



For Immediate Release

St. Rose School Opens Doors to Recent Campus Expansion

Franklin, IN – September 29, 2010 – Rev. John Beitans, Pastor of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, conducted a dedication ceremony on Sunday, September 26, 2010, of recently completed projects. Participating in the event were parishioners, students and family members.

In 2006, a facilities master plan identified a need for additional classroom space to enhance the school's educational programs, specifically in the areas of Art and Music instruction. A modular structure, referred to as 'The Studio', was obtained, installed and is in use for the instruction of Fine Arts, Music, Choir and Band. The project was paid for with funds from the recently completed capital campaign.

With the relocation of the Fine Arts program, the School's Technology Center has expanded to accommodate the increased use of technology and add additional workspace for students within the setting of a computer lab. Some space also became available for Language Arts.

A visit to the School's athletic field revealed newly installed goal posts for the football field. A complete renovation of the athletic fields is expected to occur in 2011.

Recent graduate William Roush was on hand to demonstrate one of his Eagle Scout projects - a St Rose School Sign. This sign contains a scrolling LED informational unit which will be used to announce school events and activities. St Rose Scout Troop #227 is one of the state leaders in conducting Eagle projects.

Perhaps most impressive was the towering, hand painted, image of St. Rose which now graces the Parish Life Center. The mural was painted by St Rose School alumnae, Feliz Morales. Volunteers installed the sign on the building.

Tours of the school are conducted daily. Call the school office for details.

About St. Rose of Lima School

St. Rose of Lima School, as a ministry of the parish, serves the families of Franklin and surrounding areas by integrating Catholic faith with a comprehensive educational program for students in Pre-School through Grade 8. With Christ as our model, our dedicated professionals partner with parents to create a safe, nurturing, value-centered learning environment that ensures academic excellence. We provide our students with the knowledge, skills and experiences to reach their full potential. For more information on St. Rose School, visit us at <http://www.stroselions.net>.

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