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Dear families,

As we begin this new school year, I want to extend a warm welcome to each of you. I couldn't be more thrilled with the energy, enthusiasm, and sense of purpose that have already filled our halls.

The beginning of a school year is always a special time, full of promise and potential. This year, it's clear that our schools are poised for great things. Our students are eager to learn, our teachers are passionate about their mission, and our entire community is united in our shared commitment to excellence in Catholic education.

Our theme for the year is from 2 Corinthians 5:7 "We walk by Faith, not by sight." I thank you in advance for having faith in your teachers, administrators, and communities. Together we will continue to teach the Good News of the Gospels helping all who are entrusted in our care to grow in their faith, discover their God-given potential, and walk confidently in the light of Christ's love.

I want to express my deepest gratitude to our dedicated staff, who have worked tirelessly to ensure a smooth and successful opening. I also want to thank our parents for their unwavering support and our students for their enthusiasm and curiosity. It's truly a team effort, and we are off to a wonderful start.

As we move forward, let us continue to build on this momentum. Together, we will create an environment where our students not only achieve academically but also grow in faith, character, and service to others. This year holds immense potential, and I am confident that, with your continued support, we will reach new heights.

Thank you for being an integral part of our community. Here's to a year of growth, achievement, and shared success.

In Christ,

Michael Riley, Ed.D. Superintendent of Catholic Schools Diocese of Richmond