



“Teaching fingers to play”

Dear Parents,

Hello. My name is Sister Susan Clark and I am a pianist and teacher residing here at Notre Dame Center. I love teaching piano lessons and I have been doing so for many years. Having opened a studio here in the Notre Dame Center in 2017, I offer piano lessons that are comprehensive and engaging with the goal of creating a life-long love of music. I so appreciate the opportunity to connect with families while helping children grow and develop.

I have been a student of music for many years and still enjoy working on my performance and teaching skills. I completed a B.A. in Music at Notre Dame College of Ohio and a Masters in Performance from Bowling Green State University. I am a member of Music Educators National Conference, the National Guild of Piano Teachers, and the Cleveland Federation of Piano Teachers. I operated a piano studio in Brecksville for more than twenty years. In addition to piano, I have taught Choral Music and Related Arts in the Catholic Schools of Greater Cleveland; I have been a Church Choir Director, organist, and pianist in the Cleveland Diocese for twenty-three years.

I offer the opportunity to interested students of Notre Dame Elementary and Middle Schools. The lesson would be ½ hour in length each week after school, 36 lessons across the academic year. For the sake of continuity, I also offer a few lessons during the summer months. I think it is important for students to have the opportunity to perform their music for others, as it helps build confidence and personal presence. To this end, I do schedule piano recitals, one in December celebrating the Christmas season, and one in May celebrating the season of spring. Parents, relatives, and friends – their “fan clubs” if you will – would make up the audience.

Piano Tuition is \$85.00 per month, with 36 lessons across the academic year. The cost of the piano books is over and above the monthly tuition. I can assist by ordering music at cost for the students.

If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity, please contact me at sclark@ndec.org or 216.313.0149.

I look forward to welcoming you to my studio!

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