



"And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but encourage one another, especially now that the day of his return is drawing near"  
 -Hebrews 10:25

**FRI, MAY 2 - SUN, MAY 4**

Scan for registration information & volunteers sign-up:



To volunteer & register for events: [WWW.STGERARD.ORG/SPRING-FESTIVAL](http://WWW.STGERARD.ORG/SPRING-FESTIVAL)

**FRIDAY**

TEEN DANCE

BINGO

KARAOKE

FOOD IN THE TENT

ENTERTAINMENT TENT  
ALL 3 DAYS

**SATURDAY**

5K WALK/RUN/ROCK

FESTIVAL GAMES  
& FOOD

LIVE MUSIC

HAT CONTEST &  
HORSE RACE GAMES

EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

JIGSAW PUZZLE  
CHALLENGE

**SUNDAY**

RAFFLES & PRIZES

CHICKEN DINNER  
& DESSERT

PLEASE REGISTER FOR THE  
FOLLOWING EVENTS:

- 5K WALK/RUN/ROCK
- JIGSAW PUZZLE CHALLENGE
- EUCHRE TOURNAMENT
- CHICKEN DINNER

VISIT THE ST. GERARD WEBSITE:  
[WWW.STGERARD.ORG/SPRING-FESTIVAL](http://WWW.STGERARD.ORG/SPRING-FESTIVAL)



**Faith Goes the Distance**

# **ST. GERARD 5K**

## **RUN, WALK, ROCK**

This is a family friendly event; all ages and abilities are welcome!

- Register by April 20th, to be guaranteed a T-shirt.
- Race Start Time: 9:30 AM
- Pricing: \$25 until 4/20, then \$30.
  - Families of 4+ people \$75 until 4/20 then \$90.

Race Day Packet Pickup: 8AM in tent outside Father Weber Hall.



**RUN, WALK & ROCK**

Register:

[www.runsignup.com/Race/MI/Lansing/StGerard5k](http://www.runsignup.com/Race/MI/Lansing/StGerard5k)

# Cake Walk

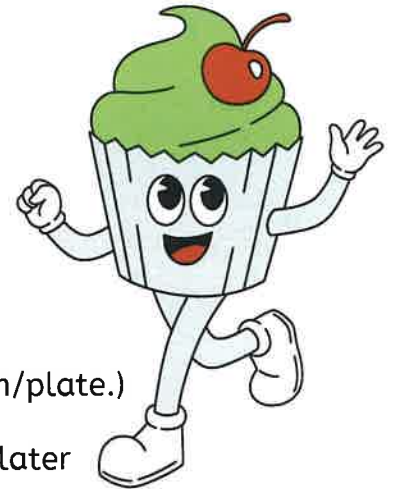


**Saturday, May 3rd, 2025**  
**Located in the Gym Noon - 4PM**

Baked goods donations needed prior to the event!  
Please donate and help your St. Gerard Student's Classroom.

## CLASSROOM PRIZES:

- 1st Prize: Jeans Day
- 2nd Prize: Jeans Day
- 3rd Prize: Ice Cream Party
- 4th Prize: Crumbl Cookie Party



## INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Make/buy a cake or baked goods. (Please use a disposable pan/plate.)
2. Drop off cakes in the preschool airlock on Thursday, May 1 no later than 10am, Saturday, May 3rd.
3. Attach this slip of paper to your baked goods with the student's name, grade and teacher. Your child's classroom earns 1 point for each item!

*Thank you for your help in making the 2025 Spring Festival a success!*

Contact: Josie Pedersen at (517)490-0279 if you have any questions or need to arrange a different time to drop off baked goods!



