

2025 Summer Camps

Holy Family Catholic Schools offers the area's premier selection of academic and athletic camps to keep your child(ren) active and engaged during the summer months. Browse our offerings below.

Questions? Please contact Owen Funke, K-8 Activities Director, at ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org.

Camp full? If a camp you are interested in is full, please register for the waitlist and if spots become available, you will be contacted to register.

Scholarships? Families may qualify for discounted rates or scholarships based on free/reduced lunch and income guidelines. Contact Owen Funke, K-8 Activities Director, at ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org for availability.

Disclaimer: In the event that the academic calendar is extended for the 2024-2025 school year, causing school sessions to continue beyond the originally scheduled end date, please be advised that the dates for our summer camps may be subject to adjustment. We understand the importance of providing ample notice and will make every effort to communicate any changes as soon as possible. We appreciate your understanding and flexibility as we navigate potential scheduling adjustments to accommodate unforeseen circumstances. Thank you for your cooperation.

*To ensure an optimal experience for our campers, each camp has a minimum enrollment that must be reached. If a camp has not reached its target enrollment, you will be notified by Holy Family, and your fee will be refunded or may be applied to another camp. All camp registrations are 50 percent non-refundable. If a parent cancels at least 10 days prior to camp starting, they will be refunded 50 percent of the camp fee. **If a cancellation occurs within 10 days of the camp start date, the entire camp fee will be forfeited.***

Art, Creative, and Faith Camps

Animal Rescue Camp

Animal Rescue Camp is a heartwarming summer camp where kids learn about animal care, rescue, and the importance of kindness to all creatures. Through engaging activities, campers will explore different animals, their needs, and how to help pets in need. The highlight of the camp is a special visit from the Dubuque Regional Humane Society, where kids will get to meet and play with adorable rescue dogs. It's a fun and educational experience that fosters compassion, responsibility, and a love for animals!

Camp Director/Contact: Abby Funke | afunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Session One:

Open to: Incoming grades 1-6

Dates: Tuesday, July 15

Time: 9–11 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$20

Session Two:

Open to: Incoming grades 1-6

Dates: Friday, July 18

Time: 1–3 p.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$20

Art Adventures

Get in touch with your creative side by learning about the five elements of design in a day filled with fun, colorful art projects. Creativity can be messy - wear clothes that are easy to clean.

Camp Director/Contact: Amy Decker | adecker1@iastate.edu

Open to: Incoming grades 1–3

Dates: Wednesday, July 2

Time: 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$45

Babysitting Basics

Be the sitter every parent wants to call! Learn all the responsibilities that go along with babysitting, what families expect, how to care for children of different ages, games and play ideas, basic first aid, safety, and how to handle emergencies.

Camp Director/Contact: Amy Decker | adecker1@iastate.edu

Open to: Incoming grades 4–8

Dates: Wednesday, July 16

Time: 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$45

Captured on Canvas Painting Academy

The Captured on Canvas Art Academy will take you step-by-step on the way to creating a great art piece. Mercedes Pfab, owner of Captured on Canvas, will lead you through a step-by-step process that will teach art techniques and style! No prior experience needed, just need to bring yourself and a great attitude!

Camp Contact: Owen Funke | ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Session One:

Open to: Incoming grades K–4
Dates: Thursday–Friday, June 19–20
Time: 9–11 a.m.
Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School
Cost: \$60

Session Two:

Open to: Incoming grades 3–8
Dates: Thursday–Friday, July 24–25
Time: 9–11 a.m.
Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School
Cost: \$60

Session Three:

Open to: Incoming grades K–4
Dates: Thursday–Friday, July 31–August 1
Time: 9–11 a.m.
Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School
Cost: \$60

Centrally Rooted: Mindful Musicians

Holy Family Catholic Schools is proud to partner with Centrally Rooted for a camp that nurtures conversations around brain health through music to promote a natural curiosity and enjoyment in learning. This fun, interactive program is sure to teach your child about the connection between mind and body!

