


<b>Purpose: Ascension School Board</b>	President: Mandy Goodwin	Secretary: Jaclyn Mullin (Proxy)
	Meeting Date: 12/3/24	

The **Mission** of Ascension Catholic School is to develop Christian thought leaders.

<b>Living Faith</b>	We achieve through sustained prayer and faith-filled interaction with each other that marks us as Ascension.
<b>Embracing Community</b>	We achieve through active participation in service to our parish, neighborhood, metro areas and global community.
<b>Encouraging Opportunity</b>	We achieve through activities, whether in traditional or community classrooms, to enhance ways in which students learn so they can continue to be life-long learners.
<b>Respecting Giftedness</b>	We achieve by providing a level of instruction to challenge students to extend beyond the basics to maximize their potential in their areas of strength.
<b>Celebrating Excellence</b>	We achieve through recognition of student accomplishments and alumni that say, "Well done!"

In Attendance: Father Robert Barnell, Terry Mullaney, Mandy Goodwin (Chair), Mike Brockman, Bob Feger, Natalie Ising, Nathan Jones, Laura Krebs Lewis, Abby Simon, Jaclyn Mullin, Sherry Strohmeier (faculty representative)

Absent: Brittany Meyer, Josh Lile, Katie Spencer (Secretary),

	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Presenter</b>	<b>Discussion, Assignment and Responsibilities</b>	<b>Follow-Up</b>
	Approval of Minutes	Mandy Goodwin/Terry Mullaney	Email	

<b>Living Faith</b>	Opening Prayer	Father Robert	Prayer led by Father Robert	
	Accreditation Report	Terry Mullaney	Reviewed by board and verbiage chosen and approved to share out. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Key points noted</li> </ul>	To Do: Information Only:
	Catholic Schools Week January 26-31	Terry Mullaney	Planning to continue the tradition of doughnuts after mass. Will follow up in scheduling volunteers in the January meeting.	To Do: Schedule  Information Only:
	Open House January 28 (9am – 6pm)	Terry Mullaney	Open Ideas for Improvement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Past alumni come. Stationed in library to talk about their experience</li> <li>• Make an updated alumni highlights board (do we have stats or a list?)</li> <li>• Ask parent/child volunteer to talk about community</li> <li>• Provide something for the kids to do/make (Longhorn to color), this would allow parents/guardians to ask questions</li> <li>• Make sure preschool also highlights all school</li> <li>• Polaroid with backdrop</li> <li>• Large Signs Additions: Mike Brockman's In-laws (Taylorsville Rd), Beth Beckham (Lowe Rd)</li> </ul>	To Do: Have new Large Yard Signs Made  Review list and see what can be updated for the January 28 <sup>th</sup> Open House  Information Only:

	Marketing	Terry Mullany / Jaclyn Mullin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Media Idea (Alumni Highlights/monthly)</li> <li>• Open House Booklets (all updates held for fall revision)</li> <li>• Ideas on where to advertise: St. Regis Newsletter, Regency Woods Newsletter, Holy Family Radio, Surrounding Neighborhoods, Spirit and Spire (Nathan Jones contact), Brown Park Trunk or Treat, Upper Highlands, St. Matthews Summer Festival, Gaslight Festival, St. Matthews Baptist Farmers Market</li> <li>• How can we fund for more car magnets?</li> </ul>	<p>To Do: Follow up and schedule a meeting with Marketing Committee to brainstorm.</p> <p>Information Only:</p>
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	Next meeting	Mandy Goodwin	January 6 (6pm)	

**Vision:** Ascension Catholic School champions academic excellence in an environment where all are loved, respected and challenged to grow. With Christ as our guide and a vibrant community as our support, Ascension graduates leave prepared for a rapidly changing world.