



St Joseph School

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**Saint Ignatius Parish School
3245 Arden Way
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Dear Mrs. Lane,

The recent storm destroyed a wing of our school and gave us a living example of Christ among us and with us in the persons of the St. Ignatius Parish & School Community. The outpouring of prayers, support and assistance from the St. Ignatius Parish & School community and others has been incredible! It is with deep appreciation that we thank you for supporting Saint Joseph Parish School in our time of need. Your support and prayers have sustained us.

The 2008 theme for Catholic Schools Week this year is "Catholic Schools Light the Way." The theme focuses on the leadership that Catholic Schools provide to our nation, producing graduates who light the way to a brighter future for all humankind. The theme also highlights the spiritual foundation of Catholic schools, for we are on "The Way," The slogan, "Catholic Schools Light the Way," reminds us that we are called to "light the way" to the kingdom for others even as we walk "the way" of discipleship and grow in faith ourselves.

St. Ignatius Parish and School is a testament to what Catholic Schools are doing and how they are producing men and women of faith and leadership who help those in need. Please extend our thanks and appreciation to the students, parents, teachers and staff for the donations from "Dress 4 Funds Day" and especially for the prayers. The student, teachers and entire St Joseph Parish School community is truly blessed to have such wonderful neighbors.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

**Patricia A. Peterson
Principal**