

# ***Meeting Summary***

## **ST. HILARY SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD**

December 6, 2016 7:00 p.m. RECTORY

As approved on February 7, 2017

### **Members Present**

Fr. Aloysius Funtilla, Pastor; Kathie Donovan, Principal; Theresa Jovanovic, President; Ann McNabb, Secretary; Pearle Torralba, Member; Mary Kay Donnelly, Faculty Representative

### **Approval of Minutes**

- The November 8, 2016 Meeting Summary was reviewed and approved.
- The Meeting Summary will be posted on the school's website.

### **Pastor's Report**

- The parish continues to work through the Archdiocesan Renew My Church initiative and recently held a meeting with school and parish families. A good number and varying mix of families attended.
- Next month, the Archdiocese host a multi-ethnic conference and mass discussing immigration. In early January prayer sessions will be held across the Archdiocese.
- Upcoming Simbang Gabi will be celebrated with Bishop Kane on December 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- A celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be held on December 12 at 5:00 am and a mass in Spanish at 7:00 pm.

### **Principal Report**

- The Chicago Tribune printed St. Hilary student Zheous Abalos' congratulation artwork to our new Cardinal, Blase Cupich.
- Recent events included Confirmation, celebrated by Bishop Wypych; family mass, Thanksgiving food drive, Archdiocesan parish visit with Bishop Kane.
- Upcoming events include Reconciliation services, family mass hosted by 2<sup>nd</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders; Parish and school Christmas concert and Family Mass at on Christmas Eve.
- Last day of school before the Christmas break is December 21.
- The Archdiocese finance office recommended a tuition increase of 3 percent for the following school year. Also recommended were to offer payment options for 10 and 12 month payments.

### **Organization reports**

- The *Family School Association* (FSA) held the successful Christmas party. Upcoming events include Lou Malnatis and Chuck and Cheese fundraisers.
- The *Alumni Association* is planning young alumni quiz night, and the traditional quiz night.

### **Old Business**

- Continue to work on a Big Shoulder volunteer to serve on School Board.
- School action plan – continue to work on, keep on the agenda, schedule a review at an upcoming meeting.
- The parish continues to explore electronic signage.

### **New Business**

- No new business