

## St. Chris PTO Meeting Minutes

May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021 6:00 PM

(11 in attendance)

\*Opening Prayer

\*Overview of Funds: Our City BBQ fundraiser earned the PTO \$260 dollars. Thank you to those who chose to dine to donate! We hope to continue these type of fundraisers next school year.

\*Teacher Appreciation: We were able to raise 2,540 dollars for our teachers and staff for Teacher Appreciation Week! We cannot thank everyone who donated enough for your support. Also, thank you to Colleen K. for all of the hard work and dedication you put into making this week fantastic for everyone! You went above and beyond!

\*Plans for fall: Our hope is to have a Read-a-thon fundraiser this upcoming school year in the fall. This fundraiser has been successful in years past and enabled us to help fund the schools playground floor as well as the phone system used in the school. Our hopes are to raise enough funds to continue supporting the school through the year.

We support:

-Mother/Son and Father/Daughter events, Pastries with Parents, Teacher Appreciation Week, Aullwood Field Trips, Student Directory, Catholic Schools Week events, open house contributions, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade pizza party after 1<sup>st</sup> communion, conference dinners, kindergarten screening volunteers and snacks, science project funds, 8<sup>th</sup> grade scholarships, teacher wish lists, Mardi Gras raffle baskets and the summer reading program.

\*Updates from Mr. O'Loughlin:

We currently have 260 students enrolled for next school year.

Class sizes will be similar in size and structure from this past school year.

Option C will be phased out by the end of this school year. More Details to Come.

Spring Break will remain the same with students being school the week before and after Easter.

We will be outsourcing our cafeteria next year. Pricing will remain the same.

Fall Opening: The plan is for a normal opening. Health guidelines will continue to be followed and more should be known by late July.

\*\*Thank you to Mr. O for an outstanding first year as principal at St. Chris! You have done a phenomenal job in this challenging school year and we can't thank you enough!\*\*

*Meeting ended at 7:09 PM – Next meeting in fall of 2021*