Pray for the people of Sri Lanka
OUR MASS SCHEDULE:
Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses are celebrated at
7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m. & 5:00 p.m.
(We have an ASL interpreter at our 12:15 p.m. Mass.)
Monday - Friday Masses are celebrated at 8:40 & 8:30 a.m
Saturday Morning Mass is celebrated at 8:30 a.m.
Confessions are at Saturday 2:30-3:30 p.m.,
other times by appointment.
The church is open from 6:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m. for prayer.

Last Week's Collection

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We sincerely thank all our parishioners and visitors for so generously giving of their Time, Talent and Treasure in the true Spirit of Stewards.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:
Parish Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday - Friday.
Registration: If you will regularly be worshiping with us, we welcome you and invite you to register! You can register online at www.stpaulcatholicchurch.org or visit our Parish Office between Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. You can also pick up a registration packet from an usher at Mass.
Baptisms: Baptisms are celebrated in the church on the first Sunday of each month during the 12:15 p.m. Mass and after Mass (at 1:30 p.m.) on the third Sunday of the month. Parents are required to complete a Pre-Baptism Workshop before having their child baptized. The workshop is held on the first Sunday of the month from 1:45 - 3:00 p.m. in Lower Level Room 3 (located downstairs in the church.) Godparents are welcomed to attend. There is no need to register for the class.
Marriages: Please contact the Parish Office at least six months in advance. A wedding date can only be set after meeting with a deacon or priest.
Marian Gift Shop: (614) 882-5257 Located in the church, the Marian Gift Shop is open 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. on Sundays; 9:15 a.m. until noon on Mondays and Fridays; from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. every Wednesday; and 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. on Saturdays. The shop is closed on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Bulletin Deadline: All articles should be submitted to the parish email address (stpaulchurch@stpac.org) at least two weeks in advance and are subject to approval by the pastor.
Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, May 6
6:40 a.m. Paul Richard Marcinkoski
8:30 a.m. Joseph Waytine

Tuesday, May 7
Acts 7:51—8:1a; Ps. 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn. 6:30-35
6:40 a.m. Douglas Gossman
8:30 a.m. William McGhee
1:30 p.m. (at Heartland of W’ville) Nicholas Taylor Mc Collum

Wednesday, May 8
Acts 8:1b-8; Ps. 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a; Jn. 6:35-40
6:40 a.m. Mary R. Szabo
8:30 a.m. Ellen Gray
2:00 p.m. (at Heartland Uptown) Tim Galvin

Thursday, May 9
Acts 8:26-40; Ps. 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn. 6:44-51
6:40 a.m. Douglas Gossman
8:30 a.m. Paul Pazlina

Friday, May 10, Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest
Acts 9:1-20; Ps. 117:1bc, 2; Jn. 6:52-59
6:40 a.m. Ronald Gagnon
8:30 a.m. Suzanne & Catherine Danaraj

Saturday, May 11
Acts 9:31-42; Ps. 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Jn. 6:60-69
No 8:30 a.m. Mass. Vigil Mass for the Fourth Sunday of Easter
4:00 p.m. Jenny Mackinaw

The Fourth Sunday of Easter, May 12
Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps. 100:1-2, 3, 5; Rev. 7:9, 14b-17; Jn. 10:27-30
7:30 a.m. Edith Cipriani Pasqua
9:00 a.m. Joyce O’Reilly
10:30 a.m. Mary Krisko
12:15 p.m. Geraldine Hill
5:00 p.m. People of St. Paul’s Parish

Rosary & Litany: Daily following the 8:30 a.m. Mass
Holy Hour: Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. unless noted.
CONNECTING THE WORD OF GOD TO OUR LIVES

Adapted from Faith Sharing for Small Church Communities, (ed. Rev. Art Baranowski)

Reflecting on Today’s Gospel...

The Third Sunday of Easter
May 5 (Cycle C)

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32, 40-41
Second Reading: Revelation 5:11-14
Gospel: John 21:1-19

Last week we heard that Jesus appeared to the gathered disciples in a locked room, probably in Jerusalem. In today’s Gospel, the disciples are no longer in Jerusalem; they are in Galilee, returning to their work of fishing. Simon Peter is still presented in the role of leader: when he announces that he is going fishing, the other disciples follow. They spend the night fishing but are unsuccessful.

