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Dear Friends & Family,

The Fund for St. Helen Catholic School (FSH) is invested in ensuring that St. Helen Catholic School (SHCS) continues to generate growth for our school and create long-lasting relationships with our SHCS alumni and families. As alumni, current SHCS families, faculty or staff, we have all contributed to the success of SHCS' mission to "grow the total child in wisdom, age and grace!"

Your investment in the FSH ensures we will continue to increase awareness of and advocacy for SHCS. Our goals are to broaden and deepen constituent engagement with the school, developing more meaningful relationships with the St. Helen Catholic Community. FSH will also expand philanthropic support to SHCS to benefit student success, tuition assistance, and include more students in the enrollment/admissions process. Last year we raised over \$45,000 in donations to the FSH. We hope to once again raise more money than our established goal!

Today, we invite you to be counted among our SHCS family who pledge their ongoing commitment to the FSH during our 2023 Giving Tuesday event. Tuesday, November 28, 2023, is the Tuesday immediately following Thanksgiving Day weekend. Friday of that weekend is called "Black Friday," Monday is now called "Cyber Monday," and Tuesday is known globally as "Giving Tuesday." Because we are busy being consumers over our Thanksgiving weekend, we thought the FSH would join in this national initiative on Giving Tuesday so that we may all give back for our many blessings! (#GivingTuesdaySWAG)

On Tuesday, November 28, we will be hosting an online donation event. By going to our website, www.SHCSsaints.org, you may donate quickly and online! (Of course, you don't have to wait until Giving Tuesday to donate to the FSH!) Donating online is easy – and you will receive a receipt for your donation immediately! This year we will offer a text option to donate! Text SAINTS to 474747 to donate and sign up for SHCS text messages.

By donating only \$5 or more, you make a personal commitment to the school and to our Giving Tuesday event. Your support is critical and very much appreciated. New to the program is the FSH 100 Club, more info to come!

We are deeply grateful for your consideration in donating to our Giving Tuesday event on Tuesday, November 28. 2023. Your gifts to the FSH allow you to remain involved in our SHCS community and continue the tradition of academic excellence taught through the lens of traditional, Catholic values.

May God continue to bless you and yours,

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