STUDENT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_

TEACHER: \_\_\_\_\_

# ST. GERARD TEEN DANCE

For St. Gerard and Lansing-Area Catholic School 7th & 8th graders



## FRIDAY MAY 2ND - GLOW PARTY THEME

ST. GERARD CHURCH PARISH HALL 7:00PM - 9:00PM

\$5.00 AND A NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM FOR ENTRY

WHITE OR NEON COLORED CLOTHING ENCOURAGED BUT NOT REQUIRED

REFRESHMENTS \$1-3

Please Contact Rachel Lipinski with any questions at: rachelrlipinski@gmail.com or 434-227-7423

***\*Please bring the signed permission slip with you to the dance.\****

Appropriate behavior, dress and dancing is expected. Students not following the rules will be asked to leave. No admittance after 7:30 pm. All students must be picked up by a responsible adult by 9:30 p.m.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, have read the above information and give my child,  
\_\_\_\_\_ permission to attend the St. Gerard Dance on Friday, May 2nd.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

May 2<sup>nd</sup> from 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. I can be reached at \_\_\_\_\_ or  
\_\_\_\_\_ in case of emergency.

\_\_\_\_ St. Gerard \_\_\_\_ IHM \_\_\_\_ St. Martha \_\_\_\_ St. Mary Williamston \_\_\_\_ Resurrection

\_\_\_\_ St. Thomas \_\_\_\_ St. Michael \_\_\_\_ St. Mary Charlotte



# St. Gerard Youth Summer Baseball & Tee Ball Registration

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the St Gerard Summer Tee Ball and Coach's Pitch program.

In order to form the proper number of teams it is important that you register your child as soon as possible; after teams are formed, late registrations will be added to teams only if space is available.

The tee ball and coach pitch teams will meet at the St. Gerard Athletic Fields on Tuesday and Thursday nights, beginning May 27<sup>th</sup> and continuing through July 1<sup>st</sup> (Rain-out make-up date July 8th). Tee-ball will meet from 6:00-7:00, and Coach Pitch will meet from 7:15-8:15. There will be no games on July 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Tee Ball is typically offered for ages 3-4-5-6 and is designed to give the boys and girls an introduction to the game and teach some of the rules of the game. Coach Pitch is typically for ages 7-8 and is designed to strengthen the basic skills learned in Tee Ball and prepare them for Pony Baseball.

The fee to play tee ball and coach pitch is \$65 per child, and includes a hat/cap that they can keep. You may turn in your money with a completed registration form to the St. Gerard school office. Please make checks payable to St. Gerard Athletics. Also, for tee ball and coach pitch, your child does not have to be a student at St. Gerard in order to play... all are welcome!

We are in significant need of parent and volunteer coaches in order to offer this program each summer. If you want to be a coach you need to be Virtus trained. If you have not been trained yet please contact the school office.

Thanks to all of the parents and volunteers who have made this program a success over the years. If you have questions you can send an email to [StGerardSummerSports@gmail.com](mailto:StGerardSummerSports@gmail.com).

# ST. GERARD YOUTH SUMMER TEEBALL & BASEBALL REGISTRATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian #1: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian #2: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Email #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Email #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## Sport Selected:

Boys and Girls Tee Ball (age 4-5-6)     Boys Coach Pitch (age 7-8)

Name of friend signing up: \_\_\_\_\_

## Shirt size (All children):

YS (8)     YM (10-12)     YL (14-16)     Adult S     Adult M     Adult L     Adult XL

Are you interested in being a head coach?    Yes    No

Are you interested in being an assistant coach?    Yes    No

In order to coach you need to be Virtus trained. Are you Virtus trained?    Yes    No

## MEDICAL RELEASE FORM

In order to insure prompt medical care in case of an emergency, this form must be signed. Without this permission we are unable to have your son or daughter treated.

In case of emergency, I give permission to a doctor and/or trained medical personnel to treat my child's injury.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Is there any information a doctor should know before treating your child? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Date of last tetanus shot? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Name of medical insurance AND policy number: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Name of family physician AND telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check Amount \_\_\_\_\_ Check Number \_\_\_\_\_



# Hey KIDS and families!

NED's Resiliency Ride is visiting our school! The assembly is filled with storytelling, humor, illusions and amazing yo-yo tricks where our kids learn the hidden message in NED's name:

- N**ever give up
- E**ncourage others
- D**o your best®

Do you want to learn to yo? A yo-yo is both a learning tool and a tangible reminder of NED's message. While learning to yo, children will make mistakes, try again and improve.

## Our school yo-yo sale

Our school received this assembly at no-cost because another school paid-it-forward to us. We want to help pay-it-forward too, and you can help by purchasing a NED-messaged yo-yo.