Camp Contact: Owen Funke | ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Session One:

Open to: Incoming grades K–3
Dates: Friday, June 13
Time: 9:30–11:00 a.m.
Location: 2230 Central Ave, Dubuque, IA 52001
Cost: \$20

Session Two:

Open to: Incoming grades K–3
Dates: Tuesday, July 15
Time: 9:30–11:00 a.m.
Location: 2230 Central Ave, Dubuque, IA 52001
Cost: \$20

Children's Acting Camp

Does your child love playing pretend? Do they spend the day acting like an animal, a favorite person, or pretending to do a special job? Is their favorite center the dramatic play area? Join two thespians who will encourage a love of the stage at our theater summer camp. Kids will explore and express different emotions, characters, actions, and make-believe. They will also perform a short play, practice teamwork, sing, dance, and have fun!

Camp Director/Contact: Tianna Baird | tbaird@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 1–4

Date: Monday–Thursday, June 16–19

Time: 1:00–3:30 p.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$65

Game Masters Camp

Game Masters Camp is the perfect summer camp for kids who love board games, card games, and friendly competition. Campers will learn and play a variety of classic and modern games, developing strategy, critical thinking, and sportsmanship along the way. Whether they're mastering chess, rolling the dice, or building the perfect card hand, fun and adventure await every young game master!

Camp Director/Contact: Abby Funke | afunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 3–6

Date: Thursday, July 10

Time: 1–3 p.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$20

Once Upon a Disney Camp

Welcome to our Disney-inspired Summer Camp, where young Disney fans can dive into the magic of their favorite characters and stories! Throughout the camp, students will explore the rich history of Disney, learning about its iconic beginnings and unforgettable milestones. Campers will read classic Disney tales, bringing to life beloved stories while enhancing their reading skills. Creative minds will thrive as we make fun and exciting Disney-themed crafts each day. This camp is the perfect blend of learning, creativity, and Disney fun!

Camp Director/Contact: Kayla McGuire | kmcguire@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 1-5

Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 16–19

Time: 9–11 a.m.

Location: Resurrection Elementary School

Cost: \$65

Painted Pages Art Camp

Painted Pages is an exciting summer camp where kids ignite their creativity, explore a variety of art forms, and experiment with different materials—all while integrating literacy! Each day features a new book that inspires a themed art project, bringing stories to life through hands-on creativity.

Camp Director/Contact: Erin Diekman | ediekman@holyfamilydbq.org

Session One:

Open to: Incoming grades 4–8

Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 23–26

Time: 1–3 p.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$65

Session Two:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–4

Dates: Monday–Thursday, July 7–10

Time: 1–3 p.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$65

Show Choir Camp

Join us for Show Choir Summer Camp, where young performers will sing, dance, and shine on stage! The first two days are high-energy workshops where campers learn exciting songs and choreography with expert instructors. On the final day, they'll showcase their hard work in a mini performance for family and friends. No experience is needed—just bring enthusiasm and a love for performing! Don't miss this chance to build confidence, make new friends, and take center stage!

Camp Director/Contact: Ella Schmidt | ellaschmidt@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 5–8

Dates: Monday–Wednesday, June 30–July 2

Time: 9:00–11:30 a.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Cost: \$60

Spanish Arts and Acting Camp

Join us for a fun-filled Spanish summer camp that engages all your senses! Each day, campers will enjoy a mix of creative indoor crafts, exciting improv and acting games, and plenty of movement. We'll wrap up our time together with a picnic lunch or snack at Miracle League,

where kids can eat, play, and soak up the summer sun! *Please note this is for Our Lady of Guadalupe students only*

Camp Director/Contact: Blanca Gaspar | bgaspar@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming OLG grades 1–4
Dates: Monday–Wednesday, June 30–July 2
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe
Cost: \$75

Sun and Fun Adventure Camp

Get ready for a summer packed with excitement at this camp! Campers will enjoy a mix of creative indoor crafts, energetic outdoor games, and hands-on exploration each day. We'll finish our adventures with a picnic lunch or snack at Miracle League, where kids can relax, play, and soak up the sunshine. Don't forget to bring a lunch or snack.

