



# Epistles from Saint Paul's Spring 2019

*Saint Paul's Catholic School instills Christian values in its students and a desire to make a positive difference in the world. We are committed to developing in each student, an eternal relationship with Jesus Christ, a sense of self-worth, a spirit of discovery and inquiry, and an enthusiasm for lifelong learning.*

**STRIVING TO BE PASSIONATELY CATHOLIC AND ACADEMICALLY EXCELLENT**

Colossians 3:23-24

**Congratulations to the 8th Grade Graduates!**



**Upcoming dates:**

- ⇒ June 21 -Annual Dinner, \$100 ticket for 2 buffet dinners and a chance to win many prizes
- ⇒ June 22 -Family Retreat, Sacred Heart Church
- ⇒ July 22-26 Totus Tuus in Orleans
- ⇒ July 29 - Vt. Lake Monsters Game. Play ball!
- ⇒ August 14-18 Barton Fair Parking, Volunteer Opportunity
- ⇒ August 26 First Day of School

**Yet another big project is underway! Thank you to our supporters and donors as we work to make our school a safe and accommodating for our students and families. Our commitment to spiritual, academic, and moral formation continues. Thanks be to God. Now and forever!**

**Principal's Corner**



Happy Spring! Signs of new life surround us as summer is right around the corner. Another school year comes to close and we have so much to be thankful for. A big project is underway for June and July as we finally abate the last of the original 1958 asbestos tiles from the school! This is a great safety and health concern, so it's imminent that this project move forth. We are relying on the School Foundation for backing and donors to help make it happen. At time of printing, the Foundation and parish has committed to \$40,000 and the school has received \$22,500 in donations and grants towards the \$80,000 project. As we secure more funding more rooms will be resurfaced. If you were waiting to assist in a substantial impact for the school, now it the time!

-Joanne Beloin, St. Paul's Catholic School Principal

**Pastor's Corner**

This is my farewell letter to the friends and supporters of St. Paul's School. Since July of 2011 I have been intricately involved in all sorts of school activities, each year a little different. The initiation of these *Epistles from St. Paul's* was a projects six years ago. Our fall 2019 edition will certainly include greetings from the new parish priest. Most Holy Trinity Parish will welcome Fr. Curtis Miller this July, and certainly St. Paul's School will help make his welcome to Barton a warm one. For me, I was happy to celebrate my 10th anniversary as a priest, on May 30th, here in Barton. Now on to serve the Catholic faithful of our Diocese in a new capacity. The next ten years may or may not rival the adventures that I have had in Barton, but they will certainly be fulfilling by doing all for the service of our Lord. Praise Jesus. God bless you all.

- Fr. Timothy Naples, Pastor



**Newsletter Response Form:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- I am an alumnus(a) of St. Paul's Catholic School, year(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- I have a new address. Please keep me on your mailing list.
- I received this newsletter through another person. Please add my address to your mailing list.
- Please pray for my intention at your Patronal Feast Mass: \_\_\_\_\_
- I am interested in information about families in need of sponsorship for needs based scholarships.

Notes or Alumni News to share:



8th graders will graduate in June. Daily visits to the PreK room has created lasting Buddies.

Kindergarten students learn about seasons in science. (right)

Winter Activities included swimming, climbing wall, gym games, bowling, skating and sugar on snow at a local sugarhouse. (below)



Our Math Counts Club received Gold status in their participation in the program this year. (Above)  
Weekly school Mass (right)



Students participate in many extra curricular academic activities including Science Fair, Math Counts, Spelling Bee and shown here the VFW Patriot's Pen Essay Contest. Our students placed 1st, 2nd and 3rd in their age bracket.



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**Would you consider a generous gift to St. Paul's Catholic School?**

My Spring Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ or  \$50  \$100  \$250  \$500

**Apply my donation to the Floor Project**

**Our ongoing need for scholarship donations is great! Please consider being a yearly half or full sponsor, and we will match you with one of our families in need, to send**

**My pledge to sponsor a student for**  25%, \$1000  50%, \$2000/yr.  100%, \$4000/yr.

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