



# ANNUAL REPORT

2021- 22 ACADEMIC YEAR



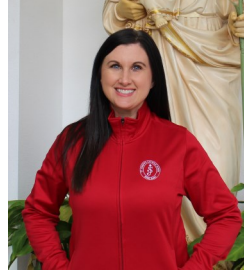
# Meet Our Principal and Assistant Principal

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The school year resoundingly started with our community chanting “**ALL IN!**”

Guided by our patron Saint, St. Joseph, the parents, students, and stakeholders enthusiastically support the mission and high expectations for which St. Joseph’s Catholic School is known and the legacy we are creating as a community.



Safety and Security is the top priority that our new admin team evaluated upon arrival. We have met with several consultants for safety and security including an investigator for the Uvalde, Texas school shooting, emergency response coordinators from Ada and Nampa, and local law enforcement. We are working to create a five year plan of upgrades beginning with small and easy recommendations and moving towards larger and more expensive improvements. Situational awareness training for all staff will begin to be conducted annually, and school locks have been changed and streamlined for quicker and easier response times for emergency personnel in case of an emergency. Drills are conducted monthly and taken seriously by staff and students. This helps us obtain information to make ongoing improvements to evacuation routes, holes in procedures, etc. Upgrades like badging systems will take time and money to implement but are on the radar of things to look at moving forward. New phones and mass communication systems are also being reviewed for upgrades and proficiency.

This year we are updating all of our classrooms with relevant and engaging technology. We continue to be a 1:1 school with primarily Chromebook devices, while also adding tablets to the kindergarten classrooms for easier use and management (by little fingers). Each classroom was outfitted with a new LCD projector that provides a crisp image for students to view. Apple TV’s and iPads were also put in each classroom to de-tether the teacher from their desk and/or front of the room. This allows for better classroom management for teachers and increased engagement for students. Our specialists are also taking advantage and implementing new technology including the use of iPads for music composition and circuit training for PE. A “closet” of alternative seating and accommodations for students with learning difficulties and anxiety has also been created. Teachers may check out items from the closet for student use. Items like, standup desks, wiggle seats, tactile letters, slant boards and more can be used by students who have a need, then returned for further use by the student body. At times students need to try several items before they find what works for them. It also provides a larger resource for teachers to pull from to assist students who are struggling. A typing curriculum has also been purchased and will be implemented beginning the second semester for grade 3-5. Assistive Technology has been added to student accounts that have a need for additional assistance on reading and writing.

The purchasing of this and other technology is from a state grant that has specific provisions attached to it in regards to student learning and mental health. The money must be spent by June of 2023.

We are committed to making decisions that are best for the long-term success and safety of St. Joe’s including building maintenance and infrastructure. Being good stewards of the financials here may at times mean spending more to do things in a long and lasting way rather than taking a shortcut that will not sustain. As the oldest Catholic school in the Treasure Valley, we will continue to provide exceptional education in a safe and loving environment. Our tradition demands it. We are “**ALL IN!**”.

*Randy McCormick*

Principal

*Amanda Kuznia*

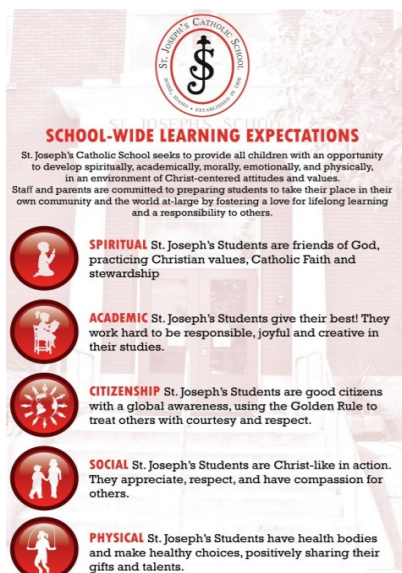
Assistant Principal



# CONGRATULATIONS

## 2021-22 Award winners

There were many outstanding students during the 2021-22 school year. The students selected for awards represented St. Joseph's in their every day excellence. The winners of these awards were chosen for the ways they shine through their humanitarian efforts, studies, spiritual lives and social activities.