SALE DATES: \_\_\_\_\_ TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDITIONAL DETAILS: \_\_\_\_\_

Yo-yo designs, colors and availability may vary.  
Make checks payable to our school. Prices include tax (where applicable).



### STUDENT ORDER FORM:

#### REPLACEMENT STRING PACK

Ten assorted strings to change color or replace a worn out yo-yo string.

\$6



\$8

#### YO HOLSTER

Keep track of your yo and have it ready to go. Attach it to your belt loop or backpack (yo-yo not included).

#### CLASSIC YO

Learn the basics of yo-yoing with assorted fixed axle yo-yos.

\$10



NED (front)



NED (back)

#### SUPER SPINNERS

Great for basic and intermediate tricks. With a strong throw, these auto-return yo-yos 'sleep' at the end of the string & then comes back automatically.

\$14



MAX



TRIXIE

#### SPECIALTY SURPRISE SELECTION Assorted professional yo-yos for next level tricks! For younger players, add 5 string wraps around the axle for easy play.

\$18



SPARK



FLASH



UFO



XBOT



STARBURST



STORM



GALAXY



EXCELERATOR

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

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

For more yo-yo fun and to learn tricks, check out:  
**NEDkids.com**



Yo-yo designs, colors & availability may vary.  
Make checks payable to our school.  
Prices include tax (where applicable).

ITEM	PRICE	QTY.	SUBTOTAL
String Pack	\$6		
Holster	\$8		
Classic Yo	\$10		
Super Spinner	\$14		
Specialty Yo	\$18		
<b>TOTAL DUE</b>			



# PINEWOOD OPEN

## ENTRY FEES

SOLO RACER: \$10 FOR 1 CAR  
FAMILY PASS: \$24 FOR 3 CARS  
PARTY PACK: \$40 FOR 5 CARS

## QUESTIONS?

CONTACT RANDY LALONDE  
PD788@MIKOFCC.ORG

## PRIZES

1ST, 2ND, & 3RD PLACE  
BEST MOVIE-THEMED CAR  
REHMANN AWARD (CROWD FAVE)



**SATURDAY | MAY 31, 2025**

ST.GERARD PARISH HALL | 4437 W WILLOW HWY | LANSING

**REGISTRATION: 12PM - 12:45PM**  
**RACING STARTS AT 1PM**

**REGISTER HERE OR VISIT**  
**KOFC788.ORG/PINEWOOD-OPEN**



# ST. GERARD CATHOLIC SCHOOL 2025-2026 VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES



**VOLUNTEERS  
NEEDED**

The PTO is excited to offer a variety of volunteer activities for the upcoming school year! We have set up committees that may run for certain times of the year or the whole school year. We hope to make great things happen at our school and get more families involved.

Each committee will work with a PTO Executive Board Member so you have support and information to help you lead or participate on a committee. Please take a moment to see where your time and talents can be used. There are existing activities listed that need support but you can also help create new activities and traditions!

To sign up, scan the QR code below or go to:  
<https://forms.gle/afqkBAE5yBk7SdAn9>



## PTO Executive Board Positions

2025 – 2026

Dear St. Gerard families,

The St. Gerard PTO is looking for 1 new member to join our executive board for the 2025-2026 school year. The PTO is comprised of 16-17 members including 13 parents and 2 teacher representatives as voting members, and Principal Sara Wade. The PTO bylaws are available on the school website.

The St. Gerard PTO meets the second Tuesday of each month during the school year (except for December) for approximately 2 hours and is responsible for sponsoring many events throughout the school year. Meeting attendance and the availability to volunteer at some of the PTO-sponsored events is required, yet we are always flexible with your busy schedules.

Some of the PTO-sponsored events include managing the school supply store at the back-to-school open house, the ice cream social, the annual school auction, Fun Day and other Catholic Schools Week events, Teacher Appreciation Week, and the book fair.

As a St. Gerard parent, you are already a general member of the PTO. If you are looking for a way to get more involved, please consider submitting your name for the PTO Executive Board. A three-year commitment is expected, but not binding. We understand that circumstances can change. Thank you for considering this rewarding volunteer activity!

