

## Summary of Minutes from 11/14/16 MQP BOE Meeting

Prior Minutes: Approved October Minutes.

Home and School: The BOE reviewed the role of Home and School Association Board. We discussed how we can coordinate efforts of our respective boards for the betterment of our school and parish.

### Committee Reports:

EM&M: Members of the committee are contacting area pre-schools and day care centers. The committee is also focusing on ways to get a higher rate of enrollment in kindergarten from the MQP preschool. A survey will be taken of the current pre-K parents. On December 5<sup>th</sup> there will be a preschool and kindergarten prospective parent open house.

Technology: A new server was purchased and installed as this was a critical high priority issue for ongoing operations. The committee is considering options for service plans. The fund-a-need at the auction raised a portion of the money need to install Wi-Fi. The committee is exploring additional funding options.

Inclusion: Discussed incorporating parents into the program. The administration is working on a survey of the parents with kids in classrooms with inclusion kids.

Grandparents Day: There was a very positive response to Grandparents' Day.

### Principal's Update:

Iowa Scores: Mrs. Schroff reported she received the scores from the Iowa testing.

Middle School: A new homework club is open to middle school kids three afternoons a week for teacher monitored homework support.

### Pastor's Update:

Pastor Leadership Team: Fr. John reported that the parish is in the information phase and evaluating applications for members to serve on the team.

Parish Counsel: There has been a good response in the search for new parish council members.

Stewardship: Discussed the need to make the parish fiscally sound. Efforts are underway to increase electronic giving.