Camp Director/Contact: Jen Even | jenm_02@yahoo.com

Open to: Incoming grades 3–6
Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 14–July 17
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe
Cost: \$95

Sweet Treat Creations

Sweet Treat Creations is a fun and delicious summer camp where kids can learn to make their own tasty desserts and snacks. From decorating cupcakes to crafting no-bake treats, campers will explore the joy of baking and creativity in the kitchen. Along the way, they'll develop basic culinary skills, experiment with flavors, and enjoy their homemade goodies. Join us for a sweet adventure filled with hands-on fun and tasty memories!

Camp Director/Contact: Abby Funke | afunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Session One:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–5
Dates: Friday, June 27
Time: 9–11 a.m.
Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School
Cost: \$30

Session Two:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–5
Dates: Thursday, July 17
Time: 9–11 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$30

Tangy Loaf: Mini Chef Culinary Camp

Join us for a fun and interactive 3-day cooking experience where kids dive into the world of food! Each camp day is 100% hands-on, designed to teach children essential cooking skills, all while keeping things easy, mess-free, and safe. This camp is perfect for young chefs eager to explore new tastes, develop basic cooking skills, and create lasting memories! **Campers sign up for each session individually*

K-8 Activities Director: Owen Funke | ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Session One: Breakfast Bonanza

Open to: Incoming grades 2–6

Dates: Tuesday, July 8

Time: 9:30–11:30 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$50

Session Two: Global Bites

Open to: Incoming grades 2–6

Dates: Wednesday, July 9

Time: 9:30–11:30 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$50

Session Three: Sweet & Savory Treats

Open to: Incoming grades 2–6

Dates: Thursday, July 10

Time: 9:30–11:30 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$50

The Big Catch Fishing Camp

Join us at Big Catch Fishing Camp, where young anglers learn the art of fishing while making lifelong memories! Our expert instructors teach campers essential fishing techniques, from casting and knot-tying to identifying local fish species. Each day is packed with exciting fishing excursions, water safety lessons, and fun outdoor activities. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced fisher, you'll have the chance to reel in big catches and compete in friendly fishing tournaments. Come cast your line, enjoy the great outdoors, and experience the thrill of the catch at Big Catch Fishing Camp!

Camp Director/Contact: Anna Bruxvoort | abruxvoort@holyfamilydbq.org

Session One:

Open to: Incoming grades 3–6

Dates: Monday–Friday, June 16–20

Time: 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Location: Heritage Pond (Rupp Hollow Rd. Dubuque, IA 52001)

Cost: \$100

Session Two:

Open to: Incoming grades 3–6

Dates: Monday–Friday, June 23–27

Time: 10 a.m.– 12 p.m.

Location: Heritage Pond (Rupp Hollow Rd. Dubuque, IA 52001)

Cost: \$100

The Bracelet Workshop

The Bracelet Workshop is a fun and creative summer camp where kids can design and craft their own unique bracelets while learning different jewelry-making techniques. Campers will explore a variety of materials, from colorful beads to friendship threads, creating meaningful accessories to wear and share. Along the way, they'll develop fine motor skills, express their creativity, and make lasting friendships. Whether they're beginners or experienced crafters, every child will leave with beautiful handmade bracelets and great memories!

Camp Director/Contact: Abby Funke | afunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 3–6

Dates: Friday, June 13

Time: 10:00–11:30 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$20

The Eras Camp: A Taylor Swift Experience

A summer camp centered around the music, artistry, and themes of Taylor Swift. This experience is designed for young Swifties who love music, creativity, and self-expression. The camp will celebrate Swift's artistry through music, storytelling, performance, and fun Swift-inspired activities, fostering a sense of empowerment and friendship.

Camp Director/Contact: Erin Diekman | ediekman@holyfamilydbq.org

Session One:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–5

Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 23–26

Time: 8:00–9:30 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$50

Session Two:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–5

Dates: Monday–Thursday, July 7–10

Time: 8:00–9:30 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$50

Viva la Música: Spanish Music Camp

Viva la Música: Spanish Music Camp is an engaging summer camp where children immerse themselves in the vibrant world of Spanish-language music. Campers will explore traditional and contemporary songs, learning about rhythm, melody, and cultural significance. Through singing, dancing, and playing instruments, they'll develop musical skills while gaining an appreciation for Spanish-speaking cultures. This dynamic environment fosters creativity, teamwork, and a lifelong love for music.

