Dear PACS Families and Valued Supporters,

On behalf of Perth Amboy Catholic School, we would like to express our deepest gratitude for your unwavering support and contributions to the recent PACS Gala. Your presence, generosity, and enthusiasm were instrumental in making the event a resounding success.

The PACS Gala is a cornerstone of our annual fundraising efforts, and this year's event exceeded our expectations in every way possible. The vibrant atmosphere, the delectable cuisine, and the captivating entertainment all contributed to an unforgettable evening that will undoubtedly leave a lasting impression on all who attended.

However, the true success of the gala lies not just in the festivities but in the collective spirit of generosity and commitment that was so evident throughout the evening. Your generous donations will provide us with the vital resources we need to continue providing our students with the exceptional educational opportunities they deserve.

We are incredibly grateful for the outpouring of support from our families and friends. Your belief in our mission and your willingness to invest in our students' futures is truly inspiring. Thank you for believing in PACS and for making this year's gala a remarkable achievement.

With heartfelt appreciation, *Ana Maria Zevallos*Fundraising Chair





#### **Honoring:**

Rev. Ron Machado, Rev. Sławomir Romanowski Rev. Krystian Burdzy, Rev. Gilles Njobam For their continued support, prayers, and guidance.

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Congratulations to the honorees and their dedicated commitment to PACS and the community.

Wishes from our PACS Boosters

Dyke Family – "Best Wishes to PACS from the Dyke Family"

Foy Family – "Thomas, we are so proud of you and all your accomplishments! Love, Mom, Dad, Grandma and Grandpa."

Albino Family – "Dear Rachel: Every star shines a little differently, and you are the brightest in our sky. You always make us so proud. God Bless! Love, Mom, Dad, Grandma, Pop Pop and Auntie."

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### **Program of Events**

Cocktail Hour

Master of Ceremony: Reinaldo Cruz

Welcome: Anacelis Diaz, Principal

Invocation: Fr. Ron Machado

Presentation of Honorees

Liturgical Dances / Song Performance

Remarks: Rev. Hank Hilton

Closing

Dinner

Dance

# A Word from the Principal



As another school year begins, filled with hope and love of service, we are grateful for the many families who have been part of Perth Amboy Catholic School. I

am proud of our alumni who are thriving in so many areas of society, it is our mission to continue to nurture our current students to grow in faith and use their God given gifts for the benefit of all.

To assist those families who value a Christ centered educational formation, a scholarship fund is being set up to ease this hardship. The proceeds from our Gala tonight will benefir this fund, as well as raisemoney for our school's daily operations, increase teacher salaries.

A special thanks to all our GALA committee members. You have worked so diligently throughout this entire process. Through your humble willingness to assist, God has done great and mighty things.

Also, a special thanks to our volunteers before, during and after the Gala. Our PACS families, and community parishioners have also been very kind and generous to us. This night would have been IMPOSSIBLE without you!

A special thanks to Miss. Diaz our middle school Language Arts teacher for her leadership and choreography of our performances this evening. We are very proud of our Liturgical Dance students and singers. Also, thank you to Mrs. Renata, our music teacher, and Mr. Clark, our middle school science teacher, for sharing their amazing musical talents with us at this evening's event.

#### To our honorees,

Your support has nourished our faith and school in many ways. Between celebrating mass, bringing confession, judging our Saint door decorations, and other school-wide events, our students and teachers have grown to know you more, appreciate your vocation and see you as "our fathers". May God continue to bless you!

Tonight, enjoy yourself, dance the night away, and be confident that you are a vital part of the PACS family!

Sincerely,

Anacelis Díaz

Principal

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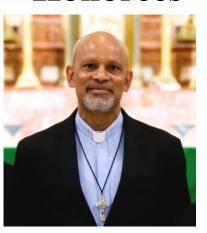
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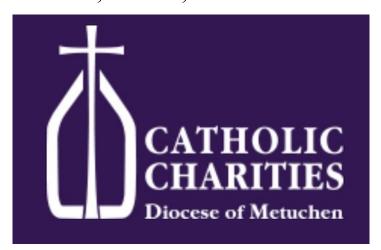
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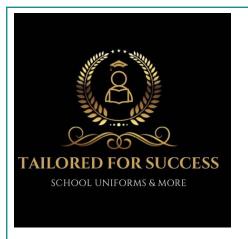








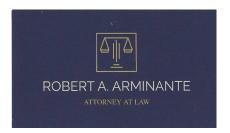




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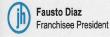


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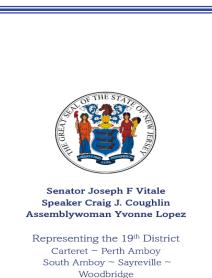
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