

# ANNUAL REPORT

2022-2023



40  
years

OF SUPPORTING CATHOLIC EDUCATION



Battle Creek Area Catholic Schools

F O U N D A T I O N



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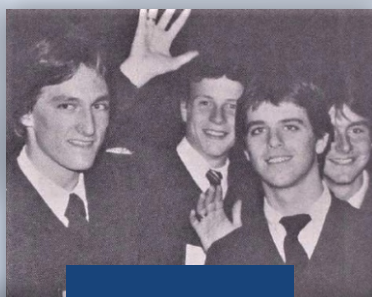


Battle Creek Area Catholic Schools

FOUNDATION



1983



1985



1986



IN THE SPRING OF 1979,

a committee of parents, pastors, and staff were organized to "review and evaluate every aspect of our schools." Their study included everything from the mission of the institutions to the curriculum and physical facilities, as well as the external, demographic and economic factors that could ultimately produce a financial impact. The original committee concluded that "a strong future for Catholic education in Battle Creek depended upon cooperative and innovative resource management and development efforts." By July 15th of 1983, the official charter incorporating the Battle Creek Area Catholic Schools Foundation was signed.



1987



1988



1991







1992



1995



1997

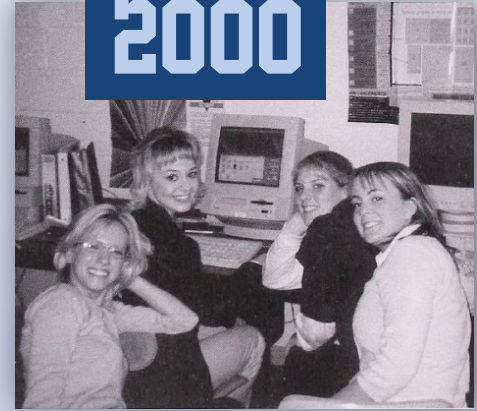
WE ARE SO GRATEFUL

1999



for the forethought and vision that these individuals had. Through their hard work, and the countless other individuals that have since followed in their footsteps over the last 40 years, the BCACS Foundation has been a stable force for Catholic education in Battle Creek. Thanks to your kindness, it will continue to be for many years to come.

2000



2005



2003



2022



2023



2015



2012







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# BCACS

## FOUNDATION MISSION

The mission of the Battle Creek Area Catholic Schools (BCACS) Foundation is to encourage stewardship for Catholic education in our community to meet today's needs with financial support as we seek to secure the future of Catholic schools in Battle Creek.

## A NOTE from DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR,

**ABBY (BUCKLEY) LUMBARD, CLASS OF '05**

There is something so unique about the BCACS experience. I've been blessed to witness this experience as an alumna, a parent, and a staff member. We know that the best way for our kids to succeed is to have committed community support. We achieve that every day, every year at the BCACS Foundation.





# WITH YOUR HELP, Last Year We Supported:

## ■ Tuition Assistance

Over 100 eligible BCACS families received over \$311,000 in tuition assistance for the 2022-2023 academic year.

## ■ Security and Building Safety

Grants from the State of Michigan, acquired by the BCACS Foundation, supported over \$40,000 in building safety upgrades, including higher grade surveillance systems and security advancements on each property.

## ■ College Scholarships to Graduating Seniors

7 graduating seniors received 12 scholarships from our named funds. In all, these seniors acquired nearly \$10,000 in scholarships through the BCACS Foundation to pursue their post-secondary education.

## ■ Professional Development for Staff

Thanks to an endowed fund, over \$8,000 was awarded to all of our BCACS staff to attend specialized training throughout the year.

## ■ Memorial/Honorary Gifts

We honored and celebrated the lives of over 40 individuals through either memorial or honorary gifts with the BCACS Foundation as beneficiary.





# HEARTFELT GRATITUDE

## TO OUR GENEROUS COMMUNITY

Without our generous supporters, we could not exist. We sincerely thank all who have given over the past 40 years, and especially those that supported our schools within the last year. The following individuals, families, companies, and organizations have blessed the BCACS Foundation with gifts between July 1, 2022 and June 30, 2023.