Jesus calls to them from the shore, but just as when Jesus first appeared to Mary of Magdala, the disciples do not recognize him immediately. Still, they follow the stranger’s instructions and bring in a large haul of fish. It is at this point that one of the disciples (the “disciple whom Jesus loved”) realizes that Jesus is appearing to them. Upon hearing this news, Simon Peter leads the way again, jumping from the boat and swimming to shore. The other disciples follow in the boat, dragging the fish.

How have you felt when someone in your life asked you the same question over and over?

Which “sheep” are not being fed well now? What will you do about this in the weeks ahead?

Preparing for next Sunday...

The Fourth Sunday of Easter
May 11 (Cycle C)

First Reading: Acts 13:14, 43-52
Second Reading: Revelation 7:9, 14-17
Gospel: John 10:27-30

The focus on this Sunday’s Gospel is on Jesus as the Good Shepherd. The short talk stresses the unbreakable relationship between Jesus and his sheep. Like all well-tended sheep, they respond only to their shepherd’s voice. He knows and loves them, and they respond by following him. He gives them a share in the very life of God, a promise that will never stop.

Describe an experience in which you felt particularly cared for, felt a sense of belonging, and/or felt a strong connection.

Who have you been called to lead in some way? Are you comfortable in your role?
Parish News...

As was announced last weekend, Father Charlie will celebrate his **Farewell Mass** at St. Paul’s at **12:15 p.m. on Sunday, June 30**. A farewell reception will follow in the Activities Center from 1:30 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. Be sure to “save the date.”

Many ideas to honor Father Charlie and his retirement are in the planning stages. One is to create a video composed of photos of Father with our parishioners. If you have any photos of you or your family with Father Charlie, please email your favorite one. A digital copy can be sent to stpaulchurch@stpacc.org. If you do not have a digital copy, consider bringing your photo to the Parish Office to be scanned while you wait. Please note that all photos are needed by the end of May.

Please also look for a special mailing in the near future outlining ways in which we would like to honor Father Charlie — including more information about the stained glass windows from our former church building that we are planning to repurpose and install in our new school addition.

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**St. Paul Graduation Mass 2019**
**Sunday, June 2 at 10:30**

Invitations for our 2019 Senior Recognition Mass have been sent! If you have not received an invitation and will be graduating from high school this year, please contact Brad Romantic, Director of Youth Ministry, at bromantic@stpacc.org or 614-882-2537 with the following information: Your name and that of your high school, your post-graduation plans are (the name of the university or the college you will be attending or where you will be working, etc.), and whether or not you are able to attend our Graduation Mass that will take place on **Sunday, June 2** at 10:30 a.m. Thanks for your help and understanding if we overlooked sending you an invitation!

**Planning a Graduation Party?**

Our Knights of Columbus have a tent for rent (20’ x 40’) for $375 — and they will even set it up and take it down! Contact Lou Borth at 614-306-6395 or colborth@gmail.com.

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**Bishop’s Annual Appeal 2019**

This weekend is the start of the Bishop’s Annual Appeal. The theme, “God Makes every Grace Abundant” reminds us to place our trust in Him as we continue His work on earth by responding to the needs of others. The Appeal makes possible the many good works facilitated by the Office of Social Concerns and the Office of Marriage and Family Life, contributes to the education of our future priests and deacons, and supports the education of our young people in their faith. These are just a few examples of the many ministries and programs supported by your gift to the Appeal.

**Together we can bring hope that can change lives!**
Ohio Dominican Announces Columbus Catholic Promise Program

Ohio Dominican University has partnered with the Diocese of Columbus to create the Columbus Catholic Promise Program. Starting in the fall of 2019, the program will provide eligible students who graduate from one of the 11 Catholic high schools within the Diocese of Columbus with financial resources and support to help make an ODU education attainable. Go to ohioedominican.edu/CatholicPromise for more information!

Golf Clinic Hosted by St. Francis DeSales High School

This golf clinic, held at Brookside Golf & Country Club on Monday, June 17 from 2:00 to 6:30 p.m. is open to all rising 6th, 7th, and 8th grade boys. The cost is $40, which includes range and instruction time, 9-holes on BGCC course, and a pizza dinner. There will also be presentations by both former and current Ohio State Golf Team Members. To register, please contact DeSales Boys Golf Coach Tony Pinson at 614-314-7414 or boysgolf@desales.co.

