

WHAT IS THE SCRIP PROGRAM?




The Scrip Program is a fundraiser for our Parish, that doesn't require any extra money and only a little bit of extra planning. Sts. Peter & Paul parish purchases gift cards (or Scrip cards) from Great Lakes Scrip Center, as well as several local retailers at a discounted price. These cards are available to purchase at face value. The difference of the card value and the discounted price is profit for our parish.

Example: A \$100 Walmart Scrip card is purchased by the Parish at a 2.5% discount for \$97.50. The Scrip card is then purchased by a parishioner for face value, at \$100. The \$2.50 difference is retained by the Parish.

HOW CAN THE SCRIP PROGRAM BENEFIT YOUR FAMILY?

The Scrip program not only benefits our Parish, but parents with children in Sts. Peter & Paul School, Kinder Haus Preschool, and/or in our Religious Ed Program can also benefit from the use of Scrip cards. Those Sts. Peter & Paul Families who have students at St. James can also benefit from our program and have their credits applied to their St. James school tuition. The **School Fee Reduction Program** divides the profit from each card purchased equally, with 50% of the profit staying at Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, and the other 50% being credited towards the family to be used to offset registration, book fees, and/or tuition.

Example: A \$100 Walmart card is purchased by a parishioner with school-aged children, \$1.25 goes back to the parish, and \$1.25 is credited towards the family for next year's school fees. It may not seem like a lot, but it adds up quickly, and many families are able to pay for their school fees entirely from using Scrip cards.


$$= \$1.25 + \$1.25$$

Goes towards YOUR school fees Goes back to Sts. Peter & Paul

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE IN THE SCHOOL FEE REDUCTION PROGRAM?

Not only can parents of school-aged and preschool-aged children participate in the School Fee Reduction Program, but so can everyone else! Parents can encourage family members and friends to purchase Scrip cards and have them designate them as the family to benefit from their purchases.

Example: Granny Smith comes in to purchase Scrip cards in the Parish Office. She tells the office staff, "My grandson, Johnny Jones, goes to school here. I would like the Jones family to receive the credit." It's as easy as that!

Sts. Peter & Paul School

Scrip credits are first applied to any school registration fees. Any excess credits will then be applied to Kinder Haus Tuition, Religious Ed fees, or St. James Tuition if any of these apply for your family.

Kinder Haus

If your child will be in Kinder Haus the following year, you can start purchasing Scrip cards now, and the credits you earn will go towards their tuition fees.

Religious Education

If your child participates in the Religious Education program, your Scrip credits can go toward your child's Religious Ed fees.

St. James School

If you are a Sts. Peter & Paul parishioner and have a child(ren) who attends St. James School, your Scrip credits can be applied to your St. James tuition.



Current Scrip Year

The current Scrip Year is March 1, 2018 through February 28, 2019. These scrip credits will be applied to the 2019-2020 school year.

Order forms are available at www.stsppchurch.com/scrip or at the Parish Office. Contact the Parish Office at 812-768-6457 if you have any questions about the Scrip Program.