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# REVENUES & EXPENDITURES

In the 2022-2023 fiscal year, the BCACS Foundation provided the following support to the schools:

## EXPENDITURES

**\$150,000.00**

Subsidy for School

**\$197,264.50**

Other Subsidy

(includes St. Joseph Roof payments, building maintenance and security, etc.)

**\$311,000.00**

Tuition Assistance

**\$6,500.00**

Post Graduate Scholarships

**\$4,622.82**

BCACS Advancement/Alumni

**\$518,400.00**

Capital Loan

(includes interest, principal and final payout for St. Philip High School loan from Diocese)

**\$76,324.45**

Other Grants to Schools

**\$1,264,111.77**

**TOTAL**

## REVENUES

Donations and Pledges

**\$188,562.02**

Bequests and Honorary Donations

**\$684,191.17**

Grants

**\$60,000.00**

Fundraising Events

**\$30,708.28**

Restricted Funds

**\$5,017,399.28**





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Battle Creek Community Foundation  
Behnke Transportation LLC  
Borg Warner  
Burnham Family Foundation  
Clyde Hanger Plumbing  
Denso Manufacturing Michigan, Inc.  
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years

OF SUPPORTING CATHOLIC EDUCATION





We've been so blessed with generous support over the last 40 years, which has allowed our schools to continue to operate successfully. In order to continue this important work, we rely on our community to provide the necessary supports.



Battle Creek Area Catholic Schools  
FOUNDATION

## **GOAL for 2023-2024 FISCAL YEAR** **\$200,000.00**

### **UNRESTRICTED GIFTS**

includes support for:

**TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES**

**OPERATIONAL SUBSIDY**

**PROGRAMS FOR STUDENTS**

**BUILDING MAINTENANCE**

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# MEET the BCACS

## FOUNDATION TRUSTEES

### *Thank you to our BCACS Foundation Trustees*

who offer their time, talent, and treasure to support our Foundation's operations. We also offer our gratitude to our Trustee Emeritus members whose contributions have greatly impacted the work of the BCACS Foundation.



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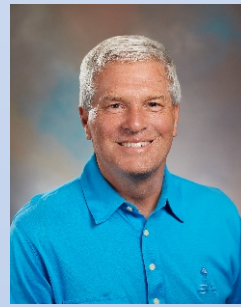
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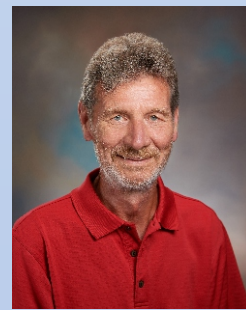
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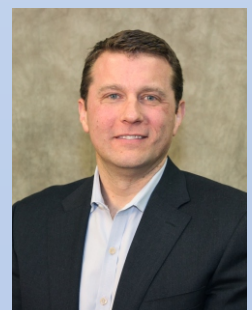
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# A NOTE from

## BOARD PRESIDENT,

### NICOLE SHUGARS

I'd be the first to admit that writing this letter felt overwhelming considering the achievements of those who came before me. 40 years ago, a wise and visionary group had the insight to create what we now know as the Battle Creek Area Catholic Schools Foundation. This group of committed individuals understood the importance of a body solely dedicated to fundraising for our K-12 education. 40 years later, we still have this singular focus and drive to do all we can to assure that generations that follow us will have our schools to educate their children and grandchildren.

I feel fortunate to work with such a committed and passionate board of trustees. Each of us firmly believes in the work of our schools and understands the importance of our Foundation's role in this work. We often say the fate of the schools and the foundation are intertwined. We work very closely with the BCACS leadership team and push each other to do all we can to elevate Catholic education in Battle Creek.

Throughout my family's journey with BCACS, we remain grateful that this education was an option and thankful to those who came before us that understood the importance of Catholic education in Battle Creek. None of this would be possible without our kind and generous donors. You are the reason we are here today and will be here in another 40+ years. Thank you. We couldn't do this without you.

*Nicole D. Shugars*

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