M STHILARY PARISH FOUNDATION ANNUAL REPORT

For all St. Hilary Parisbioners, Friends, and Donors Fall 2014 Issue Volume 11



"I can't think of anything more rewarding than coming into work every day and

we to do most."

Jane Klenotic

Making Your Life's Work Count

To be able to touch a life with your own is a gift. To be able to touch hundreds of lives is a rare and priceless blessing.

During a teaching career that spanned nearly three decades, Jane Klenotic shared that rare and priceless blessing with close to 700 students and their parents. Teaching was her life's work, and sharing her faith with her students was her passion. As a second grade teacher at St. Hilary School for 27 years, Jane had the incredible opportunity to mold and shape hundreds of students as they learned not only the fundamentals of arithmetic, reading and cursive writing, but also the fundamentals of their Catholic faith in preparing for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion. "My religion has always been very important to me," Jane said. But as important as it was for her to share her faith, she felt humbled and honored to be a part of the lives of her students. "For 27 years, 645 students allowed me the privilege of helping with their academic and religious journeys," she explained. As she impacted each of their young lives, so she also impacted the lives of their parents in her role as one of the first partners they had in their children's education

It's no small wonder, then, that when Jane fell ill with cancer in August 2012, the St. Hilary School community rallied around her, lifting her up with prayers, meals, and any gestures of kindness they thought might help. As Jane battled her illness, she continued to come to work nearly every day with a smile and a steadfast faith and disposition, determined to continue her life's work in teaching her young charges and passionately sharing her faith. All the while, her husband was fighting his own battle, and ultimately died of cancer in March 2013. Undeterred, Jane finished the 2012-2013 school year with grace and planned to return in the fall.

During the summer of 2013, however, her health declined and she reluctantly retired in order to concentrate on battling her illness. News of her retirement saddened the entire school community, and particularly touched the school family with whom she had worked for so many years. A suggestion was made by a beloved co-worker to initiate a scholarship in Jane's honor. If she could no longer touch the lives of students through her teaching, perhaps the principles for which she stood could live on through the students who would receive the scholarship. And so the Jane Klenotic Scholarship was established. The premise of the scholarship is simple: to award a gift to a second grade student nominated by his or her teacher who exemplifies the attributes of spiritual, academic and personal character so important to Jane.

Jane openly displayed a steadfast faith all her life. As a second grade teacher, she ministered to her students through her faith as they prepared for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion. Faced with the realities of her illness and the illness and death of her husband, she maintained staunch faith, attending Mass regularly and continuing to serve as a Eucharistic Minister. By her example and leading a faith-filled life, she served as a Christian role model to those around her. Recipients of the scholarship in her name will live their lives following these same spiritual principles.



DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE:

Making the World a Better Place

"Go out and make the world a better place." Each day when I sent my two sons to school, I would say these words to them. My hope was that they would think about the ways

they could use the gifts they were blessed with to make a difference. I prayed that they would take my words to heart from a something as small as extending a word of kindness to someone to the greater contributions they might offer to make a more significant difference in the world.

As I reflected on the many ways people can make a difference at St. Hilary, these words came to mind. In this Annual Report, you will read how Matt Shannon uses his gift of financial knowledge to help the Foundation make sound fiscal decisions, and how Jane Klenotic used her gifts of teaching and faith to inspire hundreds of children throughout the years. Although my life's work doesn't come close to that of Jane or Matt, as the Development Director of the Foundation, I have spent the last 11 years trying to make the world a better place at St. Hilary by raising funds to help secure the future of our church and school through the Foundation.

Asking for money is never an easy task, but if the "ask" is not made, the opportunity to help our parish may be lost. I have had the privilege of seeing so many of our parishioners respond in a positive way when the request for support of the St. Hilary Foundation's mission has been presented. To those generous donors who have helped to increase the assets of the Foundation from \$1.3 million to over \$7 million, I say thank you. Not only have our assets grown, but we have also been able to distribute \$2,452,907.50 to our church and school in support of so many needs throughout the years. From November 1, 2013 through October 31, 2014, the Foundation has raised over \$1 million from gifts and bequests and made grants of over \$200,000 to the parish to help pay for the costs of the Koegel Spiritual Center heating and air conditioning systems, school boiler and air conditioning project, concrete replacement, tuition assistance, scholarships, parking lot repairs, school security, and rectory improvements, to name a few. Without funding from the Foundation, these needs might otherwise have been unfulfilled.

