

## Tuition Assistance Options

**Parish Grant:** All Our Lady of Perpetual Help families who demonstrate they are “participating” as per the Five Commitments of Discipleship (or show progress towards) will receive the standard Parish Grant. This grant is progressively larger based on the number of Our Lady K-8 students in the family. The Parish Grant is not based on financial need.

To apply for the following needs-based financial assistance you must submit a Complete FACTS Grant & Aid online application, filed and verified by March 15, 2018.

**Parish Financial Assistance:** Offers additional Tuition discounts to “participating” Our Lady families to continue their Catholic education at Our Lady Grade School. Families who receive the Parish Grant can also apply for the Parish Financial Assistance.

**Diocesan Grant:** All Catholic and Non-Catholic families may apply for diocesan tuition assistance by completing a FACTS Grant & Aid online application, filed and verified by March 15<sup>th</sup> (only one application per family is necessary).

**Guardian Angel Tuition Assistance:** Offers students in any grades from parishioner families who have financial needs above and beyond other assistance given. Generous parishioners and other friends provide this grant money. The number and amount of grants may vary year to year and are awarded to individual students based on need, in consultation with the pastor.

**Knights of Columbus Tuition Grant:** Assists Our Lady students whose families are active Our Lady parishioners.

**Pat Fotheringham Athletic Grant:** Assists Our Lady students whose families are active Our Lady parishioners. Families who have current (2017-18) 7<sup>th</sup> grade students may apply. Grants of \$250.00 each will be awarded to one 7<sup>th</sup> grade boy and one 7<sup>th</sup> grade girl who have participated in Our Lady sports during 2017-18 school year. Students with financial need will be considered first.

**Saints Fund Grant:** Assists one student of a participating family who is enrolled in grades 4-7 for the 2017-18 school year. The grant of \$250.00 will be awarded to the student who best expresses his or her dedication to Catholic education and exemplifies the legacy of an Our Lady of Perpetual Help alumni. Students must write an essay to be considered and the winner will be chosen by a select committee.

### *ODE Programs*

**EdChoice Traditional/EdChoice Expansion:** Our Lady is a provider for these Ohio Department of Education (ODE) programs For information, visit [education.ohio.gov/edchoice](http://education.ohio.gov/edchoice) or contact Julia Shappert at [jshappert@cdeducation.org](mailto:jshappert@cdeducation.org) or (614)875-5411. The application process will open in February.