### St. Josephine Bakhita Scholarship Award



Ayden Boyd

### Students of the Year



Abigail Wallace and William Kerby

### Humanitarian Award



Ben Showers and Caroline Monahan

### Nick Ysursa Scholarship Award



Lina Aldape

## School Wide Learning Expectations Award Winners

### Spiritual



Emerson Lynch

### Academic



Gio Provenzano

### Citizenship



Olivia Edson

### Social



Conor Goss

### Physical



Kate Jaques

# Idaho Education Tax Credit

Idaho provides an amazing opportunity to support schools as well as receive a tax credit. Beyond the significant impact your donations have on St. Joseph’s Catholic School, they may be eligible for a 50% tax credit. This credit is available regardless if you itemize deductions.

If you itemize, your gift allows income tax deductions on both your state and federal returns, plus the 50% Idaho income tax credit.

	Gift Amount	Tax Credit
Idaho Individuals	Up to \$1,000	Up to \$500
Idaho Married Couples	Up to \$2,000	Up to \$1,000
Idaho Corporations	Up to \$10,000	Up to \$5,000

Any potential donor should consult with their tax advisor for details and applicability of the Idaho Education Tax Credit.

Reference: Idaho Statue 63-3029A. Income Tax Credit for Charitable Contributions



We finished our new playground one year ago and it has been a year full of smiles, games, running and laughing. We started this capital campaign to address campus safety through the correction of major precipitation drainage issues as well as provide green space and play spaces designed to encourage creativity, build strength and support social activities for students of all ages. The joy of students at recess has been tangible. We want to thank you and all the donors who made this a reality. This project is not yet fully paid off. Any donation helps in finishing the funding of this beautiful playground.

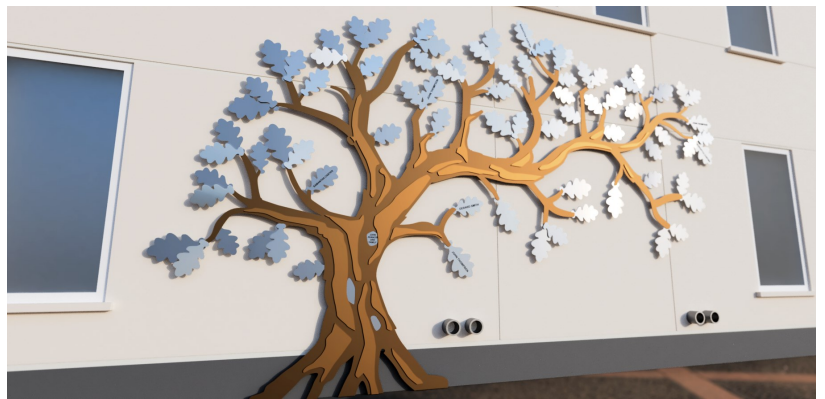


# Playtopia Capital Campaign



Because of the generosity of our community of donors, we have been able to fundraise a large amount of the cost associated with this project. All donations still make an impact on fully funding Playtopia. Below are ways your donation can be remembered and preserved at St. Joseph's Catholic School.

**DONOR TREE:** Donors have the unique opportunity to be featured on a state of the art Donor Tree that is located on the side of the historic St. Joseph's building. This Donor Tree carries on the names and legacy of those who played such a crucial part in this capital campaign.



**FUND THE FUN BRICKS:** To highlight our Catholic Identity, there is a beautiful cross near the entrance to the school – It is made from brick pavers that we are selling to our community. To be part of the St. Joseph's legacy, a brick can be purchased and engraved with your family name or the names of your children.



Contact the school to make a donation to this project.