Camp Contact: Patricia Martinez | pmartinez@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades K–4

Dates: Monday–Friday, June 2–6

Time: 1–4 p.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$115

Walking with the Saints

"Walking with the Saints" is a vibrant Catholic faith summer camp designed for students in grades 3–6 to grow in their love for Jesus through the inspiring lives of the saints. Each day, campers will explore a different saint's story, learning about their virtues, faith, and courage through engaging activities, skits, and hands-on crafts. Through prayer, music, and fun outdoor games, children will deepen their understanding of how they, too, can walk in holiness. Guided by caring mentors, campers will experience the joy of faith-filled friendships and the power of living as disciples of Christ. Join us for a summer of adventure, inspiration, and spiritual growth as we walk with the saints toward Jesus!

Camp Director/Contact: Abby Funke | afunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 3–6

Dates: Monday-Tuesday, June 9–10

Time: 9–11 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$35

Athletic Camps

Boys Basketball Camp/League

The Golden Eagles Boys Basketball Camp will reinforce proper fundamentals essential to the complete basketball player. Individual instruction is given to each player in the areas of shooting, dribbling, passing, rebounding, offense and defense. The league portion of the program will consist of 5 on 5 games. **Please note that the start date is dependent on Holy Family's last day of school.*

Camp Director/Contact: Tom English | (563) 583-9771, Ext. 2268 | tenglish@holyfamilydbq.org
Current Wahlert Catholic High School Basketball team members and coaches will also assist with the camp and league.

BOYS BASKETBALL CAMP:

Open to: Incoming grades 3–8

Dates: Tuesday–Thursday, June 3–5

Times:

- Incoming grades 3–5: 9:00–10:30 a.m.
- Incoming grades 6–8: 10:30–12:00 p.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Total Cost: \$135 (includes camp and league)

BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE:

Open to: Incoming grades 3–8

Dates: Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, June 9–June 23

Times:

- Incoming grades 3–4: 9–10 a.m.
- Incoming grades 5–6: 10–11 a.m.
- Incoming grades 7–8: 11 a.m.–12 p.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Girls Basketball Camp

The Golden Eagles Girls Basketball Camp will reinforce proper fundamentals essential to the complete basketball player. Individual instruction is given to each player in the areas of shooting, dribbling, passing, rebounding, offense and defense.

Camp Director/Contact: Kris Spiegler | kspieg4321@gmail.com

GIRLS BASKETBALL CAMP (FUNDAMENTALS):

Open to: Incoming grades 3–8

Dates: Monday-Thursday, June 9-12

Times:

- Incoming grades 3–5: 1:00–2:30 p.m.
- Incoming grades 6–8: 2:30–4:00 p.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Cost: \$65

GIRLS BASKETBALL CAMP (SKILLS)

Open to: Incoming grades 3–8

Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays, June 17–July 10 (*No camp on July 3*)

Times:

- Incoming grades 3–5: 9:00–10:15 a.m.
- Incoming grades 6–8: 10:15–11:30 a.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Cost: \$65

Cheerleading Camp

At the Golden Eagles Cheerleading Camp, participants will learn cheers, jumps, tumbling and stunts, and play fun games.

Camp Director/Contact: Deidre Lattner | navarrodeidre19@gmail.com

Open to: Incoming grades K–8

Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 23–26

Time: 1–3 p.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Cost: \$60

Cross Country Camp

The Golden Eagle Cross Country team provides campers with the opportunity to increase their knowledge of running, jumping, throwing and relays. Campers will participate in activities that teach body control, teamwork and the fun of a run.

Camp Directors: Tim Berning | tberning@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 1–8

Dates: Monday–Wednesday, August 11–13

Time: 6:30–7:45 p.m.

Location: Meet in the Wahlert Lobby

Cost: \$45

Golden Eagle Youth Football Camp

The Golden Eagle Youth Football Camp will introduce and reinforce the technique and fundamental skills for all football position groups. All participants will receive individual instruction in offense, defense and special team skills.