As you can see from what has been funded in just one year, the support of so many committed parishioners has made the St. Hilary world a better place. Through gifts to the Foundation or by becoming a member of the St. Hilary Legacy Society, donors have made a very real difference in our parish.

On behalf of St. Hilary Parish and its Foundation, I am truly grateful for your generosity and support. If you have not already done so, please prayerfully consider making a gift to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation or becoming a member of the St. Hilary Legacy Society. I welcome the opportunity to assist you, so please contact me at 330-608-4787. Together, we can continue to make our world at St. Hilary a better place.

Gratefully,

Diane Sarkis St. Hilary Parisb Foundation Development Director

Donations of \$1,107,412.32 were received from November 1, 2013 through October 31, 2014 to the following Funds:

Alumni Fund	\$300.00
Choir Fund	\$1,555.00
Designated Fund	\$500.00
Development Fund	\$20,000.00
Evangelization Fund	\$ 62,714.00
Family-Named Funds	\$ 762,280.49
Musical Theater/Arts Fund	\$2,660.88
PSR Fund	\$ 3,000.00
St. Hilary Athletic Association Funds	\$17,515.00
SHS Endowment Fund	\$132,508.66
SHS Tuition Assistance/Scholarship Fund	\$16,050.00
SHS Teacher Salary Fund	\$100.00
SHS Technology Fund	\$10,100.00
Unrestricted Fund	\$78,128.29



PASTOR'S MESSAGE:

Ensuring a Future for Your Life's Work

Have you ever met someone and realized, "She is doing what she is meant to do!" or, "He is perfect for this job!"? There are some people who have the good fortune, good

mentoring, or good planning to be doing with their life what they are truly gifted to do. Are you a person like that? Has anyone ever told you that you are the perfect fit for your life's work?

For some people their true life's work is not their job, but their volunteer work, or a particular hobby or pastime. For many parishioners here at St. Hilary, a passion for ministries such as Catholic Education or Social Justice or Creation Care or Liturgy becomes their life's work!

What will happen to your life's work when your life on earth is ended? How will you ensure that that "good work" is carried forward?

Parishioners here at St. Hilary have a wonderful option available to ensure a future for their life's work...the St. Hilary Parish Foundation. Many individuals and families have made donations to existing funds that speak to their passion, such as the Liturgy Fund, Choir Fund, PSR Fund, or School Endowment Fund. Others have started named funds that mirror the life's work of the person they wish to honor.

Such is the case in honoring the life's work of Mrs. Jane Klenotic, a second grade teacher here at St. Hilary School, who died this past summer after a courageous battle with cancer. Jane was born to be a teacher! That was her life's work! She was most at home in the classroom, where she combined discipline, humor and love to influence generations of St. Hilary students. Aware that her time on earth was coming to an end, school faculty and administration approached Jane with the idea of establishing the Jane Klenotic Scholarship Fund. Jane was thrilled with the idea, knowing that it would carry on, in a small measure, her life's work! Think about your life's work. How will it be carried on? Maybe we can help ensure your life's work for the benefit of St. Hilary Parish and School for many years to come through a donation to an already existing fund or through the start of a new named fund. Call me at 330-867-1055, or email me at sbrunovsky@sthilarychurch.org so we can get started!