## St. Joseph's Advisory Board



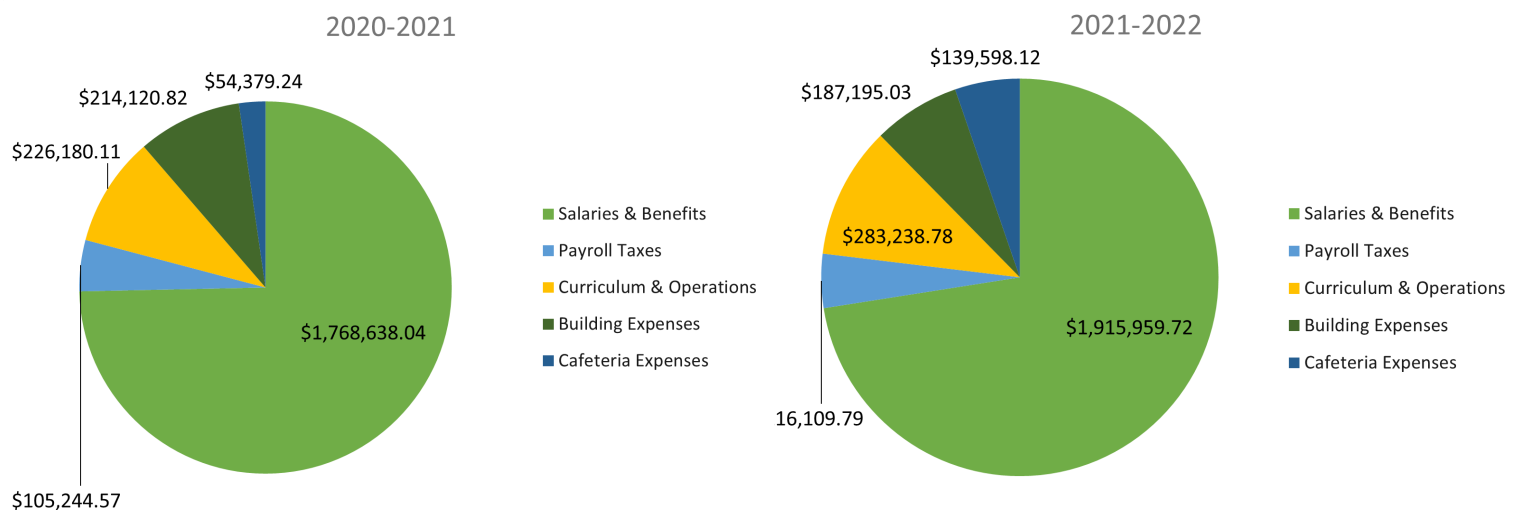
The St. Joseph's Catholic School Board is the advisory to the Cathedral Rector and the Principal. The Board acts in a consultative role and formulates policy recommendations that oversee the educational program and facilities at St. Joseph's Catholic School. The Board is comprised of three elected parent members from the St. Joseph's Parents Association and four appointed parishioner members. Nonvoting members include the Rector of St. John's, Father Mariusz Majewski; the Principal, Randy McCormick; and the Book Keeper, Julie Perkins.

**St. Joseph's 2022– 23 School Board:** Randy McCormick (Principal), Cristina Daccarett, Kelly Lim, Joe Forney, Stephanie Wright, Kim Malvick, Paula Coulter, and Dean Pape. Not Pictured: Fr. Mariusz, Julie Perkins.

## Summary of Expenses and Revenue

This summary of expenses and revenue for St. Joseph's Catholic School (part of the Roman Catholic Diocese) is for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022. The financial information is prepared in accordance with the basis of accounting prescribed by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Boise, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## St. Joseph's School Expense Comparisons