Camp Director/Contact: Cole Smith & Clay Finley | csmith@holyfamilydbq.org
cfinley@holyfamilydbq.org

Current Wahlert Catholic High School Football team members and assistant coaches will also assist with the camp.

SESSION ONE:

Open to: Incoming grades 7–8

Dates: Tuesday–Thursday, Aug. 5–7

Time: 9:00–10:30 a.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School Practice Fields

Cost: \$50

SESSION TWO:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–6

Dates: Tuesday–Thursday, Aug. 5–7

Time: 9:00–10:30 a.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School Practice Fields

Cost: \$50

Golden Gridiron: Girls Flag Football Camp

Our Girls Flag Football Camp is designed to introduce young athletes to the exciting world of flag football in a fun, supportive environment. Campers will learn the fundamentals of the game, including passing, catching, running routes, and teamwork, all while building confidence and making new friends. With a focus on skill development and sportsmanship, players will participate in drills, scrimmages, and friendly competitions. Whether they're new to the sport or looking to sharpen their skills, this camp is perfect for girls who love football and want to stay active. Join us for an empowering and fun-filled summer on the field!

Camp Contact: Isaac Cloward | icloward@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 5–8

Dates: Monday–Thursday, July 7–10

Time: 9:30–11:30 a.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Cost: \$50

Introductory Lacrosse Camp

The Clarke University Director of Lacrosse, Tucker Labelle, will be offering a week of lacrosse instruction. The camp will focus on fundamentals and learning through lacrosse activities/play. Campers will be divided into age and skill-appropriate groups to ensure the optimal balance of fun, challenge and skill development. This is for all skill levels of lacrosse, or even for those who have never played before. Both boys and girls are welcome!

Camp Contact: Tucker Labelle

K-8 Activities Director: Owen Funke | ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 4–8

Dates: Monday–Thursday, July 28–31

Time: 9–11 a.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School Practice Fields

Cost: \$60

Mini Olympics Day

Mini Olympics Day is an exciting summer camp filled with fun, friendly competition and team spirit! Campers will participate in a variety of Olympic-style games, including relay races, obstacle courses, and team challenges. They'll build teamwork, sportsmanship, and confidence while celebrating their achievements with medals and cheers. Join us for a day of high-energy fun where everyone is a champion!

Camp Director/Contact: Owen Funke | ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 3–6

Dates: Friday, July 11

Time: 9–11 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$25

Mr. C's Little Movers Camp

Mr. C's Little Movers Camp is the ultimate summer adventure for kids in kindergarten through grade two, filled with fun, active games that feel just like gym class! Campers will engage in a variety of activities designed to improve coordination, balance, and teamwork while having a blast. From relay races to obstacle courses, we'll keep kids moving, learning new skills, and making new friends. Each day is packed with energy-boosting games and exercises that help develop motor skills in a fun and playful way. It's the perfect camp for young kids to stay active, get creative, and have tons of fun!

Camp Contact: Isaac Cloward | icloward@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades K–2

Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 23–26

Time: 9:30–10:30 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$50

Little Eagles Soccer Camp

The Wahlert Catholic boys and girls soccer teams and coaches will be offering soccer instruction. The camp will focus on fundamentals and learning through soccer activities/play. Campers will be divided into age and skill-appropriate groups to ensure the optimal balance of fun, challenge and skill development.

Camp Contact: Sam Koenig | samuel.koenig@loras.edu

Open to: Incoming grades K–8

Dates: Tuesday–Thursday, June 10–12

Time: Tuesday and Thursday 9–11 a.m. | Wednesday 1–3 p.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School Practice Fields

Cost: \$75

Tennis Camp

The Golden Eagles Tennis Camp will provide young athletes of all levels an opportunity to learn tennis fundamentals, refine technique and hone strategies for successful doubles and singles play. Emphasis will be on improving the quality of match play, improving strokes and building confidence. **Please note that a tennis racket is required for this camp*

Camp Director/Contact: Riley Collins | rcollins@holyfamilydbq.org

Former Wahlert Catholic High School Tennis team members will also assist with the camp.