Blessings, Fr. Steve Brunovsky Pastor

remembering their *Cife's WC*

For many individuals, their work is carried on through donations in their memory. Since November 1, 2013, gifts totaling over \$42,000 have been made in memory of the following individuals whose obituaries mentioned the St. Hilary Parish Foundation or who were spontaneously honored with memorial donations to the Foundation:

Sr. Rebecca Betz. OP Olive Cairns Justin F. Censky Helen Eichner Sr. Beatrice Fitzgerald Charles Huston Margaret Jaber Debbie Kardasz Jane Klenotic Anne Mayors Michael Mihalic Ralph & Dot Mishler Kevin Neff Margaret Novotny Donal O'Neil Rose Pirollo Janet Scarpitti Margaret and Paul Wiedt



Crystal Commemoratives: Honoring Yesterday and Today with a Window to Tomorrow

Crystal Commemoratives are individually crafted, etched and beveled glass panes, installed over the windows in the connecting hallway between the school and gymnasium. Overlooking the courtyard garden area, they are a perfect way to leave a legacy, remember a loved one or celebrate a special event, while at the same time supporting the St. Hilary School Endowment Fund.

Commitments of over 56.8% of the campaign goal, or \$727,500, have been made to the St. Hilary School Endowment Fund. An additional \$552,500 is needed to reach our goal of \$1,280,000. Please consider a gift to the Crystal Commemorative Campaign to help ensure the future of our parish school.

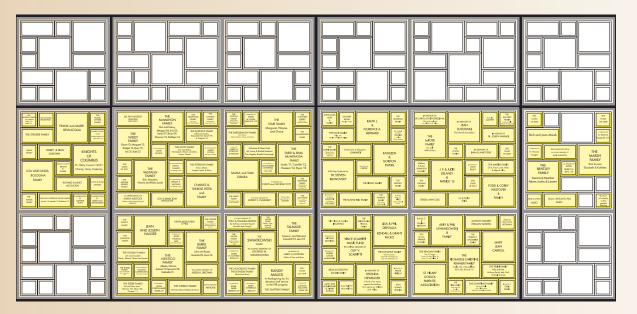


Total Remaining: \$552,500

12" x 12" Donation: \$10,000.00 58 Total, only 26 left

Note: Yellow-tinted panels in graphic below indicate committed panels. Actual crystal panels are clear, with beveled edges and etched type.

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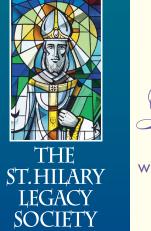


As we focus on the impact that will be made by each of our lives and the work we do, imagine being able to extend the impact of your own life's work long after your time on earth is finished. Imagine being able to pass the torch, in effect, through gifts you make or gifts made in your memory. Imagine leaving a legacy that will benefit others for years and generations to come.

Choosing now to include the St. Hilary Parish Foundation in your estate planning will guarantee your life's work will continue to matter. Naming the St. Hilary Parish Foundation as a beneficiary of your will, life insurance policy or retirement account, or planning to suggest donations to the Foundation upon your death will foster gifts that could help ensure the financial stability of your parish far beyond the day you leave this earth.

Perhaps you will join the growing membership of the St. Hilary Legacy Society. Since November 1, 2013, bequests totaling more than \$728,871 were received from five Legacy Society donors: Margaret M. Banker, Joseph and Olive Cairns, Edward L. Cope, Dorothy D'Andrea, and Jean Hauser. In just one year, the Foundation has been blessed with just under \$730,000 in gifts that would never have been made had the individuals behind them not had the foresight to plan for the continued relevance of their life's work. Just as these individuals have ensured that their life's work will count well into the future, your gift, or a donation in your memory, can make a difference, too.

To learn more about options for planned giving, crystal commemorative windows, or the St. Hilary Legacy Society, please contact Diane Sarkis at 330-608-4787. or via email: D.Sarkis@StHilaryFoundation.org.





What if you had a legacy to leave, but kept it all to yourself? A hidden trove of treasure that was never shared? Think instead of the difference a gift of that treasure could make... a gift that could help enhance and ensure the financial stability of your parish long after you leave this earth. What an amazing tribute that would be not only to your parish, but to you!

The St. Hilary Parish Foundation can help you shape a legacy of hope for future generations. We are dedicated to helping donors achieve their long-term philanthropic goals. An important part of planned giving is ensuring that your contributions will continue to support your charitable interests for generations to come. Donors who have made long-term commitments to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation through planned or deferred gift arrangements become members of the St. Hilary Legacy Society.

