



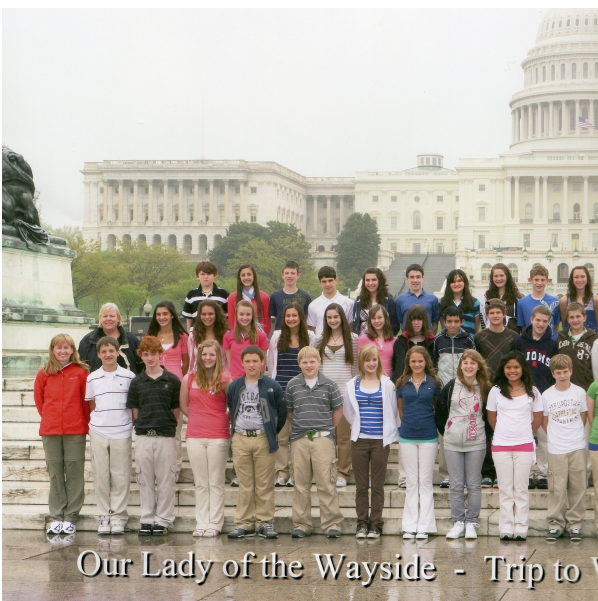
Washington DC!

Do you have fond memories of the 8th grade trip to Washington, DC? We know that this is an 8th grade event for many, many years but don't know when the first trip was. Were you one of the early 8th grade classes to take this trip? What are your memories of the DC class trip?

We found these Capitol Steps pictures from the class of 2008 and 2009.

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Our Lady of the Wayside - Trip to V Trip to Washington, D.C. - April, 2009

Three Retirements this Year...

Mrs. Babiak, Mrs. Trecka, and Mrs. White are all retiring this year. Between them, they have 80 years of dedicated service to OLW. They will be recognized at the last all-school Mass on June 9. If you wish to have note or memory included in the Blessing Bowl, please send a reply email and we will make sure it is copied and put with the other letters.

Mrs. Kathy Trecka has been a kindergarten aide at OLW for 29 years!! She says she will miss the kids and hearing the funny stories that they tell as well as their big hugs. One funny memory she has is of “a little boy who nearly wrestled me to the ground to escape from school!” (He did grow up to become a successful student and young man, so he did come to like to school.) OLW will miss her smile and her soft calming voice in the classroom. We are so appreciative of her time teaching our students and caring for them. But Mrs. Trecka will now have time to explore “our beautiful city, the country and maybe the world.” Her own grandchildren will be her focus and we are happy for all of them.

Over the summer, we will catch up with other retired teachers.

Upcoming...

May Crowning

The annual school May Crowning is on Wednesday, May 24 at 2pm. If you live close by, please come to this beautiful service dedicated to Mary, our holy Mother.

Class of 2009 mini-reunion on Friday evening, June 2 in the gym. Send a reply email if you want to attend and need details.

Class of 2013 college send off in late July or early August. A save the date email will be sent to you soon.