

HOLY FAMILY CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC CELEBRATES 95TH ANNIVERSARY DECEMBER 10TH

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Please keep praying for the health of all of the Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity. Your prayers for healing of the Sisters in Saint Rita's Infirmary, the nursing staff, workers, and everyone who is affected by Covid-19 would be very much appreciated. And we pray for your safety and health!



### One more Zoom recital presented by the Conservatory on Nov.8<sup>th</sup>. Great Job everyone! CONGRATULATIONS!!!



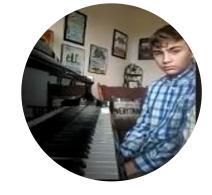


















#### Next Session, Spring Session 1 begins on January 4<sup>th</sup>.

#### We offer:

- Private lessons for Violin, Harp, Piano, Classical and Electric Guitar, Ukulele, Wind instruments
- Piano Group Class for Adult students (see next slide for more details)



# On-line Piano Class for Supportive Parents/Grandparents, Family Friends, and Significant Others, Wednesday at 5:30-6:15

You help your children to practice and, probably, you have gained a lot of knowledge just because you help them. Your children would love to have a partner to play with on piano duets. This class IS DEFINITELY FOR YOU!!!

Your significant other or a friend, has started taking lessons a while ago. You hear how she/he practices and, probably, you discuss some musical issues. You don't realize that you have been becoming a musician too! Share your passion for music and be able to play piano duets together!

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# 95<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Holy Family Conservatory of Music in December



Holy Family Conservatory of Music, founded in 1925 by the Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity to provide music instruction and performance will celebrate its 95th anniversary in December. Through these 95 years over 10,000 students have studied music at the Conservatory.



Sisters Davidica, Benjamin and Celerine were sent to live at St. Boniface Convent to generate musical interest among the students in the school. Many children expressed their interest in music lessons. Eventually the Sisters needed a larger space to teach music lessons and classes. In September 1925 the search began to purchase a place.



The Sisters moved into a large brick home on South 11th Street of downtown Manitowoc in December of 1925. Furniture was sparse and for a brief period of time the Sisters used piano benches for tables to eat their meals. Holy Family Conservatory lessons began with just three pianos.

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On Aug. 15, 2013, Holy Family Conservatory moved into the newlyconstructed Franciscan Center for Music Education and Performance where all music instructions now take place.







Among students are people of all ages, between birth and 80+ years young. Everyone who loves music and has passion for it can come and start a beautiful journey at Holy Family Conservatory of Music.

#### ZOOM Music Party for Adult Music Conservatory Students on December 12

Before Covid-19 we used to have Music Parties for Adult Students where we all could enjoy our time together talking, eating, and playing. COVID-19 should not stop us from gathering and seeing each other. Please join us for a Music ZOOM Party for Adult Students on December 12 at 4:00 PM.

Please let us know if you intend to participate and we will then share a Zoom link with you only! We are happy to have guests, however, it will be up to you to invite others by passing along the ZOOM link. We will NOT share the link with a public.



#### **INSTRUMENTS FOR SALE !!!**

Contact Sister Carol Ann Gambsky if you are interested in purchasing an instrument!! Please email her at <a href="mailto:scarolann@fscc-calledtobe.org">scarolann@fscc-calledtobe.org</a>







\$400.00



For Sale through Holy Family Conservatory Hfconservatory.org For Sale through Holy Family Conservatory Hfconservatory.org

#### Happy Thanksgiving!

Stay well and safe!!!

