

MEMO TO: SCCS Community
FROM: SCCS Board of Directors
DATE: April 21, 2008
RE: Important School News

With the recent announcement of Sister Mary Jon's departure, the Board of Directors has begun the process of pursuing a new school superintendent for SCCS. An interview and search committee is being formed, and we are beginning a thorough and professional process by which we hope to attract and assure the selection of the right person for this very important position.

As called to do often by our God, the Board will be invoking the power of prayer to assist us in our efforts, and we invite you to join us in daily prayer, between 7-7:30 am, for our school and community. We have set this time aside in our busy schedules, to say a personal prayer, to ask the Lord to guide us in our mission of Catholic School education.

As you are aware, our annual enrollment process is underway. We have heard concern and rumors circulating that due to declining enrollment, SMCC may cease to exist in the near future. Please be assured that this unfounded rumor has been circulating for many years. There is no magic number that dictates the viability of our school. As a community of faith, we are blessed with many families and supporters who value Catholic School education, and who are committed to the longevity of our Catholic school. SCCS, including SMCC will endure as long as our commitment and resolve remain. Plans for future facilities upgrades are in the works with more details to come in the next few months.

The Board of Directors remains dedicated to moving our school forward in the continuous improvement of faith formation of our families, academic offerings, and an inclusive and mutually supportive environment. You can see what we are working on by reviewing the Board meeting minutes which are now posted on the SCCS web site.

We are thankful to everyone who has been participating on committees, providing support to our programs, teachers, Board and administration. Your efforts are making a difference in the success of our school. Please continue to support the school and each other in our mission.