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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Together as our school family continues to celebrate successes, we look ahead with hope for the future. By sending your children to Saint Joseph Catholic School, you are providing an incredible foundation on their path to becoming Christian disciples and successful citizens in all walks of life. They are our future!

The mark of a school's authentic catholicity is the vital witness of its teachers and administrators, with them lay the primary responsibility for creating a Christian school climate as individuals and as a community. The educators and administrators of Saint Joseph School know that their example for the student's formation is crucial: the witness of adults in the school community is a vital part of the school's identity.

Enrollment for the 2025-2026 school year is now open for 3K through 8th grade. If you are interested in a school tour or would like to meet with staff, please contact the office and we will set up an appointment.

We are grateful for the continuing financial support of both Saint Andrew and Saint Joseph Parishes. They are committed to investing in our school and our children. Due to this assurance, we can continue to operate based on a Fair Share Commitment, rather than a set tuition rate.

Although a minimum pledge is not required, we hope that you prayerfully consider the many ways that you can support our school.

1. Personal payments can be set up as annual, bi-annual, or monthly. The amount is set by you, based on your family's ability to contribute towards your child's education.
2. There is the option to apply for financial assistance through the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP). Open enrollment for this program is February 3 through April 17, 2025. A document describing the program is attached for your review.
3. Families that do not qualify for WPCP can receive a scholarship provided by donors who are vested in our school.

Financial constraints should not prevent a child from receiving a Catholic education.

If you have any questions, please contact the school office for more information or to set up a private meeting.

Please review the attached documents, and complete at your earliest convenience. The teachers and administration are happy that you are considering having your child(ren) be a part of the 3K through 8th grade program at Saint Joseph School. May the Good Lord guide you during your discernment process.

God's Blessings,

Fr. Sengole Vethanayagam
Pastor

Sally Wenzel
Principal

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We, the family of St. Joseph, are committed to educating God's children by promoting Catholic values through academic excellence and service to others.