

## Support for Catholic Education

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## **Annual Scholarship Fund**

Traditionally, more than two thirds of graduating SMS students go on to Catholic High Schools. Currently, the average tuition for a Catholic High School exceeds **\$14,000 per year**. Thanks to the generosity of St. Mary families and parishioners like you, we have historically been able to provide four Merit Scholarships to SMS students who go on to Catholic High Schools. It is our hope to again offer four substantial scholarships to the graduating class of 2019. Your contribution, no matter the amount, will be greatly appreciated! Please know that all patrons will be listed in our graduation program. Also, please remember that many companies offer their employees matching donations to scholarship funds. Why not see if your employer does. Remember, 100% of your gift is tax deductible, and 100% of your donation helps students pay for their Catholic High School tuition. On behalf of the 2019 graduating class, THANK YOU for your support!

## St. Mary Tree of Life

Our Tree Of Life is a beautiful 3-dimensional memorial sculpture that hangs in the lobby of St. Mary School. It is adorned with hundreds of engraved bronze leaves that contain the names of individuals and families that have been a part of the history of our school. At the bottom of the tree are larger engraved memorial stones. Funds used to purchase the memorials are strictly earmarked to maintain and enhance the technology used in the St. Mary School Media Center. Your donation to the Tree of Life is 100% tax deductible and helps insure that our students have the tools necessary to compete in our global learning environment. This is a great way to remember loved ones and help our students be the best they can be!

## Dear St. Mary Families & Parishioners,

Please help support our students now and in the future as they continue their Catholic education. Thank you!

Mr. Andrew Carner, Principal Fr. John Singler, Pastor

I would like to help support Catholic Education:	Please choose donation type and amount:			
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<b><u>NOTE:</u></b> We will contact <b>every</b> donor by phone to ensure correct spelling and to provide you with all options for Tree of Life memorials. If you have any questions, please call the school at <b>440-243-4555</b> .	ALL SELECTIONS Remember, all donations are 100% tax deductible Make checks payable to: St. Mary Catholic School Mail form and checks to: St. Mary School 265 Baker Street, Berea, OH 44017			