

***Saint Andrew Catholic  
School and Preschool***  
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Saint Andrew introduces  
Jesus to Saint Peter

March 2017

Dear Friend of Saint Andrew Catholic School,

I write to you today as a proud graduate of Saint Andrew Catholic School and the chairperson of the inaugural annual fund drive. I am honored to be asked to serve in this capacity. I know that Saint Andrew Catholic School has helped me to achieve spiritually, academically and socially. I cherish the time I spent there as I know my older sisters and brother do.

This year, Saint Andrew School is celebrating its 90<sup>th</sup> year! Can you imagine? Thousands of students have learned how to live their faith, read, write, add, subtract, multiply, serve their community, etc. Many parents and teachers have worked long and hard during this spiritual and educational journey.

As the only Catholic elementary school in Newtown, I know that all of the stakeholders are committed to *Spirituality, Academics and Service*. Saint Andrew Catholic School is considered a flagship school of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. Never to rest on their laurels, the faculty, staff and administration work to strengthen learning and instruction, constantly introducing new techniques and initiatives. The school now offers Spanish instruction to preschoolers through eighth graders; they have introduced learning support; they have a fully functioning, student run television station and house a branch of the First National Bank and Trust of Newtown, just to name a few!

The annual fund will support all of the above mentioned offerings and will help to cover the costs of operating and maintaining our school. Most importantly, donations will help to keep tuition affordable. As tuition covers only a portion of our budget, Saint Andrew Catholic School depends on donors to help defray the deficit. Every dollar counts! Please consider a tax deductible gift to our annual fund.

I know firsthand that great things can happen when you work together as a team. If all of us, who really appreciate Saint Andrew Catholic School and all it stands for, take the time to donate something, even a few dollars, as a team we can make this campaign a huge success. Thank you in advance for working with me towards this goal.

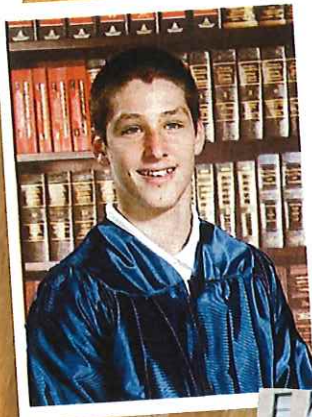
Sincerely,

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Saint Andrew Catholic School Class of 2008  
Villanova University Class of 2016; NCAA Basketball Champions

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*CAREER:* NBA Player

*QUOTE:* "3...2...1...and the crowd goes wild!"

*FAVORITE MEMORY:* Region basketball.