**Please scan the QR code below or go to <https://forms.gle/NUvSxqs7kktSFd4c9> to complete the interest form no later than Monday, May 12, 2025.** New members will be selected via random drawing on Tuesday, May 13.

If you have any questions regarding PTO, please don't hesitate to contact me at [PTO@stgerardlansing.org](mailto:PTO@stgerardlansing.org).

Sincerely,

Katie Wenstrom  
PTO President





# ST. GERARD CATHOLIC SCHOOL

LANSING, MI

## 2025 St. Gerard Athletic Commission Golf Outing

**WHEN:** Saturday May 10th, 2025

Registration and Donuts at 8:00 a.m./Shotgun start 9:00am

**WHERE:** Ledge Meadows Golf Course - 1801 E Grand Ledge Hwy

**WHY:** The money raised will go towards supporting various aspects of the St. Gerard athletics programs, including equipment, facilities, and team expenses.

**COST:** \$65 per golfer / \$260 per team (**NOTE: Max of 72 golfers for this event**)

**FORMAT:** Four-person scramble

*Lunch will be served at the turn. Prize holes will be featured.*

Team Captain: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain Phone / Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 3: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 4: \_\_\_\_\_

**Return completed registration form with payment to the parish office by May 7th.**

**Please make checks payable to St. Gerard Athletic Commission.**

**Questions?** Contact Ashley Crosser at [ashleysimrau@gmail.com](mailto:ashleysimrau@gmail.com)



# ST. GERARD CATHOLIC SCHOOL

LANSING, MI

## 2025 St. Gerard Athletic Commission Golf Outing

- Saturday, May 10th– Registration and Donuts 8:00 a.m. – Shotgun Start 9:00 a.m.
  - Ledge Meadows Golf Course: 1801 E Grand Ledge Hwy Grand Ledge, MI

## Sponsorship Information

*The money raised will go towards supporting various aspects of the St. Gerard athletics programs, including equipment, facilities, and team expenses.*

### **St Gerard Cup Hole in One: \$1000**

- Signage on Hole
- Signage at registration, breakfast, and lunch
- Recognition in Opening/Closing Ceremony and all communications
- Free four member team

### **The Masters: \$500**

- Signage at registration, breakfast, and lunch
- Recognition on the St. Gerard Athletic Commission Facebook page

### **U.S Open: \$300**

- Signage at registration and breakfast

### **The PGA: \$100**

- Signage on hole

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

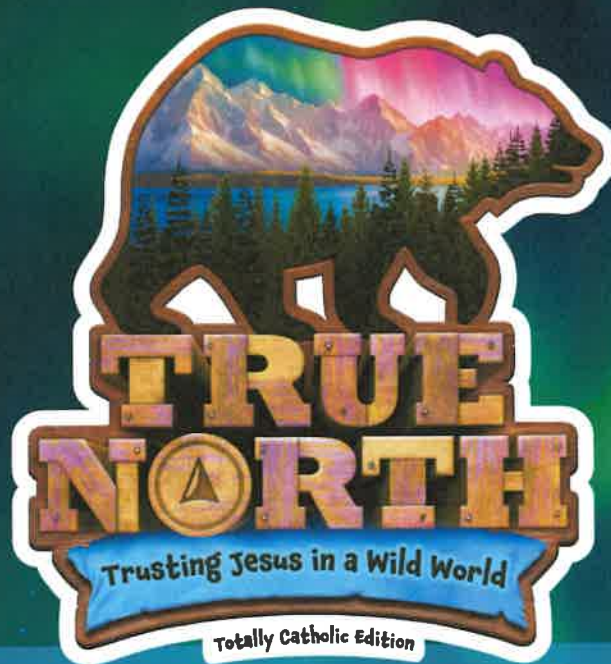
City: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship amount enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make checks payable to St. Gerard Athletic Commission and return to the school or parish office – Attn: Athletic Commission – by May 7th.**

Questions? Contact Ashley Crosser at [ashleysimrau@gmail.com](mailto:ashleysimrau@gmail.com)