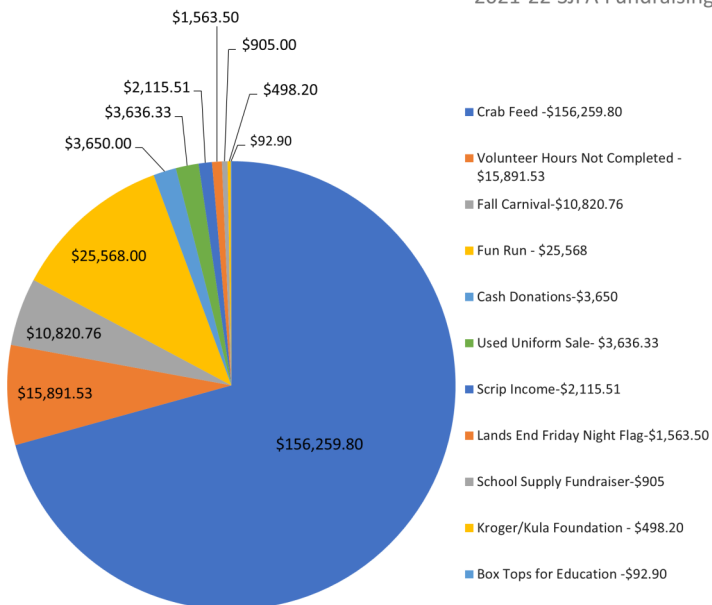
# The St. Joseph's Parent's Association

The St. Joseph's School Parents' Association (SJPA) runs a strong and active volunteer program, requiring each family to volunteer a minimum of 25 hours during the school year, with five of those hours directed toward fundraising activities. SJPA fundraisers provide vital funds for the general operating budget of St. Joseph's School, allowing for a more affordable tuition and additional educational opportunities. The SJPA's main fundraiser—the Crab Feed Dinner Auction—will be held March 11, 2023 at Boise Centre East.



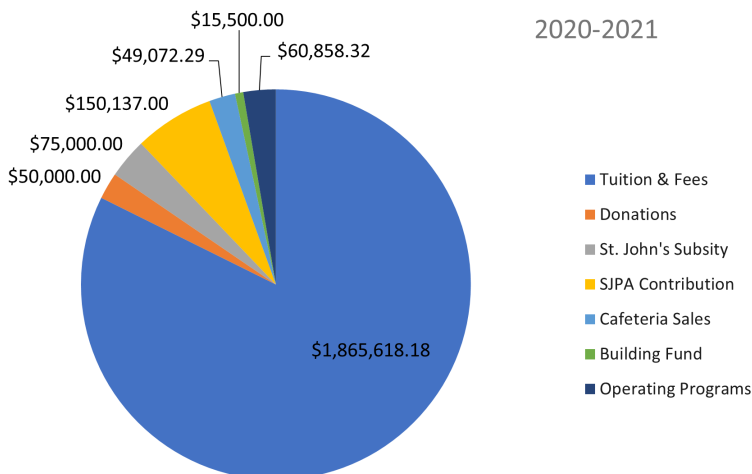
2022-23 SJPA Board: Treasurer – Becky Parson,  
Secretary – Maureen Larkin, President – James Novak, President  
Elect—Diana Lachiondo

2021-22 SJPA Fundraising

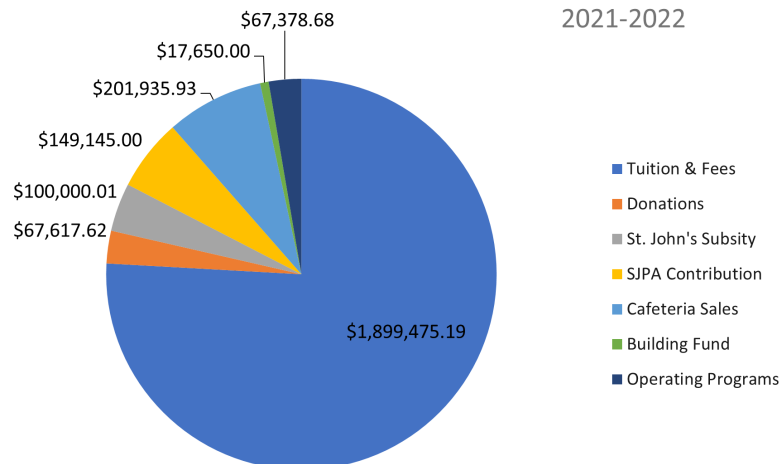


## St. Joseph's School Revenue Comparisons

2020-2021



2021-2022



# Thank You to our 2021 – 2022 Donors

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**Thank you to all our donors. Your contributions help continue  
in our 120+ year mission to provide Idaho students with an  
excellent Catholic education.**

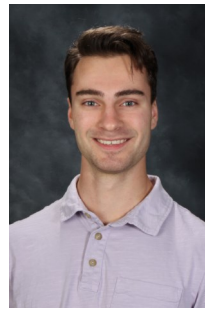
# Welcome New Faculty and Staff



**Jack Estrada** teaches 3rd grade. He is a 2021 graduate of Boise State University with a Bachelor's in Elementary Education and an endorsement in literacy. Mr. Estrada states, "I hold my students to high expectations and believe I can pull the best out of each student." He is a team player who is excited to be a part of the St. Joe's community!



**Brooke Maritt** is our school counselor. She is from Filer, Idaho and moved to Boise to pursue her education. She received her Bachelor degree from Boise State and is currently a graduate student at Northwest Nazarene University in the Counselor Education Program.



