Dear Parents,

St. John Regional Catholic School has partnered again this year with the National Catholic Educational Association (NCEA) to present the online giving campaign: *Many Gifts, One Nation: A Day of Giving to Catholic Schools* during Catholic Schools Week. Last year we hosted our second day of giving and because of your generosity we raised $41,250. These gifts are allowing our school to upgrade security enhancements.

The SJRCS Day of Giving this year is set to start on Tuesday, January 28th, at 9a.m, and will end on Wednesday, January 29th at noon. This is a 24 hour giving period and our goal is set at $60,000. This has been made possible by matching donations from our school community. SJRCS has designated these funds to help with the cost of fencing our school grounds.

Please consider donating on our *Day of Giving* on January 28th starting at 9a.m. We know that you, as parents, are already making sacrifices to provide your children with a Catholic education, and we appreciate your continued support. You can donate online at [www.sjrcs.org/dayofgiving](http://www.sjrcs.org/dayofgiving), or send your gift into the front office.

Thank you,

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Day of Giving Matching Challenges are brought you by:

The Towe Family Parent & Grandparent Match $20,000
Parents and Grandparents are encouraged to make a gift to match this generous donation of $20,000 made by The Towe Family. If we reach our goal all SJRCS students will listen to music at lunch and will be entertained by our resident Wildcat DJ on January 29th. Plus, the homeroom class who has the highest participation percentage will receive a dress down day in the month of February and a no homework pass to use for one assignment. Please use the Vital Challenge below to encourage other parents at the bottom of the page.

The Saccoia Family Alumni Match $5,000
Did you know that parent Pat Saccoia is a Class of 1976 SJRCS Alumni? The Saccoia Family is calling all Alumni to join them in giving back to the school that they love. Whether you went to school on 2nd Street or on Opossumtown Pike, let’s unite to keep the St. John mission alive and meet this challenge. **Key 103 Alumni Challenge** - Key 103 will broadcast throughout the day to alumni. Post on the Key 103 site a school photo, favorite teacher, or your most treasured memory from grade school, and receive an alumni pin.

The Krietz Family Teacher & Staff Match $3,500
Reach the goal of $3,500 or 100% participation, and all teachers and staff will be treated to a celebration lunch. In addition, if teachers make a donation of $30 or more you will receive a coupon with your choice of special benefits.

Principal Smith Student Giving Match $1,000
When students reach the matching gift made by Principal Smith of $1,000 they will be treated to Friday movie and popcorn party with Mrs. Smith. Please make a donation of $2 or more.

Online Virtual Challenge
Challenge your family and friends to join the Day of Giving Excitement by participating in the Virtual Challenge using social media or email. Just use the sample message below to challenge three friends, family, past parents, alumni, etc. You can also go to the St. John Regional Catholic School Facebook page and share information about the Day of Giving.

*I just made a gift to help support St. John Regional Catholic School at www.sjrcs.org/dayofgiving! I challenge (tag three people) to do the same and continue the challenge. Their goal is $60,000 in order to support all the wonderful things happening at SJRCS. #SJRCSdayofgiving #ManyGiftsCathEd*

These generous SJRCS families have challenged to inspire us ALL. Let’s come together as a community
and match these pledges to make our goal of $60,000 in 24 hours a reality!

Many Gifts, One Nation: Donation Portal is Open until noon on Wednesday, January 29th!

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Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!