



St Raphael Church

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My dear parents,

Welcome back! I hope you enjoyed a restful and relaxing summer. It has been a great joy to walk the hallways and welcome our teachers back. They come with such joy and enthusiasm preparing their classrooms and getting ready to welcome your child(ren).

Our school theme this year is "Go Make a Difference!" We will be intentional about this theme throughout the school year. Thank you for making such a great difference in your family's life. You are forming them in the faith and leading them to the Lord. I ask for God's special blessing upon you and your very important role that God has entrusted to you. I look forward to a blessed year with great hope and promise to help build the Kingdom here at St. Raphael School.

I would like to close with a message that our new principal, Mr. Ken Mitskavich, has placed throughout the school. "Be it known to all who enter St. Raphael School that **Christ** is the reason for this school. He is the unseen but ever present teacher in its classrooms. He is the model of its faculty and the inspiration of its students."

God bless and keep you,

Fr. Tim

Fr. Tim Gareau

We continue the work of the Lord.