

## St. Peter's School Advisory Board

St. Peter's School Advisory Board will have three openings effective June 1, 2021. The School Board is an advisory board whose purpose is to formulate and enact policy, set long-term goals for the school, provide general oversight on the financial health of the school, and provide advice and counsel to the administration of the school. Additional information can be found in the current St. Peter's School Handbook and Calendar. Each new member will serve a three-year term. Those interested in being considered for the School Board should submit a completed application form (attached) to the school office, addressed to the attention of the School Board Nominations Committee.

## **Characteristics of effective School Board members include:**

- A commitment to Catholic education and to the educational welfare of the students at St. Peter's;
- Exhibit a high level of integrity;
- Capable to respond to situations as they relate to the good of the entire school community;
- Readiness to give time, talent, and share wisdom;
- Openness to change and creativity;
- A credible witness to the Catholic faith (or to one's own religion) to the school community and beyond;
- Commitment to mutual cooperation and a willingness to work towards consensus in decision making as a board;
- Understand and agree to maintain absolute confidentiality; and
- Availability and commitment to attend monthly meetings (held regularly on the fourth Tuesday of each month), school board volunteer events, as well as in-service meetings to participate in committee work.

Each candidate will be called or emailed to confirm that your profile has been received and to answer any questions that you might have.

## **Selection Committee**

School Board members are selected by a School Board Discernment Committee consisting of the School Board members who are leaving the Board (one acting as chair) and three additional voting members (one appointed by the School Board, one appointed by the PTA, and one appointed by the Athletic Committee).

If you have any questions, please contact Rodney Miller, current School Board president, by phone (312-404-5545) or email (rodney.k.miller@gmail.com).

Thank you for prayerfully considering this great opportunity to support and serve our great school!



Name:
Connection to School: School Parent Parishioner Other
Parent of (list child / children and grade(s) if applicable):
Have been a member of St. Peter's Parish or School for how long?
Volunteer opportunities you have taken part in at St. Peter's (Parish or School)
Experience, skills, or talents you have that would be of benefit to St. Peter's School and the School Board.
What do you think are the best things about St. Peter's and why?
What do you think are the challenges or issues facing St. Peter's and why?
Why do you want to serve on the School Board?
You are free to include additional information that you think would be beneficial to the Discernment Committee.