If you have remembered the Foundation in your will or as a beneficiary of a life insurance or retirement account, please let us know so we can welcome you into the St. Hilary Legacy Society.



32@ \$10.000 = \$320.000

\$727.500

Total to Date:

We are truly grateful to the following parishioners, families, friends, businesses, and non-profit organizations for their generous contributions as well as their designated gifts in memory or bonor of a loved one.

This list reflects gifts received between November 1. 2013 and October 31, 2014.

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Joseph and Lisa Hanna

Gary and Cathy Horning

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Howard and Jennie Mehigan

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Bob and Connie Donatelli

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ST. HILARY FOUNDATION **DEVELOPMENT FUND** The Lehner Family Foundation

Every effort has been made to accurately record our list of donors. We truly apologize for any omission.

A special note of gratitude to: The Lehner Family Foundation: Carol Malick. photographer: Debbie Sinopoli, writer/ editor, and Jen Sorrent, Iennerator Design

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ST. HILARY SCHOOL: Foundation Strengthens School Spiritually, Physically

Providing strength for what lies ahead is an important part of the long-term thinking of the St. Hilary Parish Foundation. The gifts the Foundation makes support both St. Hilary Parish and St. Hilary School, which is operated by the parish. To maintain two physical structures on the St. Hilary grounds requires ongoing repairs and upgrades with an eye to the future. To that end, the Foundation undertook one of its most generous and ambitious projects to date with the installation in 2012 of a new boiler unit and air conditioning in the school. Foundation funds in the amount of \$60,000 were used to help replace the school's failing boiler, update ductwork and climate control systems throughout the school, and make possible for the first time the installation of air conditioning in the building. The Foundation has pledged to make a total of five payments of \$60,000 to help underwrite this project. The third installment was paid in 2014. In addition, \$10,750 in parking lot repairs were underwritten to help keep in working order the lot that supports traffic seven days a week for both the school and the parish. And, to ensure the safety and security of St. Hilary School students and the building that houses them, locks were replaced on the doors that enter the Horning Hall gymnasium, at a cost of \$8,915.

Fostering Spiritual Strength

With Christ at the center of the school's mission, the Foundation was eager to support several initiatives to foster Catholicity. Through its gift of \$927.69, the Foundation supported the purchase of Rosaries given as gifts to families whose youngest children graduated eighth grade in June 2014. The Rosaries were presented at the Class of 2014 graduation ceremony by St. Hilary School Principal, Tracey Arnone, as a token of appreciation to the families for the trust they placed in the school during their families' time there. Additionally, the



Foundation supported an initiative to recognize students who exemplified the 2013-2014 school theme, "Find God in All Things". The Magis Award was given quarterly to a student from each home room who displayed a love of reading, dedication to academics and to others, and a positive outlook, and through these attributes, found God in all things. The Foundation provided \$1,893.90 to give each student receiving the award a St. Ignatius medallion and a field trip opportunity related to the school theme.

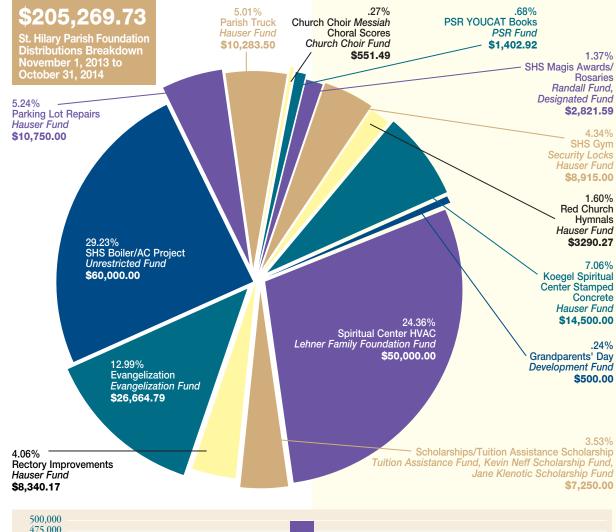
Strengthening Community and Assisting Students