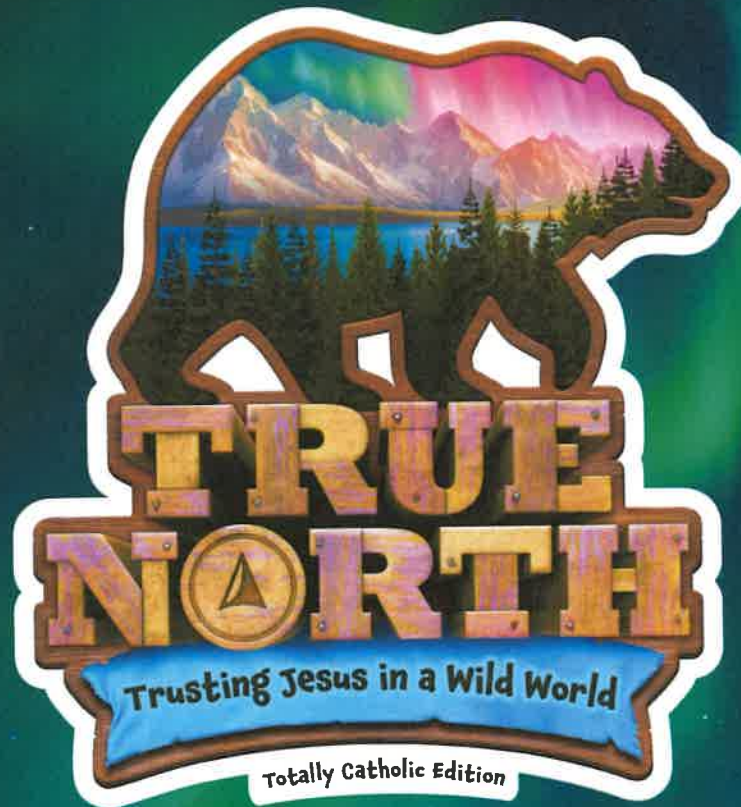
# ST. GERARD CHURCH 2025 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



## CREW LEADERS NEEDED

- Student volunteers, entering 6th through 12th grade in the fall, who guide groups of participants through activities and help facilitate discussions
- TRAINING MEETING REQUIRED: Monday June 16th, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm / Parish Hall
- Volunteer Dates: Tues. June 17th – Thurs. June 19th, 7:30 am - 12:15 am / Needed all three days
- Sign Up Deadline: June 11th
- To register: go to our website or follow the QR code!
- QUESTIONS: Call the Religious Education Office (517) 321-4179 OR [ojowett@stgerard.org](mailto:ojowett@stgerard.org)

**ST. GERARD CHURCH**  
**2025**  
**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**



- **TUES. JUNE 17TH – THURS. JUNE 19TH, 8 AM – NOON**  
**/ PARISH HALL**
- **FOR CHILDREN ENTERING KINDERGARTEN THROUGH**  
**5TH GRADE IN THE FALL**
- **SIGN UP WITH THE QR CODE OR GO TO THE PARISH**  
**WEBSITE**
- **SIGN UP DEADLINE: JUNE 11TH**

# MIDDLE SCHOOL GAME NIGHT

6th, 7th & 8th Graders

May 7th, 2025  
6-8pm Youth Room

PLEASE SIGN UP BY GOING  
TO OUR WEBSITE OR  
FOLLOWING THE QR CODE



[HTTPS://WWW.STGERARD.ORG/YOUTH-MINISTRY](https://www.stgerard.org/youth-ministry)



SHARED PREGNANCY WOMEN'S CENTER

# LIFESAVERS CELEBRATION & FUNDRAISER

THURSDAY  
**APRIL 24**

6:30-8:30PM

**Covenant Life  
Community Church**  
2001 E. Grand River Ave.  
Lansing, MI 48912



- ✓ Virtual Silent Auction
- ✓ Family Friendly
- ✓ Ice Cream Sundaes
- ✓ Children's Activities

**BIDDING  
STARTS ONLINE  
AT NOON  
MONDAY, APRIL 21**



**ALL BIDDING  
ENDS AT  
8:30PM THURSDAY,  
APRIL 24**



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