



Dear Friends:

As we all adjust to the changes in our community and society brought about by the pandemic, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families. We hope you're staying safe and healthy. The last few months have been emotional and trying for all of us, but we continue to be inspired by the goodness in people and the genuine acts of kindness that we see every day. We believe that in time we can emerge resilient and stronger.

During this most difficult time, the Ursuline Preschool & Kindergarten is unwavering in our mission to provide the best Catholic education available for your children. Our staff has worked tirelessly to keep students engaged with remote activities, Zoom classes, mystery readers, and social and emotional connections with their classmates and their school. We have also reached out to our school families, providing food and household essentials due to job loss and hardships associated with the pandemic. Lastly, we are always looking for ways to raise funding to help any family who is struggling.

As you may be already be aware, our annual fundraising events are in jeopardy due to current and possibly future COVID-19 restrictions. These events help us to provide the latest technology, enhanced physical education programs, and our foreign language instructor. As we quickly adapt to meet the challenges of the COVID-19 crisis, we must figure out innovative ways to fundraise to achieve these goals.

This November, we will be partnering with our sister organization, the Ursuline Sisters HIV/AIDS Ministry children's program, to host our first ever **VIRTUAL Nun Run!** A virtual race is a race that can be run (or walked) from any location. Run, jog, or walk on the grass, on the sidewalk, on a trail, on the treadmill, or on the track. Participants can run/walk their race anytime during the month of November. Children can run their race distance at their own pace. Once finished, a runner/walker's time is uploaded onto our race website and shared throughout our social media sites. It is a wonderful way to support our vital mission, stay active, and get the whole family involved in a healthy activity.

**Please consider a tax-deductible sponsorship for our event** (Tax ID #31-1493656). These funds will help to continue the excellent early childhood education for your children and future generations.

Feel free to contact us with any questions you may have. We have attached a flyer with sponsorship opportunities; please note that **100% of your sponsorship money will go to the Ursuline Preschool & Kindergarten.** The deadline for sponsorships is **Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup>.**

We have also included a race registration form in case you would like to participate in our event. If you have any questions, please contact me at (330) 792-4150, or at [upsk4300@gmail.com](mailto:upsk4300@gmail.com). You can also visit our race website at [www.runsignup.com/nunrun](http://www.runsignup.com/nunrun) for more information or to register online. Thank you for your generosity.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mary Ann Critell".

Mary Ann Critell  
Principal/Director



# The Virtual Nun Run

## 5k Race/1 Mile Walk with Kids' Run



### Sponsorship Levels and Benefits

**\$5,000**

**Sprinter**

- Your logo/name included at the top of all sponsors on race t-shirts
- A thank you ad with your logo, tagging you or your company on Facebook targeting our nearly 17,000 followers
- A full color, thank you ad with your logo listed on top of all sponsors in the Business Journal
- Your logo listed in the donor section of our race sign up website
- Opportunity to include giveaway/coupons in race goody bags (given to all participants)
- 4 complimentary race entries

**\$2,500**

**Runner**

- Your name listed in large font on back of race t-shirts as a sponsor
- A thank you ad with your logo, tagging you or your company on Facebook targeting our nearly 17,000 followers
- A full color, all-sponsors, thank you ad with your logo in the Business Journal
- Your logo listed in the donor section of our race sign up website
- Opportunity to include giveaway/coupons in race goody bags (given to all participants)
- 2 complimentary race entries

**\$1,000**

**Jogger**

- Name listed on back of race t-shirts as a sponsor
- A thank you ad with your logo, tagging you or your company on Facebook targeting our nearly 17,000 followers
- A full color, all-sponsors, thank you ad with your name/company listed in the Business Journal
- Your logo listed in the donor section of our race sign up website
- Opportunity to include giveaway/coupons in race goody bags (given to all participants)
- 1 complimentary race entry

**\$750**

**Power-Walker**

- Name listed on back of race t-shirts as a sponsor
- A thank you ad with your logo, tagging you or your company on Facebook targeting our nearly 17,000 followers
- A full color, all-sponsors, thank you ad with your name/company listed in the Business Journal
- Opportunity to include giveaway/coupons in race goody bags (given to all participants)
- 1 complimentary race entry

**\$250**

**Walker**

- A thank you ad with your logo, tagging you or your company on Facebook targeting our nearly 17,000 followers
- Opportunity to include giveaway/coupons in race goody bags (given to all participants)

**Sponsorship Deadline Date: Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsorship Level**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sprinter | \$5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Runner           | \$2,500  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jogger   | \$1,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Power Walker     | \$ 750   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Walker   | \$ 250  | <input type="checkbox"/> General Donation | \$ _____ |

Make checks payable to: Ursuline Preschool & Kindergarten

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If you have any questions, please contact Mary Ann at: 330-792-4150, or by email: upsk4300@gmail.com.