



## PRINCIPAL'S PAGE

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Happy New Year! The faculty and I hope you had a wonderful break.

Registration information will be sent next week. I am pleased to welcome families for the 2019/2020 school year. The staff and I are in preparation for Catholic Schools Week, which starts January 27. The Catholic Schools Week Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 on January 27. After Mass we invite you to an Open House from 11:30 until 1:30.

Speaking of registration and tuition, Tax Credit Scholarships remain an option for families that are eligible. I encourage you to look into them. The Archdiocesan link for scholarships is: <https://schools.archchicago.org/tax-credit-scholarships>. The link includes very important information about eligibility and the application steps.

Please mark your calendars for the annual Athletics Bags Tournament on Sunday, January 20 with registration starting at noon. Tickets are currently on sale and proceeds benefit the school!

Keep an eye open for information about the Queen of Hearts raffle being started by the St. Celestine School Parents Club. While there may be a number of raffles around, our Parents Club knows how to get things done. I look forward to much participation and fun as we get this raffle going!

Join St. Celestine families at Miller's Ale House in Norridge on January 17 from 11:00 am to 11:00 pm. The school gets 15% back as part of this fundraiser and we need at 75 people to say that they are attending to make the event happen. Please follow this link to learn more: <https://www.groupraise.com/events/76194?fbclid=IwAR0oWJ5zxPS7F0jUA5ilnMdoC1KAvf1ZpVRI-Zw8SyUTUvVRK6ljf8lgS44>. Thanks to Parents Club for arranging this opportunity for our families!

Please join me in welcoming Beth Ann Swetland as School Board President for the remainder of the school year. Annmarie Vecchione very graciously served as School Board President the first half of the school year. She helped me acclimate to the very wonderful St. Celestine School community. Both Ms. Swetland and Mrs. Vecchione have dedicated countless hours of service to the school and I am tremendously grateful for their help.

With Gratitude and Blessings,  
Sheila M. Klich