Summer Camps at St. Francis DeSales High School

Enroll your child in a Stallion Summer Camp (or two!) at St. Francis DeSales High School. The camps are a great way for youth to meet new friends and learn new skills! Refer to www.sfdstallions.org/summerscamps to learn more about the many programs offered!

St. Vincent de Paul Microloan Program Financial Mentor Training

The diocesan-wide program will take place next Saturday, May 11, from 9:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, located in Grove City. Microloans have improved the lives of others by providing low interest loans to those who have little or no access to regular banking when emergencies arise. Trained financial mentors are needed to work with loan-approved persons in the spirit of St. Vincent de Paul. The revised curriculum includes relationship building, uncovering the need for microloans during home visits, and Your Money, Your Goals training.

Those interested in becoming a financial mentor, (and previously trained mentors), are asked to please register by Tuesday, May 7 at svdpccolumbus.org/microloan_mission or by contacting Deb Zabloudil at 614-507-5345 or debzabloudil@gmail.com. St. Vincent de Paul Systemic Change Programs will provide lunch and materials. You need not be a member of St. Vincent de Paul to be a financial mentor. Please join us in helping others!

Princess for a Day!

Come celebrate Mother’s Day with Your Princess! Mother/ Daughter Tea Party & Fashion Show

Calling all mothers and their daughters! Join others for a very special day of pampering and royal treatment next Saturday, May 11 from either 10:00 a.m. – noon or 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. at the Good News Church in Powell. Admission includes appetizers, tea, a raffle drawing, a manicure or make-up, tiara, and an opportunity to even walk the “catwalk” in the fashion show. All proceeds for this fun and fabulous event will go to Mommies Matter, a support program serving single women who are struggling with unplanned pregnancies. To learn more about this ministry and to order your tickets, please go to www.mommiesmatter.org.
LEAF Ministry
Listening, Encouraging and
Assisting Families of the Incarcerated

Do you have a loved one or family member who is incarcerated? Are you looking for a safe, welcoming community where you will be accepted without judgment? Plan to attend an upcoming LEAF meeting at:

St. John Neumann Catholic Church
9633 State Route 37, Sunbury, OH 43074
on Sunday, May 19 at 4:00 p.m.
in Parish Office Classroom 9
(located downstairs in the Faith & Family Center)
Meetings are confidential.
All are welcome regardless of faith affiliation.
Children are welcome.

For more information about future meeting times and locations, please contact either Chuck Nell at cnell1962@gmail.com or Chris Shamro at shama@verizon.net.

St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Center/Haven and JOIN are hosting a sampling fund raising event, Share the Table. Join with others for a “tasting” of several restaurants and bakeries from around the city. Along with great food, drink, and fellowship, enjoy a raffle and silent auction. Share the Table will be held at the Church of the Resurrection social hall on Saturday, May 18 at 7:00 p.m.

Guest can taste their way around the city while enjoying a special signature drink. Tickets are $60 per person. Don’t delay in reserving your place at the table by contacting Lisa Keita at lkeita@columbuscatholic.org.

Caring Host Families Needed

Looking for an intercultural experience for the whole family? Join the International Partnership of Education Research and Communication (IPERC) by hosting an international student! Partnering with several local schools, IPERC helps middle and high school Chinese students to study in the United States. With over 50 students currently attending schools in the Columbus area, IPERC works with many Catholic schools such as Bishop Watterson, St. Francis DeSales, and Bishop Ready. They are looking for caring host families to help welcome incoming students for the upcoming school year and assist them in becoming active members of the school community.

Hosting an international student is most rewarding! Learning about the language and customs of another culture is a priceless gift that you receive as a host family while at the same time giving back to your exchange student. Both your family and student will gain a deeper understanding of how culture varies across the world. It is the lifelong friendship between your family and student that makes the cultural exchange program valuable.

To qualify as a host family, IPERC requires that students are provided with the following: a safe, stable environment, their own bedroom with a desk, transportation to and from school and school-related activities, and all meals outside of school lunches. To help offset these costs, host families are provided with a monthly stipend as well as round the clock local support.

