

Micah 6:8

Act Justly, Love Tenderly, Walk Humbly with Your God and One Another. -Micah 6:8

Did you know that St. Viator Parish School is the ONLY fully inclusive Catholic School in the state of NV? The Micah 6:8 Program was founded 11 years ago by the Silvestri family. They had four typical children that attended and graduated from St. Viator. When they found out they were having a child with down syndrome, they prayed for the same opportunity for their baby. They worked with donors and the principal to establish The Micah 6:8 Program which comes from the bible verse, Act Justly, Love Tenderly, and Walk Humbly with God and each other.



The Micah 6:8 Program has graduated 3 students who are now attending high school. One of which is participating in high school as a general education student with little support. We have also transitioned one current student into the general education classroom without the help of a Micah 6:8 aide. Through our program, we have or are servicing children with special abilities such as Autism, Down Syndrome, Epilepsy, ADHD, Cerebral Palsy, Speech Impediments, and Communication Disorders. We currently have 9 students in the program.



The importance of this program is not just for the few students and families with special needs, rather it has impacted the entire school and church community in a positive way. Rhianna Cardinalli (parent of two children who have or are in the same class as Micah students) said it perfectly, "The Micah students have taught my own kids compassion, patience, understanding, and an innate sense of wanting to help others see their friends as special as they do. My kids see them for their ABILITIES not their disabilities."

Meet your Micah Team



To Inclusion...and Beyond!

