

# **Christmas Camp Information**

The Cathedral and Bishop John Carroll Cathedral School are excited to welcome your child(ren) to our Christmas Camp, held December 22–23 from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Before/Aftercare: Available if needed from 7:45am-9am and 3pm-5:30pm.

# Drop-Off & Pick-Up

If your child is just joining us or if you need before/aftercare, drop-off will be at the circle drive of the Monsignor Connor Center, located at 3300 N Lake Ave. As you face the Cathedral from its main entrance, the Connor Center is the building on the left.

We kindly ask that all families walk in with their child(ren). My team and I look forward to meeting you and answering any questions.

# What to Bring Each Day

- A packed lunch
- A reusable water bottle
- We will provide snacks and water

## **About the Camp**

The idea for Christmas Camp came from recognizing that parents often need a few extra days to prepare for the holiday season. In the midst of this busy time, we wanted to give children a joyful way to prepare for the birth of Christ, through fun games, hands-on activities, holiday cooking, and meaningful lessons about the true significance of our Savior's birth:

Our mornings begin right at 9:00 AM. If your child needs to leave early, just let Antonio Guzman know so we can plan ahead. Email: antonio@cathedralokc.org Cellphone: (402) 615-3247

#### **Our Team**

- Mary Calderon, who has extensive experience preparing meals for schools and camps.
- Hannah Finnegan, Music and Drama teacher for BJCCS.
- Luke Chansolme, has worked with youth organizations such as Moon Dance Adventures in South Africa and Mozambique along with various Summer Church camps like VBS, Athlete Camp and Lake Camp.
- Antonio Guzman, Director of Operations and Advancement for Our Lady's Cathedral and BJCCS.

#### **Allergies & Forms**

Because we'll be working with a variety of ingredients, it is essential that <u>Form A</u> is submitted. For students with food allergies, we will have alternative recipes ready to ensure everyone can participate safely.



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## **Safety & Security**

For everyone's safety, all facilities, including the Connor Center, school, gym, and Mercy Center, will remain locked throughout the day. If you need to pick up your child early, please call or text Antonio Guzman at (402) 615-3247. My number will also be posted on the Connor Center doors for convenience.

# **Culinary Camp Behavior Policy**

To ensure a safe, respectful, and fun environment for everyone, all campers are expected to follow these behavior guidelines:

#### Respect

- Treat fellow campers, staff, and volunteers with kindness and courtesy.
- Respect all personal space, property, and the camp environment.

### Responsibility

- Follow instructions the first time they are given.
- Stay with your group and participate fully in activities.
- Keep hands, feet, and objects to yourself.

#### Safety

- Use equipment as instructed.
- Practice good hygiene, especially during food prep.
- Report any accidents or concerns to a camp leader immediately.

#### Kindness

- Encourage one another and help others when needed.
- Use appropriate language and behavior at all times.
- Include others in games and activities.

#### Tell and Adult

- If someone is bothering your child, please encourage them to speak to an adult right away.
- We can only address issues if we know about them. Open and honest communication helps us create a safe and respectful environment for everyone.

### **Disciplinary Process**

If a camper struggles to meet behavior expectations:

- They will receive a verbal reminder.
- Continued issues may result in a conversation with a parent or guardian.
- Serious or repeated behavior may lead to early pickup or dismissal from the camp.