

A NIGHT FOR THE
Blue & White
OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE SCHOOL †

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Dear Friends:

Our Lady of the Wayside School is proud to announce our largest school fundraiser, *A Night for the Blue & White*, will be held on Saturday, March 7, 2020. On this evening, we are reminded that we are one community focused on giving our children the best educational experience possible. While our dedicated families work together toward achieving this goal, we also ask for help and support from local businesses and individuals within our community.

The money raised at the OLW Gala is used to fund vital Family & School Association programs that support OLW students and teachers and the OLW School Annual Fund. These funds are heavily relied upon to support the school's mission statement to enrich our students' minds, foster a deep and meaningful faith in each child, and expand their talents. Gala proceeds help fund: the services of a licensed school counselor; reimbursements to teachers for classroom expenses and professional development; the cost of field trips, cultural assemblies, and special days for students; continuously update technology in the classroom, among many other resources for students and teachers. These are just a few examples of how important your donations are towards the success of our students.

We are reaching out to you for assistance for the 2020 Gala. Monetary donations will help us reach our goal, but please consider donating your time, services, or goods as well. The attached *Gala Giving Opportunities* document outlines different ways you can help. All sponsors and donors will be listed in our Gala Event Book, which is distributed to nearly 350 Gala attendees. Please know that no donation is too small. Every donation helps our students.

We truly appreciate the support of our area partners. Our children are the foundation of this great community. Their success is due, in part, from the love, support, and encouragement they receive from the people who believe in them. It truly is an investment in the future of our community!

We thank you in advance for supporting our efforts. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions at olwblueandwhitegala@gmail.com.

All our best,

Tracey Dolsen, Feliza Gauthier, Tricia Miller, Tanya Petermann
Co-chairs, 2020 OLW Annual Gala

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