed Mother at a May Crowning and procession and praying the rosary as a school community and as individual classes.
- Celebration of our Holy Father Pope Benedict XVI on the anniversary of his election, April 19<sup>th</sup>, each year (aka Pope Day).