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Oil City, PA 16301
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214 Reed Street
Oil City, PA 16301
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September 15, 2023

Dear Valued Supporters and Friends of VRCS,

We are honored to extend our sincere gratitude for your unwavering support over the years. Thanks to generous donors like you, countless students have received the gift of Catholic education, and we are proud to say that it has made a profound impact on their lives.

As we prepare for the **Fall 2023 Venango Region Catholic School Commitment Campaign**, we aim to build a solid financial foundation that will enable us to provide academic and extra-curricular opportunities where students can exceed expectations for years to come.

Our goal is to raise \$1 million dollars that will reinforce Catholic education at both St. Stephen School and Venango Catholic Jr./Sr. High School, and support the development of innovative education delivery systems that cater to children in PreK through 12th grade.

At VRCS, we are committed to creating an exceptional educational community that not only fosters academic excellence but also encourages the growth of the whole person - mentally, physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Our school system is committed to producing alumni who are critical thinkers, community builders, globe changers, and virtuous citizens, while working with parishes to nurture and develop faith-filled disciples of Christ.

We invite you to make a tangible difference in the lives of current Venango Region Catholic School students and help secure the future of Catholic education in our tri-county area. Your contributions can be designated for specific areas of your choice, such as scholarships, capital projects, athletics, robotics, music, and more. We accept one-time or ongoing donations in the form of cash, check, estate planning, or credit card. Please use the enclosed pledge envelope to indicate your participation in this year's VRCS commitment campaign.

We appreciate your prayers and generosity, and will gratefully acknowledge all donations. As a special thank you, gifts made to the fall VRCS commitment campaign totaling \$1,000 or more will receive an exclusive invitation to a reception in the spring hosted by the Board of Trustees and President of VRCS.

Together, let's make a commitment to Catholic education and continue to make a positive impact in the lives of our students. May God bless our efforts.

Sincerely,

Ray Feroz, Ph.D.

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Interim President



Venango Region Catholic School 2023 Commitment Campaign

☒ **YES, Dr. Feroz, I am proud to support Catholic education at Venango Region Catholic School.**

Enclosed is my tax-deductible gift of: ☐ \$1,000 ☐ \$500 ☐ \$250 ☐ \$150 ☐ \$75 ☐ Other _____

My donation is designated for ☐ General Purpose or ☐ For a Particular Area (Specify) _____

Gift Method:

☐ Check for **Venango Region Catholic School** enclosed or give online at venangocatholic.org/donate

☐ Charge my one-time gift of \$_____ to my: ☐ AmEx ☐ Discover ☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa

CARD NUMBER

EXP DATE

NAME ON CARD

SEC CODE

SIGNATURE

To provide dependable monthly support for VRCS, I'd like to become a **Sustaining Donor**. Please charge my credit card the following amount every month:

☐ \$25 ☐ \$15 ☐ \$10 ☐ Other \$_____



Thank You and May God Bless You for Your Generosity!

FULL NAME

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CITY

STATE

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EMAIL

PHONE

☐ ☐ **Alumni, do you have news to share?**
We would love to hear how you're doing.
☐ ☐ Feel free to add a note to this envelope.

Gifts from Your Will or Estate:

To leave a gift in your will, simply share this sentence with your attorney or financial planner:

"I bequeath \$_____ or _____% of my estate to Venango Region Catholic School, 1505 West First Street, Oil City, PA 16301."

☐ I/we have included VRCS in my/our will.

☐ Please contact me/us about making a 2023 pledge.
(Pledges are to be paid by 12/31/24.)

☐ My employer will match my gift. (Form is enclosed.)



For questions, major donations, planned giving, or to give a gift by phone, contact Dr. Ray Feroz at 814.677.3098 or ray.feroz@venangocatholic.org.

