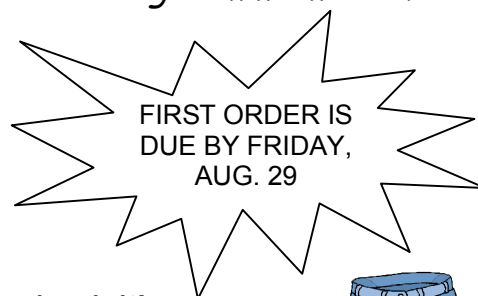


Manna Gift Card Program - 2008/2009

*Where Everyday Purchases Help You Meet Your Fundraising Commitment &
Help Our School*

- Purchase gift cards through St. Joseph School for everyday items like groceries, gas, eating out, gifts, etc. and earn credit for fundraising and instant profit for our school!
- Buy gift cards for the stores & restaurants you already visit!
DO NOT SPEND ANY EXTRA MONEY!
- SEE FOR YOURSELF HOW EASY AND CONVENIENT THIS IS! EACH FAMILY PLACING AN ORDER ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 29th WILL RECEIVE A JEANS DAY PASS FOR EACH K – 8 CHILD ENROLLED. *Preschoolers will receive a special surprise. The jeans day pass(es) will be sent home with your gift card order on 9/5.*



GET A JEANS DAY PASS!

- 50% of the PROFIT from each order (not the total purchase) will be applied to your K – 8 fundraising commitment.
- CONVENIENT! Your order can be sent home with your child one week after you place your order. *See attached Ordering Schedule.*
- Orders can be placed every other week during the entire school year and weekly during the Christmas season and in May.
- The secret to getting the most out of this program is PLANNING and ORDERING EVERY OTHER WEEK. Plan your upcoming grocery, gas and gift purchases and then place your order.



- Order Form attached and includes your favorite stores:
Kohl's, Jewel, Chili's, Panera, Regal Entertainment, Wal-Mart, JCPenny, American Eagle Outfitters, Red Lobster, Olive Garden, the gas cards and more!
- Watch for special incentives throughout the school year!
- ✓ Questions? Call Donna Harbeck at 847 -546-8805/email kcebrah@aol.com or contact Mrs. Ortega in the school office. THANK YOU!

MANNA GIFT CARD PROGRAM - 2008/2009

What It Is and How It Works

- 1) The Manna Gift Card Program is a school fundraiser that provides you the convenience of ordering gift cards through the school from 100's of retailers, restaurants and grocery stores. *See attached Order Form for a partial list or go to www.glscrip.com for a complete vendor list.*
- 2) Orders are due every other Friday during the school year from 8/29 – 5/29. Send your orders and checks (made payable to St. Joseph School – Manna Program) to Donna Harbeck. *See attached Order Schedule.*
- 3) Gift cards will be delivered to you 1 week after the order due date. They can be sent home with your child **or** they can be picked up in the school office during regular school hours. A new order form will be sent home with each filled order.
- 4) You can use this program to help meet your annual fundraising commitment using the monies you already spend for groceries, gas, gifts, entertainment & eating out. Fifty percent (50%) of the PROFIT (not the total order) will be applied to your fundraising commitment. **Example:**

Total Gift Cards Purchased in One Month		Profit %	Profit Earned
Jewel	\$400	4%	\$16.00
Speedway Gas	\$250	4%	\$10.00
Chili's	\$60	11%	\$6.60
Regal Entertainment	\$50	8%	\$4.00
Total Profit			\$36.60

50% of Profit/Amt. Applied to Fundraising = \$18.30

- 5) You receive the full face value of your gift cards, i.e., if you order \$100 in Jewel gift cards, you receive \$100 in Jewel gift cards. The cards can be used just like cash. If your gift cards are not used within one year of purchase, the retailer may deduct a fee of up to \$1.50/month due to inactivity.

Questions & Answers

1) Why should I bother with this?

The Manna Gift Card Program is an easy way to do something good for our school and it benefits your family. It helps to offset the rising costs of tuition (which benefits us all) and 50% of the PROFIT earned on each order will be applied to your family's fundraising commitment. See the example above. You're not being asked to spend any "extra" money, just use these gift cards to purchase the things you already get every month. A LITTLE PLANNING CAN GO A LONG WAY!

2) Will I receive a plastic gift card or a paper certificate? Will I receive a gift envelope for the cards?

Most of the retailers provide plastic gift cards. Few retailers provide paper gift certificates. A "generic" gift envelope can be purchased for a very a nominal fee.

3) Will I get credit if my friends and family place an order?

Absolutely! Be sure to list your child's name on the order form to ensure 50% of the profit earned from the order is applied to your family's fundraising commitment.

4) Who can I call if I have more questions?

You can call Donna Harbeck (school parent) at 847-546-8805 (kcebrah@aol.com) or call Mrs. Ortega in the school office at 847-546-1720.

THANK YOU!