Location: Bernie O’Connor Tennis Facility (Wahlert Catholic High School parking lot)

Cost: \$60 per session

TENNIS CAMP LITTLE EAGLES/FUNDAMENTALS:

Open to: Incoming grades K–4 (boys and girls)

Session Options:

1. Monday–Friday, June 2–6 | 8:30–9:30 a.m.
2. Monday–Friday, June 9–13 | 9:30–10:30 a.m.
3. Monday–Friday, June 16–20 | 8:30–9:30 a.m.

TENNIS CAMP TWO (EAGLES/TECHNIQUE):

Open to: Incoming grades 5–8 (boys and girls)

Session Options:

1. Monday–Friday, June 2–6 | 9:30–10:30 a.m.
2. Monday–Friday, June 9–13 | 8:30–9:30 a.m.
3. Monday–Friday, June 16–20 | 9:30–10:30 a.m.

Track and Field Camp

The Golden Eagles Track and Field team provides campers with the opportunity to increase their knowledge of running, jumping, throwing and relays. Campers will participate in activities that teach body control, teamwork and the fun of a run.

Camp Directors: Tim Berning | tberning@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades K–8

Dates: Tuesday–Thursday, May 27–29

Time: 4:30–6:00 p.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Cost: \$65

Volleyball Camp

Come and join the Wahlert Catholic Golden Eagles Volleyball team for a summer of volleyball fun! The Golden Eagles Volleyball Camp will teach and reinforce the essential skills and fundamentals of volleyball. Individual and group instruction will be given to campers in the areas of passing, setting, serving, attacking, blocking, offense and defense. The Golden Eagles Volleyball League will not only reinforce volleyball fundamentals but will also give participants the opportunity to play in competitive games and matches.

Camp Director/Contact: Linsey Beaves | lbeaves@holyfamilydbq.org

Current and former Wahlert Catholic High School Volleyball team members and coaches will also assist with the camp.

Open to: Incoming grades 3–8

Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 16–19

Times:

- Grades 3–5: 1:00–2:30 p.m.
- Grades 6–8: 2:30–4:00 p.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School & Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$65

Youth Rugby Camp

Join our fun and exciting Youth Rugby Camp designed for beginners, where both boys and girls are welcome! Campers will learn the fundamentals of rugby, including passing, tackling, and teamwork, all in a safe and supportive environment. Our experienced coaches will guide participants through skill-building drills, mini games, and fitness activities. This is the perfect opportunity for young athletes to try something new, make friends, and develop confidence on and off the field. No experience needed—just a love for fun and sports!

Camp Director/Contact: Isaac Cloward | icloward@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 5–8

Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 23–26

Time: 10:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Location: Wahlert Catholic High School

Cost: \$60

Language & Literacy Camps

Beginner Spanish Language Camp

Beginner Spanish Language Camp is a fun and interactive way for kids to explore the basics of Spanish through games, songs, and hands-on activities. Campers will learn simple words and phrases, practice conversational skills, and discover the culture behind the language. Through storytelling, crafts, and group activities, they'll build confidence in speaking Spanish in an

engaging and supportive environment. Join us for a summer of learning, laughter, and language fun!

Camp Contact: Patricia Martinez | pmartinez@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 1–4
Dates: Monday–Friday, June 2–6
Time: 9 a.m.–12 p.m.
Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe
Cost: \$115

Charlotte's Web Book Club

Join us for a magical summer adventure in our Charlotte’s Web Book Club Camp! Campers will dive into E.B. White's classic tale of friendship, loyalty, and bravery, exploring the heartwarming story of Wilbur the pig and his unlikely friend, Charlotte the spider. Through group discussions, creative activities, and games, kids will deepen their understanding of the book’s themes while enhancing their reading and critical thinking skills. This camp encourages children to connect with the characters and share their thoughts in a fun and interactive way. It’s the perfect summer camp for young readers to enjoy a beloved story and make new friends along the way!

