

Enrollment

Students interested in enrolling in the Elementary Band Program will enroll directly with Our Father's Lutheran School. The school will subsidize 50% for returning students and 75% for beginners.

Cost for returning students: \$415.00
Cost for beginning students: \$207.50

Students taking private lessons outside the Elementary Band Program may select to participate exclusively in the Kadet band program (Saturday/Monday band) for a fee of \$225 for the year or \$140 per semester.

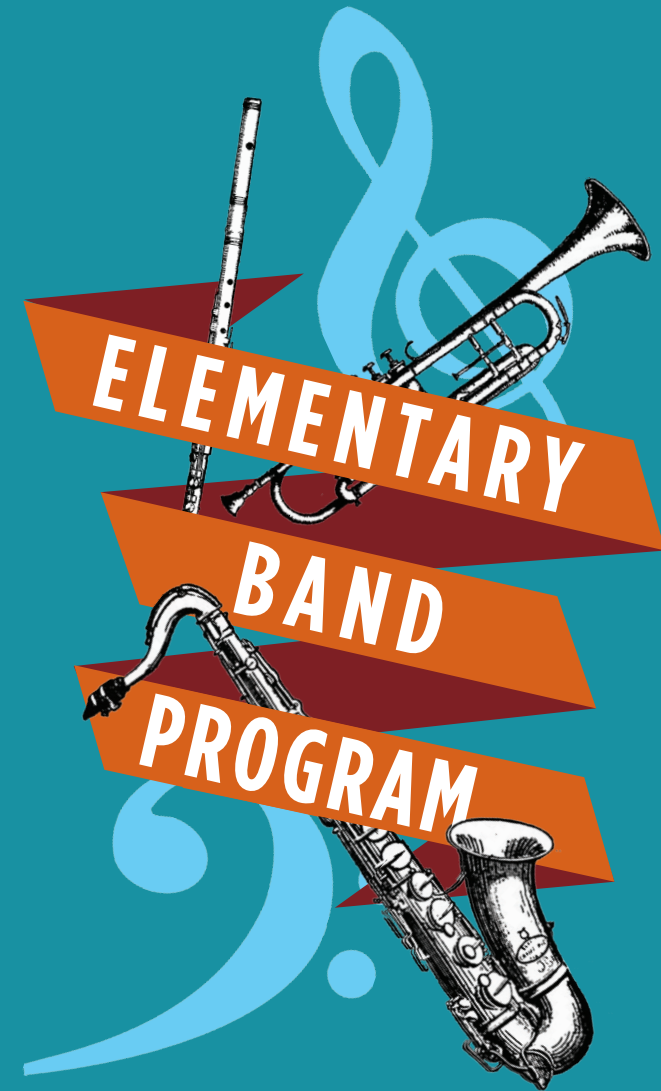
Please enroll by Friday, September 15, 2023.



Parents:

Learning to play a musical instrument is a valuable experience for your children. It fosters improvement in:

- Math skills
- Self-expression
- Teamwork & collaboration
- Music appreciation
- Self-discipline and perseverance
- Most important, developing their God-given talents for His glory.



**Encourage Your Child
Share a Musical Experience
Develop Lifelong Musicianship**

Our Father's Lutheran School

Sponsored by
The Lutheran High School Association
of Greater Milwaukee

Program of Study

The instrumental program begins in 5th grade. This program has three areas of instruction: lessons, school band, and Saturday or Monday Band. Lessons for beginners begin the week of September 11.

Lessons: These take place once a week during the school day at your grade school. Lessons are 15 minutes for private lessons and 30 minutes for small groups.

School band: This group usually meets weekly and performs for worship services and school events.

Saturday or Monday Band: This group meets at 8-9am each Saturday at Milwaukee Lutheran High School, or at 6:30-7:30pm Monday evenings at Martin Luther High School and Lake Country Lutheran High School. You can attend whichever school best fits your schedule. This band presents two major concerts in the year. (This is included at no additional cost to students enrolled in lessons at school.)

Individuals and small groups can also perform in chapel services and in the Solo and Ensemble Contest which is held each March.

Parent Information Meeting

Tuesday, September 5, 2023 | 7:00 PM
Milwaukee Lutheran High School | Cafeteria

9700 West Grantosa Avenue, Milwaukee

Music store representatives will be there with instruments to rent!

Enroll for Elementary Band directly with Our Father's.

Selection of Instrument

Parents and teachers work with students to make the best decision for the right instrument. Students will have the opportunity at the beginning of the year to hear and see a demonstration of the offered instruments.

Obtaining an Instrument

Use your own: First have an instructor or music store check if it is playable.

Rental from store: Music stores rental plans average \$25-40 per month. The payments are applicable to the purchase price of the instrument.

Rental from LHSAGM: The High Schools have some larger instruments for rent as well. The band instructor would help with this if you are interested.

Purchase: With a price range of \$700-1200, we recommend using the rental programs until your child's interest in the instrument is more developed!

Instruments Offered

Flute	French Horn
Oboe	Horn
Clarinet	Trombone
Saxophone	Baritone
Bassoon	Tuba
Trumpet	Percussion

Already play the piano? Great!

Piano students are noticeably faster in learning a band instrument than other beginning students. Also, band offers several unique social and musical experiences that pianists do not have.



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Please fill out this form and return this portion with your child to the school. You will be contacted by phone if you are unable to attend but are interested in starting your child in the band.

Name: _____

School: _____

Grade: _____

Instrument I wish to play:

Parents' Names: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Yes! I am interested and WILL attend the meeting for more information.

Yes! I am interested, but WILL NOT be able to attend. Please call me.

Not interested.

