

Lumen Christi Plan to Welcome Students Back, New Faculty & New Legacy Giving Program June 24, 2020

Lumen Christi Planning to Welcome Students back on August 24, 2020



Our headmaster, Bob Collins, is working diligently with our faculty and staff so we are prepared to welcome students back to our classrooms as planned on August 24, 2020. Our small class size uniquely positions Lumen Christi to provide in-person instruction in a safe environment during the COVID-19 pandemic. We will be following guidelines from the Archdiocese of Indianapolis and the Marion County Board of Health which include having students sit spread out, eating lunch in their classrooms (which we have always done) and disinfecting classrooms daily. We still have space available in all grades except PreK and Kindergarten, so if you know of a family looking for a classical, Catholic school with no more than 15 students per grade, please have them call us at 317-632-3174 and check out our website at LumenChristiSchool.org.

Please Welcome Our New High School Principal, Joseph Brake



From Bob Collins: I am very happy to announce that we have a new Principal for Lumen Christi Catholic High School. Mr. Joseph Brake is a theology teacher at Washington Catholic Middle/High School in the Diocese of Evansville, and he was formerly Principal of Precious Blood Catholic School in Jasper. He holds an MS degree in Educational Leadership from Indiana Univ. and is working toward a master's in Theology at St. Meinrad. Mr. Brake grew up in Indianapolis in St. Luke parish. "In today's culture, it seems that the good, the true, and the beautiful have been supplanted by the expedient, the relative, and the vulgar," Mr. Brake says. "I am eager to immerse myself in a school culture that challenges students not merely to gain knowledge but to foster their ability to contemplate their place in God's creation. A classical Catholic school is the ideal environment to accomplish this." Welcome, Mr. Brake! (Shown with his wife, Holly.)

Meet our new 8th Grade teacher, Greg Rader



From Greg Rader: Hello Lumen Christi Catholic School and Community! My name is Greg Rader, and I will be the 8th grade homeroom teacher. I will teach various 7th and 8th grade classes in language arts, history/geography, math, and catechism. During the past two school years, I taught social studies at Holy Spirit School on the Eastside. I attend St. Thomas More Parish in Mooresville where I teach a confirmation class and volunteer with various activities. While in college, I converted to Catholicism in 2010. During my free time I enjoy spending time with family and friends. In addition, I enjoy studying apologetics, the outdoors, working out, and Notre Dame football. I am very excited to be a part of the Lumen Christi community, and look forward to a great year!

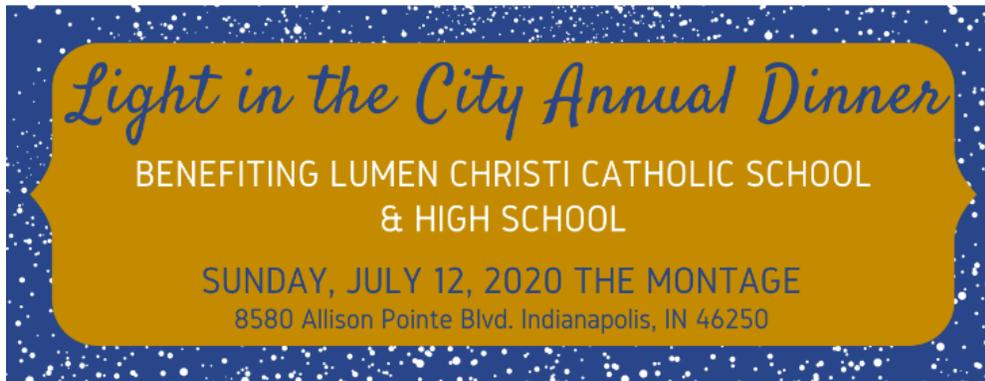
We will feature our other new teachers in our July Newsletter.

Launching the St. Thomas Aquinas Legacy Giving Society



Would you like to share your blessings with Lumen Christi through your retirement accounts and your will? We invite you to join the **Lumen Christi St. Thomas Aquinas Legacy Giving Society** by listing Lumen Christi as a beneficiary of your IRA, 401K, or will or if you are at least 70 ½ by making a qualified charitable donation from your traditional IRA to Lumen Christi. We'd love to place your name on our recognition plaque! Please contact Ellen Sanders at ESanders@LumenChristiSchool.org or 317-797-2157 for details.

Light in the City – How You Can Participate!



***Contact Ellen Sanders at ESanders@LumenChristiSchool.org or 317-797-2157 if you would like to attend.** Although tickets are sold out online, there are still some seats available at purchased tables.

***Purchase Raffle Tickets for a chance to win \$1,000 in cash.** Tickets are \$10 each or 5 for \$40. Please call the office at 317-632-3174 to purchase your tickets today.

***Bid on our auction items online.** On July 7th I will send the link out to everyone so you can register on Qtego, our auction website, and bid on our amazing auction items. The auction will close at 7pm on July 12th.

Please continue to donate to Lumen Christi



Your financial support continues to be critical to allow Lumen Christi to deliver an independent, classical, Catholic education to students in central Indiana. Without your contributions, we would not be able to offer financial aid to students. Please pray about donating to Lumen Christi today! Thanks to the CARES Act, you can deduct up to \$300 for cash donations even if you take the standard tax deduction on your 2020 taxes. For details, please contact your tax advisor.

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Thank you so much for your prayers and support. May God bless you and keep you. Ellen