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Spirit of St. Michael Award

At the end of the 2008-2009 school year, the St. Michael School community gathered together to celebrate Mass along with their traditional awards ceremony. The Spirit of St. Michael Award is the most coveted award that all PreK-8th grade students can potentially win. This award's criteria include the following: a spirit of reverence, academic effort, appropriate conduct, academic achievement (A's and B's), respect for others, integrity, evidence of service in the community, willingness to help others, leadership, and going above what is expected.

Additional subject-specific awards, which are all named after patron saints, are given to students in grades 2 through 8. In addition, Mr. Paul Gauthier received the 2008-2009 Teacher of the Year award. For a more complete awards list, the remaining student award winners can be found on the "St. Michael School News" link on St. Michael's School website.

Congratulations to the following students for receiving the Spirit of St Michael Award:

Pre-K: Aidan Wood, Alexabelle Schick

Kindergarten: Marie Dawson, Tommy Manley, Connor Pencola and Chiara Palumbo

Grade 1: Mae Ostrom, Josh Pollaci, Liam Peebles, Amelia Zahn

Grade 2: Jaden Wagner, Karly Fitzgerald, Sophie Macomber, Andrew Marshall

Grade 3: Emma Zayas, Connor Miles

Grade 4: Kelly Bright, Madeline Lips

Grade 5: Joseph Fitzgerald, Nate Kochuyt

Grade 6: Kathryn Combs

Grade 7: Shannon Thompson

Grade 8: Andreane Reynolds