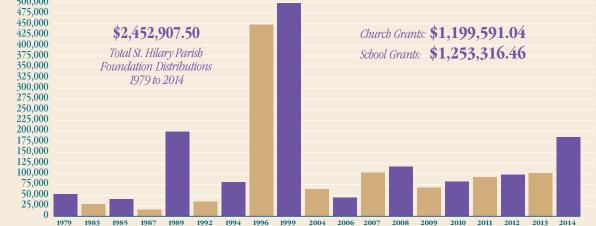
The Foundation also funded several other school-related items in 2014. To support the school in building a strong community, the Foundation provided \$500 toward hospitality for the biennial St. Hilary School Grandparents' Day event on October 3. Generating massive positive public relations, this memorable event was attended by over 600 grandparents and other special guests. While this gift generally impacted hundreds of school families, three additional gifts directly benefited students currently enrolled in the school. Through the Kevin Thomas Neff Memorial Scholarship Fund, the Foundation awarded a \$1,500 Kevin Neff Memorial Scholarship to current St. Hilary School eighth grader Sadie Salamone. This scholarship, which honors the memory of deceased St. Hilary

School alumnus Kevin Neff, annually recognizes one St. Hilary School student who exemplifies the ideals Kevin aspired to during his life. The Foundation also funded the first award through the newly-created Jane Klenotic Scholarship. Current St. Hilary School third grader James Bauman received a \$1,000 scholarship. Please see page 1 for more information about this new scholarship. Finally, the Foundation, granted \$4,000 in tuition assistance to make a St. Hilary School education a reality for students who might otherwise not have had the opportunity for a Catholic education.

Strength Through Your Generosity

As the Foundation continues to make gifts such as these on an annual basis, it is your generosity that strengthens and contributes to the ongoing growth of Foundation funds. Faced with present and future needs at both the school and the parish, the Foundation must work to maintain its resources at levels that will allow it to keep pace with these financial demands and remain strong into the future. Without your muchappreciated support, our school and our parish would not be able to provide the many amenities from which our St. Hilary community benefits. To explore opportunities for giving to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation, please contact Diane Sarkis at 330-608-4787.







ST HILARY PARISH FOUNDATION GRANT DISTRIBUTIONS FROM 2010 TO 2014

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ATE	DETAIL	AMOUNT	YEARLY	Since 1979, th
/1/10	Teachers' Bonuses	8,000.00		Church Gran
/17/10	KTN Scholarship Fund	1,000.00		
/4/10	Stained Glass Repair & Phones	3,582.58		School Gran
/15/10	Vestments Selecel VCT Placeting	3,344.00		Total Grants
/29/10 /29/10	School VCT Flooring School Recarpeting	5,695.00 5,542.00		
/25/10	School Multi-Purpose Room Roof			
/27/10	Scholarship/Tuition Assistance	14,000.00		
1/29/10	Anti-Bullying Program	1,500.00	\$80,382.58	
/15/11	Teachers' Bonuses	6,500.00		0
/3/11	Science Skitt Kits	6,918.40		
/13/11	Spiritual Center Office Carpet	4,085.00		
/7/11	KTN Scholarship	1,000.00		
/23/11 /13/11	SHS Hallway Asbestos Removal SHS Classroom Carpeting	4,840.00		
/25/11	Concrete Work	7,410.00		
/2/11	Spiritual Center Office Furniture	3,075.00		Cash: '
/11/11	SHS VCT Flooring	3,395.00		incom
/25/11	SHS Computer Server	4,049.00		
1/7/11	Handicap Accessible Door	4,655.00		forwar
1/10/11	Tuition Assistance	13,000.00	\$88,227.40	Public
/27/12	Youth Ministry Computer	594.00		
/1/12	KTN Scholarship	1,000.00		tax dec
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/2/12	SHS Technology Project	15,074.43		one yea
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/17/12	Rectory Improvements	2,785.00		
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1/30/12	SHS Grandparents' Day	500.00		Mutuo
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/24/13	Rectory Improvements	1,575.00		Life In
/29/13	Tuition Assistance	3,500.00		
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/17/14	SmartBoards and Projectors Spiritual Center HVAC	50,000.00	\$110,000.11	deduct
/28/14	YOUCAT Books	1,402.92		
/28/14	SHS Magis Awards	1,353.40		premiu
/19/14	Parking Lot Repairs	10,750.00		to poli
/19/14	Parish Truck	10,283.50		Deel F
/19/14	SHS School Gym Security	8,915.00		Real E
/23/14	Rosaries SHAA Scholarships	927.69		ings, fa
/2/14 /13/14	SHS Magis Awards	1,000.00 540.50		and in
/24/14	Evangelization	26,664.79		land. F
/24/14	Messiah Choral Scores	551.49		
/25/14	SHS Boiler/AC Project	60,000.00		apprais
/7/14	Klenotic Scholarship	1,000.00		assessm
/7/14	KTN Scholarship	1,250.00		0.1
/7/14	Red Church Hymnals	3,290.27		Other
/20/14	Rectory Improvements Tuition Assistance	8,340.17		antiqu
/20/14 /25/14	Spiritual Center Concrete	4,000.00		or mor
0/13/14	SHS Grandparents' Day	500.00	\$205,269.73	
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Since 1979, the Breakdown of Grants to St. Hilary Church and St. Hilary School:		
Church Grants:	\$1,199,591.04	
School Grants:	\$1,253,316.46	
Total Grants Distributed:	\$2,452,907.50	



