

## ST. ELIZABETH SETON

Catholic Elementary/Junior High School

Welcome to October! We made it through September with so many wonderful moments including welcoming over 770 students into our Seton family. As the season of thanks is upon us it is a time to reflect on how blessed we truly are. With all the "busy-ness" in our lives, it is important that we remember that God's love and presence is evident around us. The changing seasons, the brilliant sunshine, the vivid hues we see in the tree leaves, the falling rain, the laughter and play of children... are all examples of God's hand at work. Let us be thankful for all the Lord has given us and not take it for granted. Our hearts are filled with gratitude and respect for our entire school community.

This year, Read-In Week will be from October 3rd to 6th and the theme is "Read In Reimagined". Read In is not only for children...it is for everyone! Children who grow up reading become adults who continue to read.

October 5th each year is **World Teachers' Day** as declared by UNESCO. The theme for this year is "Teachers at the Heart of Education Recovery". Teachers are the steadfast pillars of our lives, dedicating their time and effort to enrich our existence and propel us forward. They are the architects of our society, and their role transcends that of parents. Help us acknowledge the work that teachers do every single day with our students.

A big thank you to parents/guardians as well for their support with such a busy school start up. We are excited to continue working with our parent community through our parent council and we invite all families to attend meetings and get involved any way you can throughout the year.

School fees are now posted on your Parent PowerSchool account. We ask that parents log on and pay all school fees by October 27th. Please log on as well when there are field trips to pay these as they are separate from regular school fees.

We want to wish our entire school community a Happy and blessed Thanksgiving. We are thankful for all of you.

Mrs. Nicole Falcone-Dempsey Principal







