## Nourishing the Soul, Mind and Body

## **Alumni Gathering** Sunday, May 18, 2025, at 1:30 PM **SPN PARISH PICNIC**

All alumni attending the Alumni Gathering will receive a gift from the school, enjoy some refreshments, meet up with other alumni, and have a chance to tour our school. Spread the news to your fellow classmates! Please complete the alumni form on our new website:

https://spnmd.org/alumni/



Gehrig McCracken (07'), Alex Lombardi (07'), and Rich Lombardi (05')



Steven Hildebrand (08')





Legendre (23')







Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wenzlick (09')

Tell us what is happening in your life! Send pictures to swenzlick@spnmd.org! Join our Facebook page: St. Philip Neri Alumni!

Group of Alumni at the 2024 Alumni Gathering



Please join us for any of our upcoming events:

12/19 - Chorus Christmas Concert at 6:00 PM

12/20 - School Christmas Concert at 8:30 AM

01/25 - Annual Fund Purse Bingo at 6 PM

01/26 - Catholic Schools Week Mass at 9:30 AM

01/26 - Catholic Schools Week Begins

01/28 - Open House from 9-11 AM

01/29 - Cools Schools Plunge

01/31 - Grandparents Day

03/05 - Ash Wednesday Mass at 9 AM

04/02 - Donuts with Dad

04/09 - Race for Education

04/11 - Wizard of Oz Musical at 6 PM

04/12 - Wizard of Oz Musical at 1 PM and 6 PM

04/20 - Happy Easter

05/15 - Talent Show

05/16 - Muffins with Mom

05/18 - Parish Picnic / Alumni Gathering

05/20 - 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament

05/22 - Field Day

05/30 - Class of 2025 Graduation

06/05 - Last Day of School



Every Thursday at 9 AM we have a school Mass – Please join us!

Monthly Parent Newsletters: spnmd.org/parent-newsletters/

## **SCHOOL WEBSITE: spnmd.org**







Send us your school memories! Please email Mrs. Sue Wenzlick at swenzlick@spnmd.org

> or mail to 6401 S. Orchard Road Linthicum, MD 21090



St. Philip Neri Catholic School St. Philip Neri Alumni

## St. Philip Neri School

## Principal's Message

Dear Faithful Donors,

We consider every gift we receive a precious resource from God.

I hope this letter finds you in good health and spirits. On behalf of the entire St. Philip Neri School community, I would like to extend our deepest gratitude for your generous support. Your donations have made an incredible difference in the lives of our students, allowing us to continue nurturing their minds, hearts, and spirits in the light of Christ.

Thanks to your generosity, we have been able to refresh all six student bathrooms, replace our worn-out stage curtains, replace the carpet in several classrooms, and update our technology infrastructure. We were also able to provide financial aid to deserving families. These achievements are a testament to the strong partnership we share with you, our faithful

As we look to the future, we remain committed to providing a quality Catholic education rooted in faith, excellence, and service. However, we cannot do it alone. Our mission thrives because of the ongoing generosity of donors like you, who believe in the transformative power of a faith-based education.

I humbly ask you to prayerfully consider renewing or increasing your support. Every gift, no matter the size, allows us to continue providing our students with an environment that encourages academic success and spiritual growth. Together, we can shape the future for the next generation of leaders grounded in Catholic values.

Thank you once again for your kindness and generosity. You are continually in our prayers, and we are deeply grateful for your partnership in our mission. May God bless you and your loved ones abundantly.

With heartfelt gratitude,

Kate Valey

Kate Daley, Principal



### WE ARE FAMILY! At St. Philip Neri School we love the family community atmosphere!

#### **COMMENTS FROM GRANDPARENTS**

We enrolled our granddaughter into St. Philip Neri School in her kindergarten year; she is now in the 4<sup>th</sup> grade. We are so pleased in how she is thriving in her academic and social skills. Also, SPN instills in their students' strong Catholic moral values which are extremely important to us. We are very confident that she will excel in high school because of the academic excellence that she is receiving at SPN. Ever since kindergarten, each of her teachers has laid down a strong faith-based academic foundation for the next year. We are comfortable in sending our granddaughter to SPN because of the strict protocols in place for the safety of the students and staff. We are extremely satisfied with SPN.

**Bud and Barbara Ruland** 

#### **COMMENTS FROM PARENTS**

In early 2014, my husband and I started to research schools for our sons. We wanted to enroll our sons in a Catholic school that was dedicated to academic excellence and had an emphasis on Catholic values. Through prayer, God lead us to St. Philip Neri School. In the ten years we have been here, St. Philip Neri School has always provided a positive and safe learning environment. It is evident that the school promotes the spiritual, moral, and intellectual development of each student because my sons have grown and excelled during their time at SPN. My sons have actively participated in SPN athletics and clubs such as CYO Soccer and Basketball, Chorus, Drama club, and Chess club. These extracurricular activities taught my sons the value of teamwork and personal responsibility. We appreciate that SPN has given our sons numerous opportunities to strengthen and reinforce their Catholic faith through service projects, attending Mass, and daily prayer in the classroom. Above all, we strongly believe SPN is a school family. The faculty and staff know each student by name and greet them each morning. The school offers many volunteer opportunities which results in high parent involvement. As a result, our family has made long lasting friendships. We feel blessed that our sons are students of St. Philip Neri School!

**Cliff and Joyce Kovack** 

# ST. PHILIP NERI IURCH PARISH OFFICE > HALL/GYM



Check out some of the smiling faces you can see at SPN!







#### It takes a village

Total giving includes gifts of all sizes from individuals and organizations and benefits all areas of the



**THANK** YOU. SPN!

In addition to the Annual Fund, we are grateful for the gifts to our Tuition **Assistance Fund through** the collection on the 4th Sunday of the month.

#### **SPN JESTER HERO**

We started a new signature program! Every school experiences financial burden. We have several items on our "wish list" to purchase. If you or your business would like to partner with our school and become a SPN JESTER HERO, please contact Mrs. Sue Wenzlick at swenzlick@spnmd.org.

Memorial Scholarships to St. Philip Neri School:



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today!



Through our many fundraisers, various social events, and our yearly appeal, we have been able to consistently meet our budget while keeping increases in tuition to a minimum.

#### Your generosity makes a difference – this year and every year. THANK YOU!

For your convenience, we have enclosed an envelope listing the different levels of giving, and we ask that you consider making a gift of at least \$50. Every gift makes a world of difference in our quest to provide a safe, loving, learning, Christ-centered environment for our children. We respectfully ask for your support in this endeavor.

#### Support of the 2024-2025 Annual Fund will help:

- Improve technology throughout the building
- Update our facility with needed repairs
- Enable financial aid support to families
- Provide spiritual retreats for students and staff
- Supply the instructional resource needs of our 21<sup>st</sup> Century learners

# Thank you for your support!

#### 100% of the School Board and Faculty are invested!

You can donate online or use the enclosed remittance envelope! https://forms.diamondmindinc.com/stphilipneri/onlinegiving

#### ADVENTURES AT ST. PHILIP NERI SCHOOL

#### **WE LOVE OUR SCHOOL!**

Please enjoy these pictures of some of our activities!















