**Simon Petersen** teaches 4th grade. He graduated from Gonzaga University with a BS in Applied Mathematics and a minor in Physics. He is pursuing his Master's degree in education from the University of Portland through PACE - a program to form and train teachers to work in Catholic Education.



**Andria Jenné** teaches 1st grade. She has her Master's degree in Curriculum and Instruction. She taught at St. Joseph's early in her career and then went on to teach at Shadow Hills Elementary. Mrs. Jenné has spent the last 18 years teaching second grade at Highlands Elementary.



**Marie Money** is an Instructional Aide. She grew up in Vancouver, British Columbia and received her B.A. (English Literature) and an Early Childhood Education Course at the University of British Columbia. She and her husband have two wonderful children, Angelina who is a freshman at Bishop Kelly and Matthew who is a 5th grader at St. Joes.



**Julie Perkins** is our Bookkeeper. She went to college at Boise State and Alaska Pacific University and most of her professional career has been spent in the executive accountant world. She owned a grocery store/gas station in beautiful Eastern Oregon for 10 years. In her free time, you can find her on her daughter and son-in-law's ranch watching her grandkids play and enjoying the life God gave her.



St. Joseph's Catholic School teachers are **ALL IN!!** They are dedicated to providing an excellent Catholic education. They recognize each student as a dynamic person who grows and learns spiritually, academically, socially, and physically from one grade level to the next preparing them to become upstanding citizens in our society. Thank you to all our donors who support this mission, you are truly **ALL IN!**

# St. Joseph's Catholic School History

**1900:** St. Joseph's School was founded by the Sisters of the Holy Cross.

**1925:** St. Joseph's distinct red brick school building at the corner of 9th and Fort Street was completed. The new building had eight classrooms and cost \$38,000.

**1948:** The current gymnasium was built at a cost of \$89,000. The new building seated 400 people on permanent bleachers.

**1953:** St. Joseph's transitioned from an all-boys school to a grammar school for both boys and girls. St. Teresa's Academy transitioned from an all-girls school to a high school for both boys and girls.

**1991:** Began a multi-phase, 20 year expansion and renovation, with the addition of the Media Center, office and additional classroom space to the school building.

**1997:** A new heating and air conditioning system and energy efficient windows were installed to increase efficiency and comfort,

and to improve the learning environment.

**1999:** The school office and library were remodeled. The changes to the office increased school security and productivity.

**2002:** Expanded the Media Center and provided five new classrooms, including a Science Lab and Art Room.

**2011:** *E.L. Wiegand Wing* completed, adding five new classrooms and finalizing the multi-phase, 20 year expansion and renovation project.

**2013:** Received a \$50,000 grant from the J.A. and Kathryn Albertson Foundation, to become part of the nation's first statewide pilot of the Khan Academy—a free, internationally recognized online leader. The grant was used for training and technology upgrades to the school.

**2014:** Received an additional \$70,000 grant from the J.A. and Kathryn Albertson Foundation to provide over 100 Google Chromebooks for the 3rd and 4th grade classrooms.

**2015:** Revamped the website—[www.stjoes.com](http://www.stjoes.com). The mobile friendly design improves functionality, while continuing to provide information to current and prospective students and families.

**2016:** Earned a 6 year accreditation status from the Western Catholic Education Association. Added office for full-time counselor and remodeled office space for reading specialists.

**2017:** Updated school security—additional security cameras, a keypad at the front door, and a new external door to 8th St. were all installed.

**2018:** Hired student support staff. Installed new carpeting throughout the building. Replaced cement stairs at 9th and Fort Street exits. Continue to revise and implement campus safety plan. Began cycling hardware through five-year Technology Replacement Plan.

**2019:** Installed safety window coverings on 8th and Fort Street doors

and “stained glass” adhesives to upstairs skylights, bringing Cathedral art into the school.

**2020:** Began the capital campaign for our playground renovation. Successfully navigated the COVID pandemic, keeping the students in school and learning.

**2021:** Built new multi-purpose playground and community recreation area on the school campus through the Playtopia Capital Campaign.

**2022:** Used E.A.N. Federal Grants to update technology and add iPads, Apple TV's and new projectors in the classrooms.

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