If you and your family are interested in exploring this exciting opportunity, please contact the IPERC Program Director and Coordinator for the Columbus area, Rachel Fullin, at either (614) 499-3958 or rachelfullin.iperc@gmail.com – or go to www.iperc.org to learn more about the hosting program.
St. Paul Catholic Church – Notes and Feedback from Second Listening Session

On Monday April 8th, 2019, St. Paul hosted a second listening session open to anyone who might want to discuss the sexual abuse crisis in our Catholic Church. Our goal continues to be twofold: we hope to provide a safe and confidential place for people to express themselves and listen to others, and we want to continue the conversation about how St. Paul can move forward as a community. After an opening prayer, faith sharing, and an update by Father Charlie and Father Tony of events since our last session, participants had an opportunity to share and listen during two focused small group discussions facilitated by parish staff members. Notes were taken at the event to help facilitators remember the key points people brought up; the parish staff debriefed the following week and reviewed their individual table conversations. The following is a compilation of unfiltered thoughts and ideas heard from each small group, captured from the nineteen attendees.

First Small Group Discussion (questions discussed and parish staff feedback)

- Why are you here tonight?
- How is the abuse crisis impacting your faith at the present time?

Parish Staff Debrief – Why are you here tonight?

- Wanted to see what had been done since last session (2).
- Wanted to get an update from the church (2).
- Curious about what progress has been made.
- Nothing has been done and wanted to know why (2)?
- No visible progress.
- Not enough action.
- Need more transparency.
- Need information.
- Frustration with Bishops and Pope stopping USCCB.

Parish Staff Debrief – How is the abuse crisis impacting your faith at the present time?

- May stop practicing faith if more isn’t done
- Anger – hard to defend the church to friends
- Disgusted, shocking
- Took a break from church
- Unable to go to confession
- No impact on my faith life just concerned about victims
- The Catholic church has nothing for me anymore.
- My boys will not be altar servers
- Neighbors – Are you still Catholic?
- It does not.
- One person had stopped going to church - has since returned and wanted to tell her story.

Second Small Group Discussion (questions discussed and parish staff feedback)

- Do you feel progress is being made?
- What do you need from Saint Paul’s?
- What follow-up would you like to see?
- What does the community need from Saint Paul’s?

Parish Staff Debrief – Do you feel progress is being made?

- Not fast enough and confusion over stop and start of Bishop’s meeting in the US.
- No, very critical of Bishop Campbell delaying the list.
- Thanks to Fr Charlie for Newsletter article and listening session.
- People were not aware of what had taken place in Rome and USCCB.
- Yes, possibly of Bishop Brennan changing structure of victim assistance.
- Process (not surprisingly) toward reform is too slow.
- Progress? Not much yet, want action. However, appreciated the review of what’s happened since the fall.
Parish Staff Debrief – What follow-up would you like to see?
- To not have victim assistance coordinator be a priest
- Continuous communication
- More frequent updates from the local church.
- The priest community and individual pastors in particular need to take ownership of priest placements – don’t trust the diocese or bishop.
- Would like to know where the priests on the list are now.
- Ask about seminary formation.
- Visibility of new bishop – pastoral letter
- More transparency.
- More accountability from bishops.
- Deep vetting of seminarians.
- More rigid checks on seminary candidates, make this public.
- Parish needs to vet all assignments.
- Regular items in the bulletin about what’s going on to address the crisis.
- This is our church; we need to speak up.
- More lay leadership.
- Accusations need to be investigated by police or outside group – not the church.

Parish Staff Debrief – What do you need from Saint Paul’s?
- Continued communication and information for victims.
- Where are the three accused priests from Saint Paul’s?
- Low attendance at Listening Session shows people are uncomfortable in discussing this.
- Continued transparency – post updated information of what has taken place, Rome, USCCB, Local.

Parish Staff Debrief – What does the community need from Saint Paul’s?
- How are we protecting our children in our diocese?
- Need more women in church leadership.
- Publish information as it becomes available in Newsletter, bulletin.
- Should we reach out to the greater community ecumenically to provide support – showing unity?
- The victim contact should not be clergy.

Next Steps as a Parish Community:
Based on the content of the small group discussions, the parish staff discussed possible next steps. The first and most important step was to publish the notes from the second listening session in the bulletin, on the website and share them with the entire St. Paul community. We are still discerning and praying for guidance about our path going forward, but we wanted to provide you a snapshot of the very frank and open discussions that took place.