Camp Contact: Molly Pfohl | mpfohl@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 3–5
Dates: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, June 16–27
Time: 1–2 p.m.
Location: Resurrection Elementary School
Cost: \$35

Harry Potter Camp

Calling all Harry Potter fans! This immersive camp will give your child a chance to dive into the wizarding world of Harry Potter. Your child will feel like a young witch or wizard at Hogwarts, practicing potions (i.e., fun science experiments), playing quidditch, and participating in creative writing activities. We will also enjoy Harry Potter-themed snacks. The goal of this camp is to allow students to deepen their knowledge of the magical world of Harry Potter. Will we have a sorting hat? Of course. Will we have butterbeer? Oh yeah! Do you have what it takes to be a wizard? Come and find out!

Camp Directors: Mia McDermott, Lucy Klavitter, Ava Kramer, and Callie Orabutt

Camp Contact: Callie Orabutt | corabutt@holyfamilydbq.org

SESSION ONE:

Open to: Incoming grades 2–4
Dates: Monday–Friday, July 14–18
Time: 9–11 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$70

SESSION TWO:

Open to: Incoming grades 4–6

Dates: Monday–Friday, July 14–18

Time: 1–3 p.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$70

Literacy Camp with Clarke University

Designed to build fluency and comprehension, this summer camp is full of reading fun and adventure. Under the instruction of the Education Department at Clarke University, this camp will help all students maintain reading skills over the summer. Clarke Education students and instructors will take the literacy needs of all students into consideration. Whether you're looking for skills-based strategies for a reluctant or emerging reader or a new, fun way to stretch the imagination of your enthusiastic reader, this camp is a good fit.

Camp Director: Clarke University Education Department

Camp Contact: Owen Funke | ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 1–6

Dates: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, June 10–July 2

Time: 8:30–11:30 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$150

Tricky Letters Camp

"Sh! It's a Secret" Did you ever notice those tricky letters that are naughty and sometimes forget to follow the rules? Come and learn about "cracking the code" – the secrets hidden in the words that we read and write! Kids from incoming grades 2–3 will have a blast using multi-sensory learning – including acting out funny stories (complete with crazy costumes), playing various games, and putting on their detective hats to closely examine the Secret Stories. Secret Stories are tools that kids can use to read and write words when letters don't make the sounds we expect. Help yourself become a better reader and writer with stories like the letters in love (au and aw), the crazy drivers (ir, er, ur), the superhero vowels (A, E, I, O, U), and naughty letters like t and h who should NEVER be together but OFTEN are, and many more! Come laugh, learn, and have fun!

Camp Contact: Dawn Brosius | dbrosius@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 2–3

Dates: Monday–Friday, July 21–25

Time: 9:00–11:30 a.m.

Location: Resurrection Elementary School

Cost: \$75

Our Lady of Guadalupe Spanish Language Refresher

This camp combines all the benefits of learning the Spanish language with all the fun and excitement of a summer camp! Campers will be able to refresh and progress their skills and knowledge of the Spanish language within a Spanish speaking environment! This program is only for students who are enrolled at OLG or have a Spanish language background.

Camp Director/Contact: Cami Saenz | csaenz@holyfamilydbq.org

SESSION ONE:

Open to: Incoming Our Lady students grades 1-3

Dates: Monday - Friday, June 9-20

Time: Monday-Friday, 9 - 11 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe Spanish Immersion School

Cost: \$100

SESSION TWO:

Open to: Incoming Our Lady students grades 1-3

Dates: Monday - Friday, June 9-20

Time: Monday-Friday, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe Spanish Immersion School

Cost: \$100

Writer's Workshop

Our Writer's Workshop Camp is the perfect place for kids to unleash their creativity and develop their writing skills. Campers will explore different writing styles, from short stories to poetry, while learning how to express their ideas clearly and effectively. Through fun writing exercises, group discussions, and personalized feedback, kids will gain confidence in their writing abilities. Whether they're new to writing or passionate about storytelling, this camp provides a supportive space for every young writer. Join us for a summer of imagination, inspiration, and creating stories that come to life!

Camp Contact: Molly Pfohl | mpfohl@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 4-6

Dates: Monday-Friday, June 23-27

Time: 10-11 a.m.

Location: Resurrection Elementary School

Cost: \$35

Preschool/Pre-K Camps

Little Eagle Story Hour

Join Holy Family teachers for stories, songs, play and more that will encourage early literacy skills. Each session will feature different theme-based crafts and activities!

