

GCW CONSENT TO RECEIVE COMMUNION

The Girls' Choir of Wilmington often sings in Christian services and on occasion its members are invited to participate in an 'open' communion. We understand 'open' to mean there is no requirement of membership in any particular faith community, simply a belief in Jesus. GCW accepts the invitation to share communion as an honor and makes sure grape juice, not wine, is served. Whether by coming forward to receive the bread and dip it in the juice, or by having the elements served by the congregation, we want to be mindful of the reverence surrounding this ritual.

While GCW continues to grow in the diversity of its membership and with respect for the multi – cultural society we live in, we do not encourage members to participate in communion unless they have indicated their desire and understanding of the need to be respectful of this tradition. GCW also values similar invitations and experiences in other faith communities.

Please Allow _____ to receive communion.

Signed : _____ Parent/Guardian.