We should publish a recap of events since the last Listening Session.
A committee has been formed to plan “next steps”.
We will continue to update you as time progresses and God shows us the best way forward.
May we all continue to pray for the victims of abuse.
Marian Gift Shop
Are you looking for a special gift for a graduation or perhaps for Mother’s Day? Do you know someone who will be celebrating their First Communion—or maybe their Confirmation? Look no further than our Marian Gift Shop! There you will easily find great inspirational gifts including beautiful cards for all occasions, rosaries, an array of beautiful jewelry, Bibles, book marks, prayer books and CDs, garden items and so much more! Be sure to stop in and see for yourself!

Toiletries for Those in Need
Can you imagine not having shampoo, soap or toothpaste? Our brothers and sisters served by the Holy Rosary/St. John parish often go without these necessities. Each year we collect such items to help our sister parish provide for those living in poverty.

The products needed are those that cannot be purchased with Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits. Can you and your family please help with this drive again this year? Consider picking up an extra tube of toothpaste or some toothbrushes, soap, deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, lotion, laundry detergent, shaving cream, razors, wash cloths and/or ibuprofen/acetaminophen the next time you are at the store. There will be bins in the church vestibule beginning on Saturday, May 11 through Sunday, May 19 for your donations. Thank you in advance for helping the less fortunate among us!

More Light, More Love
For a Stronger Marriage
As the days grow longer, help your marriage grow even stronger! Consider making plans to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend! Upcoming weekends will be held on June 28-30 and September 13-15. To learn more and to register, please contact Paul and Marilou Clouse at 614-634-6880 or simply refer to the Worldwide Marriage Encounter website at www.wmmecolumbus.org.

Can You Please Help Our Transportation Ministry?
What better way to serve than to help our homebound parishioners attend Mass? Our Helping Hands for the Homebound Ministry needs for volunteers to help parishioners attend our weekend Masses. Please contact Transportation Coordinator Rich Danko at either 614-895-0874 or rdanko70@gmail.com to learn more about this important ministry.

Please consider sharing this bulletin with a homebound friend or neighbor!

Loving God, send your Holy Spirit upon us to form our families and our Church as places ever more deeply marked by tenderness, mercy, and compassion. Amen.

Tip for Daily Living
If there’s someone in your life who feels disconnected from the faith, invite that person to join you for Mass one week.
St. Charles Preparatory School to Again Offer Summer Enrichment Classes and Athletic Camps

This summer, St. Charles Preparatory School is offering a wide range of summer classes and athletic camps for Central Ohio grade school students.

These include academic enrichment classes in English and Mathematics (for boys entering 7th – 8th grades), LEGO Robotics Camp (for boys and girls entering 5th – 8th grades), JAVA Programming I (for boys and girls entering 8th – 12th grade with a basic understanding of computers and computer languages), Basic Game Programming (for boys and girls entering 5th – 9th grades with little or no programming experience).

In addition, the school will host athletic camps devoted to soccer, speed/agility, football, volleyball (boys and girls), baseball and basketball for students entering 3rd – 9th grades.

Enrichment Classes for Rising 9th Graders: Those who will be incoming freshmen at St. Charles can enroll in courses that will be held June 10-July 5 to help them get ready for the fall. Especially designed for students who anticipate some degree of difficulty in their freshman classes, the courses are geared toward the actual work that current 8th graders will face next school year. It is also an opportunity to join other motivated young men seeking to make new friends and improve their academic skills.

For additional information about the summer offerings – and to register for any of their classes, please call the school’s Main Office at 614-252-6714 or refer to www.stcharlesprep.org.

Don’t miss out on these great summer programs!

St. Paul Cheer Camp

The 8th grade St. Paul Cheerleaders are hosting a one day Cheer Camp for incoming 1st- 4th grade St. Paul and PSR students on Saturday, June 15 from 9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. in the school gym. (Gym door #14 will open at 9:00 a.m. for sign-in.) The cost of the camp is $40. Campers will learn arm motions, jumps, chants, a cheer and a band dance –and receive a T-shirt and pizza for lunch! Those attending the camp should wear comfortable clothes and tennis shoes and bring water bottles. Participants will be invited to perform material learned during halftime at an 8th grade football game (date TBD). Questions? Contact Coach Renee at cahill31775@gmail.com.

Please make checks payable to Renee Cahill and send with the registration form by Friday, May 31 to: Renee Cahill, 5525 Genoa Farms Blvd., Westerville, Ohio 43082.

