

Saint Bridget Catholic School's **CORE VALUES**

O God, who guides the meek in judgement and makes the light rise out of the darkness for the godly; grant us, in all of our doubts and uncertainties, the grace to ask what you would have us do, that the Spirit of Wisdom may save us from all false choices, and that in your light we may see light, and in your straight path may not stumble; though Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

The love of Jesus Christ is the center of the Saint Bridget community; it is both the origin and the destination of all we do. The following core values stand as a mark against which to assess our response to that love. We pray these core values reflect the character of our community and guide us to the Real Presence of Christ.



We Encounter



Jesus Christ transforms our lives when we encounter his Real Presence in Word, Prayer and Sacrament.

We believe the Mass and other spiritual practices are a critical part of our Catholic Christian experience. Jesus Christ is really and truly present when we gather in His name and especially in the Eucharist. Active participation in these sacred practice is essential to our faith.

We Love



Jesus Christ summons us to express our faith daily through selfless love for all people.

Our faith should become loving action that is expressed in our daily lives. We need to connect our internal faith with our external lives.

We Seek



Jesus Christ calls us to seek his love, truth and hope found in the practices and teachings of the Catholic Church.

Saint Bridget is a community of believers who seek the Truth of Jesus Christ, as it is expressed by the Catholic Church. Therefore, fidelity to the Church's teachings is vital to our mission.

We Respond



Jesus Christ sends us into the world to share the Gospel and to accompany others to deepened relationships with Him.

It is necessary to continuously form ourselves spiritually, so that we become as deeply connected to God as we possibly can. When we do this, we are more aware of the call to become true apostles, to be sent by the Lord into the world to boldly share the Good News of Jesus Christ and to accompany and apprentice others on their spiritual journey.

We Minister



As the body of Jesus Christ, we do all things in humility, compassion and love.

As we grow in faith and spirituality, we minister to the world around us. In order to do this, we need to examine and carry out the charity and social justice teachings of the Church, which we trust will create a world that blesses and sustains all life.