





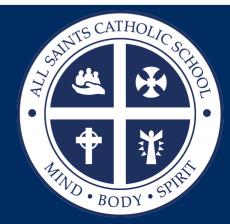


ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Growing Leaders in Mind, Body, and Spirit

ANNUAL REPORT 2018-2019









MISSION

The mission of All Saints Catholic School is to grow leaders in mind, body, and spirit and encourage each student to reach his or her personal potential. Our school community strives to develop saintly leaders that will be living witnesses of the Gospel by focusing on:

> Academic Excellence Service to Others Community Building Sharing Our Faith









VISION

All Saints Catholic School will be the premier Christ- and family-centered Catholic school community that is actively sought for its strong Catholic identity, academic excellence, leadership development, and responsible stewardship.

LETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL









November 20, 2019

Dear Parents, Grandparents, Alumni, and Friends of All Saints Catholic School,

It is a great honor and privilege to present to you our annual report for the 2018-2019 school year. Looking back on the past year, I am in awe of how much we have accomplished as a school community. It is truly evident that our community is dedicated to our Catholic faith and our mission of growing leaders in mind, body, and spirit.

Within the pages of this annual report, you will see the remarkable highlights that were accomplished during the 2018-2019 school year and our plans to enhance our programs this year. These accomplishments and plans would not be possible without the parents, grandparents, alumni, and friends who partner with us on a daily basis, and the faculty and staff who provide an exceptional educational experience for our children. Thank you for making a positive difference for our students each and every day.

This report also gives us a chance to celebrate and recognize all the financial support provided to our school from hundreds of people. "Thank you" cannot be said enough for your gifts. Your contributions have allowed us to continue to support our students and teachers and to take All Saints to new levels of excellence.

On behalf of our faculty, staff, and students, I thank you for your kindness and support. All Saints Catholic School is an extraordinary community, and together we are making a difference.

God bless,

Krister Strausbaugh

Ms. Kristen Strausbaugh

CURRENT SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

Kristen Strausbaugh, Principal Scott Wisniewski, Assistant Principal Carol Pisarski, Director of Admissions Micki Shore, Curriculum Director Michele Santillan, Director of Advancement & Marketing Christine Lerch, Counselor Jennifer Walker, Accountant Nancy Kullman, Office Assistant



HIGHLIGHTS OF 2018-2019







- Twenty-eight 7th and 8th grade students were inducted into our chapter of the National Junior Honor Society (NJHS) at a ceremonial Mass in February, bringing our total to 63 students.
- Student averages for the Iowa Assessment met the 78th percentile mark for English language arts for students grades 1-8 (top 22% nationally) and student averages for math met the 72nd percentile mark (top 28% nationally).
- All Saints hosted its annual Lenten Hygiene Drive to benefit the All Saints Soup Kitchen and Food Pantry for much needed toiletry items such as shampoo, toothpaste, deodorant, and lotion. Student council and NJHS members delivered and distributed the items in Detroit.
- Our 14th Annual Grandparents' and Special Persons' Day welcomed more than 500 guests into the building. Visitors spent time touring the school, learning about classroom activities, and making memories with their special student(s).
- Our Advent Giving Tree program was another huge success, and our generous community filled a 10-foot U-Haul with more than 600 gifts to help support 115 children through the All Saints Soup Kitchen and Food Pantry in Detroit.
- Students in the upper hall were paired with younger students as prayer buddies throughout the Lenten season. Older and younger students prayed together and created prayer chains to display outside their classrooms.
- Instituted a campus ministry program, with the addition of a part-time campus minister to lead faith-formation opportunities for students, parents, and staff.
- Began our Virtues in Practice program as a way for our prekindergarten through 8th grade students to grow closer to Jesus by imitating His life and virtues.
- During our annual auction, we raised \$16,000 toward our new back playground as part of our Raise-the-Paddle segment.
- Held our first leadership training day for our 7th and 8th grade students to help them gain skills in teamwork and confidence.
- Our All Saints community hosted our first annual Veterans' Day celebration to honor family members, friends, and those in our community who have served our country.
- Our teachers planned culminating activities to make units of study come alive, which included our first-ever 7th grade homage to the Roaring '20s, as well as:
 - Animal Habitat Reports
 - Greek Olympics
 - Renaissance Faire
 - Ellis Island Simulation
 - Native American Feast & Wax Museum