Tax deductible up to 50% of adjusted gross e. Contributions over that limit can be carried rd for up to five subsequent years.

cly Traded Securities: Fair market value eductible up to 30% of adjusted gross income. uction amount is larger than donor can use in ear, surplus can be carried as deduction over the ive years. Exempt from capital gains tax if stock preciated.

al Fund Shares: Tax deductible up to full et value. Effective date of gift and year for deduction is available determined by date nsfer.

nsurance: If protection is no longer needed, by irrevocably assigning your life insurance to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation and ng it as the sole beneficiary. Annual taxctible contributions can be made to cover ium. Or, receive immediate tax deduction equal icy's cash surrender value if policy is paid.

Estate: May include homes, apartment buildfarms, vacation homes, commercial buildings. ncome-producing or non-income producing Procedural steps, including site visit, qualified isal, preliminary title report and environmental ment, may be required.

Property: May include automobiles, ues or jewelry. Any item valued at \$5,000 ore is subject to IRS guidelines and must be appraised by an impartial party.

Summary Statement of Financial Position November 1, 2013 to October 31, 2014

ASSETS

Cash	\$16,441.03
Unrestricted Parish Funds	\$1,581,690.01
Specified Parish Funds	\$3,614,538.77
Unrestricted School Funds	\$1,225,818.08
Specified School Funds	\$627,811.04
Receivables - Pledges	\$23,239.92
Total Assets	\$7,089,538.85

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Accounts Payable \$4,166.00
Grants Approved for Future Payment \$120,000.00
Total Liabilities \$124,166.00
Net Assets \$6,965,372.85
Total Liabilities and Net Assets \$7,089,538.85

Summary Statement of Activities November 1, 2013 to October 31, 2014

Contributions Received	\$1,107,412.32
Investment Income	\$368,930.2
Total Revenues and Gains	\$1,476,342.59

EXPENSES AND DISTRIBUTIONS

Grants and Other Distributions	\$221,293.56
Expenses	\$46,555.23
Total Expenses and Distributio	ons \$267,848.79

Your donation is completely tax-deductible

With tax time just around the corner, please remember that your donation to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation is tax-deductible, and you will receive verification of your donation from the St. Hilary Parish Foundation.

Making Your Life's Work Count

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During her teaching career, Jane touched the lives of hundreds of students. She observed those to whom academic achievement came easily, and those for whom success in the classroom was a challenge. From each student, regardless of ability, she demanded nothing less than their best effort. Her own strong work ethic set the tone for the work ethic she expected of her students. The ideal candidates for the Jane Klenotic Scholarship are hard-working students who give 100% effort to learning.

