

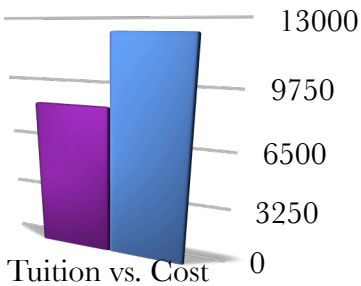
# MORRIS CATHOLIC MONTHLY

<b>460</b> <i>Current enrollment at MC</i>	<b>17</b> <i>Number of varsity sports</i>	<b>70</b> <i>Number of seniors who applied for peer ministry.</i>
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**ANNUAL FUND  
GOAL  
\$107,000**

## THE COST OF EDUCATING A STUDENT

As many of you were present for the Back to School Night on Sept. 17, you heard me speak about two very important things: faith and finances. Both are vital to Morris Catholic.



Without a Catholic value system, our school would be like many of the public schools in our area. Without the financial means to educate a student, the Catholic Ideal cannot be realized.

The cost of educating a student at Morris Catholic is approximately \$12,400. This means that we have to find creative ways to **bridge the gap** between our \$8,600 tuition and the true cost of educating a

student. The graph to the left shows the distance between the two figures.

In coming weeks, you will be receiving a letter from me regarding this year's Annual Fund. We also have a kick-off event scheduled for Oct. 14. Please RSVP to the Advancement Office ([advancement@morriscatholic.org](mailto:advancement@morriscatholic.org)). Our theme, *Because of You*, honors the progress of last year's Fund and points towards our goal this year of \$107,000. I ask that every member of the community- from teacher to parent to alumni make some level of pledge to the Annual Fund. Rest assured that I too will be contributing to the Fund as I am not exempt and consider it a privilege to participate.

Michael St. Pierre  
President

new on the  
**website**

Podcast with 1986 alum, David O'Brien: "My Faith Matters"

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**October  
wish list**

We need a series of aerial photos of the school- can you help?

We are opening bids for a website redesign for 2010-2011- can you help?

