

St. Joseph Parish School Advisory Committee

Gathering Space

March 5th, 2026

6:00 p.m.

In attendance: Julie Lemke, Christine Jackson, Carren Gratz, Chris Baylor, Daniel Le, Daniel Lochen, Lauren Reith, Elizabeth Wieland, Brenda Jobe

Absent: Parker Shipley, Mary Burger, Shannon Morgan, Stephanie Voltolina

Agenda:

- Opening Prayer –
- Review Prior Meeting Minutes
 - Open House – Well Received
 - Catholic School's Week – Well Attended
 - Fish Frys – We're eatin' the fish!
- Today's Business:
 - Fish Fry
 - Attendance is good. Fish Fry Dates: 3/6, 3/13, 3/13
 - Additional support needed for Clean up – Review volunteers on Signup Genius, Make announcement for clean up volunteers, Print out Checklist for clean up actions
 - Spring Auction – Continue announcements for Cash Raffle, Donations, and Attendance.
 - New Spanish Teacher is integrating well and has good response. Improved curriculum is applied.
 - Culver's Fundraiser – Approx \$1300 was raised. Additional event planned for 8/19.
 - Maintenance list: Blinds have been replaced. Floors in the Cafeteria and Elementary hallway will be updated over spring break.
 - Open Discussion:
 - Timber Rattlers – Dash for Cash event will be held at the game on 4/19. This will be a fundraising event for SJPS. Promote attendance to SJPS families.
 - Lakeshore Chinooks – 2 ticket vouchers will be available for SJPS students and teachers. Will promote SJPS at the game. Encourage family and friends to attend (6/13 or 6/14 TBC)
 - Staffing – Position is posted for 3rd grade teacher. Will reach out to potential candidates.
 - School Registration – Early registration is completed with many families signed up. Registration will continue.
 - Marketing strategy, methods and activities are in progress
 - Review with Marketing Committee, Update school videos and pictures with Father Tim, Outreach via printed and digital media.
 - Electronics recycling raised \$400 and will be used for a spiritual garden by the end of the school year.

- Upcoming Events:
 - *Next Meeting* – Monday, April 13th