During her accomplished career at St. Hilary School, Jane was a leader, mentor and trusted member of the faculty to whom her colleagues, students and parents routinely looked for guidance. Following her diagnosis as the 2012-2013 school year began, Jane continued to teach despite her treatments. Confident that her place was in her classroom, she minimized her time away from school regardless of how she felt. Despite her illness, Jane maintained a positive outlook and sense of humor. Regularly making time to gather with friends and returning to assist at her beloved St. Hilary School were among her favorite activities during retirement. Recipients of the scholarship honoring Jane will exhibit leadership qualities, a positive outlook and sense of humor, and confidence in the face of adversity.

On, April 4, 2014, Jane returned to St. Hilary School for the last time, to award the scholarship to its first recipient. After reading glowing nominations from the three second grade teachers, she selected James Bauman as the candidate who best exemplified the character traits established for the scholarship. At the April 4 school Mass, Jane called James



to the altar and presented him with the award. She shared that it was her dream for the scholarship to assist one second grade student each year for years to come. When Jane passed away on July 30, 2014, she left a legacy far greater than she could ever have imagined. Not only did she touch the lives of students during her teaching career, she will continue to touch the lives of students through the scholarship in her name.

"I can't think of anything more rewarding than coming into work every day and enjoying what you love to do most," Jane mused in reflecting on her life's work shortly before her death. In her inimitable style, she had seized every moment, even those precious few near the end of her career and her life, to make her life's work count.

Board Member Lends Expertise to Foundation



The St. Hilary Parish Foundation is blessed to have overseeing it a board comprised of individuals with many unique and complementary skillsets. Over the years, this Annual Report has featured members of the Board of Trustees, chronicling the work of the Board through the work of their hands. In this edition, we focus on Matt Shannon, who serves as the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees and Chairman of the Foundation's Finance Committee, and who makes his life's work count through his service to the St. Hilary Parish Foundation.

Elected to the Foundation's Board of Trustees in February, 2005, Matt has given nearly a decade of guidance to the Foundation. One of two members with career experience in the financial industry, Matt is a Certified Investment Management Analyst with Legacy Strategic Asset Management (a division of Wells Fargo), where he is a principal partner of the firm and a Senior Institutional Consultant. His expertise lends itself well to the work he does with the Foundation. In his work with the Finance Committee, he says the scope of focus is narrow: helping St. Hilary through whatever gifts may benefit the parish and school. To keep those gifts viable, the Finance Committee works closely with the Foundation's only other committee, the Investment Committee, which oversees investments.

Reflecting on his time on the Board of Trustees, Matt says it is difficult to pinpoint one project that stands out. "We've given a lot of money to both the school and the church. There have been some big projects that have been a function of the entire Board, made possible through generous donations," he explains. Matt notes that the Foundation and its Board are structurally stronger than they were 10 years ago. "One of the most significant things we've done is to hire Diane [Sarkis, the Foundation's Development Director]. It is fantastic to have a Foundation director. The work she has done has been outstanding. Organizationally and structurally, we have protocols and processes for everything we do, and Diane is a big part of that," he notes. "The Board is very sound from a fiduciary standpoint."

In terms of making his life's work count through his service to the Foundation, Matt humbly suggests that the Board has been able to tighten up its investment process. Drawing on his financial background to assist with that improvement, he says, "It's natural for me," referring to the work he does both daily and with the Foundation. He is quick to turn the credit to the entire Board, though. "I share a vision with all of our Board members to have the best programming, facilities and mission-based efforts we can. We would love to help supplement even more than we do - with tuition and other things - to maybe enable a few more students to attend St. Hilary School. To be able to have resources to provide these things is a blessing. On the Board, we work together to keep our resources strong," he says.

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Kathryn W. Dindo Board Member elected to board membership 1992





Fr. Steve Brunovsky Board Member joined board membership 2007



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The mission of the St. Hilary Parish Foundation is to ensure a vibrant parish life and the highest standards of excellence in Catholic education by raising, safeguarding, and granting funds that support the operating and capital needs of St. Hilary Church and School.

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