Camp Director/Contact: Owen Funke | ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades Pre-K, K, and 1 (Ages 4, 5, and 6)

Dates: Wednesdays, June 11, 18, 25, July 9

Time: 9:00–10:30 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$15 per session

Nature Scavenger Hunt

Do you like to explore the outdoors? Well, me too! Come join me in an outdoor scavenger hunt where we will be looking for things that fly, have different colors, have legs, soft/hard, and so many other characteristics! After going on the hunt, we will talk about the different items we all saw and look at how they are the same and different! We will even bring some items in to practice our five senses!

Camp Director/Contact: Tianna Baird | tbaird@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades Pre-K, TK, K, and 1 (Ages 4–6)

Dates: Monday–Thursday, June 16–19

Time: 9:00 a.m.–11:30 a.m.

Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School

Cost: \$65

STEM Camps

LEGO Brick Masters

Are you interested in LEGOs and enjoy building and manipulating LEGO sets? This camp teaches math and physics while using everyone's favorite blocks! Explore forces such as push, pull, and gravity. Students will be able to build sets and test them while forming different theories! If you are a LEGO fan, this is for you! **All sessions are different Lego builds!*

K-8 Activities Director: Owen Funke | ofunke@holyfamilydbq.org

SESSION 1:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–5

Dates: Friday, June 6

Time: 9–11 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Cost: \$35

SESSION 2:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–5
Dates: Monday, June 23
Time: 9–11 a.m.
Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe
Cost: \$35

SESSION 3:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–5
Dates: Monday, June 30
Time: 9–11 a.m.
Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe
Cost: \$35

SESSION 4:

Open to: Incoming grades 1–5
Dates: Friday, July 18
Time: 9–11 a.m.
Location: Our Lady of Guadalupe
Cost: \$35

Fun with Bots

Code your way through challenges using Dash & Dot robots, Bee Bots, Hex Bugs, and more! Engage in hands-on learning through games, robots, block-based coding programs, plus build problem-solving and creativity skills while having a blast with robots!

Camp Director/Contact: Amy Decker | adecker1@iastate.edu

Open to: Incoming grades 1–3
Dates: Wednesday, June 11
Time: 9 a.m.–3 p.m.
Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School
Cost: \$45

FUN-damental Science

The Fun-damental Science Camp involves fun, hands-on activities that teach basic science principles. We'll explore bubbles, potions, light and much more. Campers will also explore chemical reactions, learn about famous scientists, and discover the “fun” in science activities through exploration and experimentation.

Camp Director/Contact: Amy Decker | adecker1@iastate.edu

Open to: Incoming grades 1–3

Dates: Wednesday, June 25
Time: 9 a.m.–3 p.m.
Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School
Cost: \$45

Introduction to Robotics

Introduction to Robotics is where young innovators will explore the exciting world of robotics through hands-on projects, coding challenges, and interactive teamwork. Campers will learn the fundamentals of robotics, from building and programming to problem-solving and design, all while having fun in a creative and engaging environment. No prior experience is needed—just curiosity and a passion for technology!

Camp Director/Contact: Dave Tharp | dtharp@holyfamilydbq.org

Open to: Incoming grades 5-8
Dates: Tuesday-Thursday, July 15-17
Time: 10 a.m.–12 p.m.
Location: Wahlert Catholic High School
Cost: \$70

Science of Flight

Earn your wings at the Science of Flight camp! Explore flight concepts while discovering how different aircraft types are engineered to enable flight. Experiment by creating your own helicopter and designing a glider that will fly.

Camp Director/Contact: Amy Decker | adecker1@iastate.edu

Open to: Incoming grades 1–3
Dates: Wednesday, July 9
Time: 9 a.m.–3 p.m.
Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School
Cost: \$45

Space Explorers

3-2-1 Blast Off! This camp involves going out of this world as we explore the Solar System. We will learn about the planets, comets, stars, rockets and the night sky.

Camp Director/Contact: Amy Decker | adecker1@iastate.edu

Open to: Incoming grades 1–3
Dates: Wednesday, June 18
Time: 9 a.m.– 3 p.m.
Location: Mazzuchelli Catholic Middle School
Cost: \$45