



Making Music Praying Twice

Music and Movement for the Catholic Child

Many Preschools ask about using the Making Music Praying Twice curriculum for their students. At this point, we offer three services for the Catholic Preschool:

1. **Enrichment:** A preschool may wish to offer our typical MMPT group classes for younger siblings (offered to coordinate with drop off or pick up time) or for financially profitable enrichment or "lunch bunch" offerings.

2. **Resources:** Teachers may wish to purchase our books and CDs to add to their collection of materials. We recommend the Homeschool Edition.

(Please note that this option does NOT grant copyright privileges to a school or teacher. No print or audio copies may be made for the students. This option does not allow a school to promote itself in cooperation with Making Music Praying Twice.)

3. **Preschool Partners:** Official Preschool Partners are given all the materials and support needed to adapt the existing program to the preschool classroom, a natural progression for this program designed specifically for children under 5. We are currently designing materials specific to the Catholic Preschool to make use even easier.



To learn more about our program and how it can enhance your preschool, visit

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with any questions.

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Music Education for the Catholic Preschool



The Seasons

Ordinary Time - FALL

Advent - Christmas - Epiphany

Ordinary Time - WINTER

LENT

Easter - Pentecost



Preschool Partners

By becoming a MMPT Preschool Partner, your school benefits with a customized package including

- Level I Early Childhood Music and Movement Training for at least one faculty member.
 - Licensing to advertise and promote the school as a MMPT Preschool Partner
 - Teacher Manuals, CDs and songbooks for the classroom
 - CDs, songbooks and parent materials for each child to take home

Philosophy

Research has proven what we believe: God has given us ALL the gift of music. It is our job to nurture this gift and help it to grow. At Making Music Praying Twice (MMPT), we provide the highest quality in early childhood music education based on up-to-date research in music and brain development. Our techniques, song selections, and activities are purposeful, research-based and FUN! The curriculum is designed to weave into a child's daily life - including the spiritual life. Prayers, hymns, chant and spirituals are an important part of the rich curriculum.

Preschools benefit from teacher training and curriculum materials which help provide the most up-to-date and developmentally appropriate music education. Music activities may be used for daily or weekly music classes or integrated through the school day. Foreign language, Latin, and Sign Language are introduced. Music, the arts and languages are best introduced while children are young and their brains are developing. Research and statistics support the claim that children with music training are more successful in all academic areas. Our program serves to enhance a child's learning environment in all of these areas.

Finally, our program is designed specifically for the Catholic Child, including traditional hymns and Gregorian Chant. Songs from non-Catholic Christian traditions as well as fun secular selections are carefully chosen so as not to contradict Catholic teaching.

Engaging Parents

A preschool utilizing our program makes itself attractive to prospective parents. Our emphasis on music, brain growth, and language adds to the value of the entire school curriculum.

Official Making Music Praying Twice Preschool Partners are provided with parent information and brochures to promote this innovative curriculum choice, and in turn your school's profile and reputation.

Children bring home seasonal CDs and songbooks, encouraging parents to engage in a child's school experience.



The Activities

Fun use of manipulatives keeps class fun and engaging while children learn important skills in basic music competence.

Rhythm Instruments

Shaky Eggs

Streamers

Parachute

Scarves

Bells

