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Dear Friend,

Six years ago St. Joseph the Provider School entered into a specific mission serving families in the city of Youngstown. Many men and women of all walks of life have come to see the importance of what St. Joseph the Provider School is doing for our students.

To continue our mission we need your help and invite you to partner with us. As we begin our sixth Annual Appeal, we remember St. John Paul II's words, "**Continue to see every person with the eyes of the heart.**" As you partner with us, you know that we strive to see the potential in each student who enters our school. Each student is given the opportunity to discover that an education built on faith, morals, values and a solid academic program, leads to a self confidence that enables students to dream big and succeed in life. It is exciting to see our children discover their God-given gifts and use them in their young lives and beyond to strengthen the kingdom of God, and be productive young adults and citizens.

Students respond to positive discipline, a comprehensive academic course of study and positive relationships with faculty and administration. Test scores show a continuous rise in achievement. Students embrace a whole new attitude in their learning. We ask you to see what we see. See the gifts that are in the heart of each student. See the pride on the face of our children as they succeed and grow in so many ways. Be the heart that lifts up, challenges and enables every student to reach their potential.

I ask you to please consider a monetary donation to our school. Please use the enclosed card and return it to St. Joseph the Provider School, by the end of this year. You can also donate online via our website, [StJosephTheProviderSchool.com](http://StJosephTheProviderSchool.com): click on "Donate" and choose "Annual Appeal".

As we begin a time of giving thanks, be assured of our prayers for you. We give thanks for you as you "**Continue to see every person with the eyes of the heart.**"

Sincerely,

Rev. Michael Swierz  
President, St. Joseph the Provider School

Mrs. Mimi Kerrigan  
Development Chairperson