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St. Paul School Earns Ohio Department of Education STEAM Designation

In 2017 and 2018 St. Paul School added 27,000 square feet of updated 21st century learning spaces to provide the resources and support needed to facilitate teaching and learning within the context of STEAM. Our long-held tradition of high expectations for teaching and learning launched us into the further development of a school-wide initiative that would immerse our students in collaborative problem solving across the curriculum. The early beginnings of this initiative began with a pedagogical shift from teacher led to student lead teaching and learning. The culture of the school evolved to embrace a growth mindset not only for students but also for the teachers. This change in attitude and culture supported a dynamic push forward in our efforts to provide our students with cross-curricular research-based STEAM teaching and learning opportunities. This effort included exposing our students to STEAM careers through problem/project-based learning (PBL), the Engineering Design Process, and community partnerships.

St. Paul School is further known to have a strong Arts program that includes full time instructor for Grades K-4 as well as a full-time instructor for our students in Grades 5-8; two music instructors, and a full-time band, orchestra, and strings instructor. Students also have afterschool opportunities to participate in children’s choir and jazz band. The art and music teachers work with the STEAM Core Team and grade level teachers to develop cross curricular activities and projects throughout the school year.

Teachers across the curriculum integrate inquiry-based design into their weekly lesson plans. This provides a platform for personalized learning within the context of PBL, team collaboration, multiple strategies for learning, and multiple ways to demonstrate mastery of the standard(s). For example, Grade 8 Algebra student teams build catapults to measure the velocity, distance, time, and plot the projectile’s path. Using the Engineering Design process, they then modify the catapults to increase results and do second measurements. Finally, they create the equation that reflects the projectile’s path, write a lab report documenting their results and analyze the effects of their modifications and what they could do to improve the process. This activity focuses on the standard for interpreting and building quadratic modes.

View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com
(Con’t.) St. Paul School Earns Ohio Department of Education STEAM Designation

All these initiatives have earned St. Paul School designation by the Ohio Department of Education as an Ohio STEAM School. St. Paul is recognized by the State of Ohio for providing students with a deep understanding of STEAM subjects while incorporating inquiry-based learning and design thinking in all subjects. This designation recognizes a school’s holistic approach to STE(A)M learning as more than just science, technology, engineering, arts, and math.

For additional information, please refer to this post by the Ohio Stem Learning Network that can be found at https://www.osln.org/2019/04/new-stem-schools-designated-in-ohio/.

Our school showed exceptional proof of engagement across academic disciplines, of empowering students as creative problem-solvers, and of a school-wide commitment to a quality STEAM education for all students. Below is the summary of the feedback from our application:

“Clear mission to reach all students with STEAM, but to also meet the whole child. Community partnerships offer a wide variety of expertise and opportunities for students to experience STEAM throughout the school day and beyond. STEAM Advisory board is composed of key stakeholders with experience in STEAM fields to influence the development of curriculum and partnerships at St. Paul. Curriculum is teacher led and structured around STEAM and the standards. The belief in the teachers to create their own STEAM curriculum will continue to empower the growth within St. Paul. School leadership within St. Paul provide support and resources to current and future teachers in STEAM and project-based learning practices.”

We are so very proud of our teachers, staff, students, community partners, and families for their dedication and support of our St. Paul STEAM School! Please know how much we appreciate your support!

Kathleen Norris, PhD
Principal – St. Paul School

St. Paul School Teachers Build New 3D Printer at COSI

COSI’s recent day-long workshop had great results for five St. Paul teachers! Mrs. Shearn, Mrs. Cody, Mrs. Tegeler, Mrs. Renken, and Mrs. Ford participated in the “3D Printer Jump-Start” course offered by COSI’s Tech Studio. Experienced COSI educators guided the teachers through the complete process of building the 3D printer and learning everything from motor control to print calibration. The best part? The printer was then given to our school! Teachers and students can use it as an integral part of their lessons. Thanks again, COSI, for offering this opportunity to our teachers!

Meet Janice!

In the IDEA Lab, we give names to our technology. The new 3D printer, named Janice, joins the other 3D printers, Max and Mandy. Janice also joins our sewing machines, the Singer Sisters: Sally, Sadie, and Susie! Janice’s new home will be in the Learning Commons where elementary students can enjoy using and watching her work. Our “family” of tech resources keeps growing!