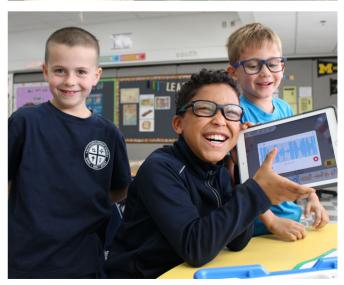
HAPPENING IN 2019-2020

- Over the summer, we moved our Chapel into a larger space, now allowing for an entire grade to celebrate Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, religion classes, and other worship experiences together.
- Celebrated the completion of our new back playground, funded in part with generous contributions from our community during our Raise-the-Paddle portion of our March auction.
- Expansion of our Parents in Prayer program so we have more ways of bringing our community together in prayer.
- Expansion of service opportunities for all grades in the school at an age-appropriate level.
- Implementation of an upgraded security system, as the result of a grant from the State of Michigan.
- Implementation of STAR Renaissance computer-assisted standardized testing, at the request of the Archdiocese of Detroitr, replacing the IOWA testing program.
- Introduction of the 6 Traits of Writing program for students in K-6.
- Implementation of the Next Generation of Science standards, focusing on physical science, engineering, life sciences, and earth and space.
- Introduction of Year II of the Virtues in Practice program, focusing on the Year of Faith.
- Institution of a new "All Hands on Deck" designated time on Fridays, where students in grades 4 through 8 will receive increased individualized instruction, whether they are struggling or in need of additional curriculum challenges.
- Adoption of new grade-level experiences:
 - 6th grade overnight camping trip to the Howell Nature Center
 - 7th grade STEM overnight trip to Mackinac Island in May
 - Move-Up Day in March









2018 All Saints Golf Classic

On Saturday, August 18, 2018, the **All Saints Golf Classic** was held at The Inn at St. John's in Plymouth, Michigan. For the third consecutive year, not only did our event sell out with more than 120 golfers, but we successfully raised more than \$10,000 for the benefit of our school community. Overall, it was an amazing afternoon of fun, food, fellowship, and prizes.



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19th Annual Auction & Gala

Each year, the All Saints community comes together to celebrate our students and faculty and to raise much-needed funds to strengthen our school. Our 19th Annual Growing our Future Auction and Gala was held on March 2, 2019, at the Laurel Manor Banquet and Conference Center in Livonia.

More than 400 guests gathered to support the mission of All Saints Catholic School and bid on more than 200 silent and live auction items. The generosity of our families combined to raise more than \$110,000 to once again make this event our largest fundraiser of the year!

Many thanks to our families, friends, sponsors, and supporters for making this event an incredible success year after year.





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<u>Dessert</u> Bruce Lamb Agency--Allstate Mercy High School

<u>Beverage</u>

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2018-2019 Fund for All Saints

The Fund for All Saints contributions are the foundation of financial support for our school. We are extremely fortunate to have the commitment and involvement of so many caring supporters who give their time and resources to make All Saints an outstanding Catholic school. We extend a spirit of gratitude to all those parents, grandparents, staff, alumni, and friends who have made a gift to the Fund for All Saints.

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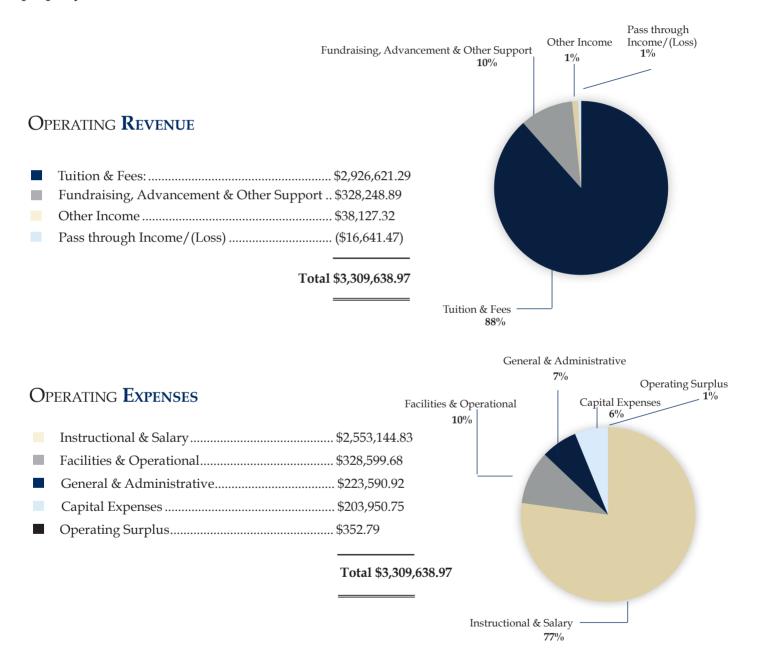
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Fiscal year ending June 30, 2019

The accounting office of All Saints Catholic School is responsible for the preparation, integrity, and fair presentation of the financial statements in this annual report. The school maintains a system of internal controls over financial reporting which are designed to provide assurance to the school's administration and the Archdiocese of Detroit that assets are protected and transactions are recorded properly in the financial statements.



CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2019



All Saints Catholic School welcomed 62 students into the Class of 2019 as they officially became alumni surrounded by family, friends, teachers, and staff during the graduation Mass at St. John Neumann Parish on June 5, 2019.

Each student has had an amazing journey and over the years has grown in mind, body, and spirit to become truly remarkable young men and women. We are so proud of their accomplishments and pray God's blessings will continue to follow them as they find new journeys to travel.



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