

Nomination Process
(per the Amended and Re-Styled Constitution of the Christ, Prince of Peace School Board)

There are nine members who serve on the School Board, along with the pastor and principal. Each year, three new members are elected to serve the Board. All members will serve a three-year term consecutively. Members must fit the following criteria:

- Twenty-one years of age or older
- A member of the parish or a parent of a child in the school
- Supportive of the parish education programs, financially and attitudinally
- Sincerely interested in Catholic education
- Willing and able to spend the time to attend meetings
- Capable of a broad vision and not have a specific issue to bring to the Board
- Able to express himself/herself effectively in a group
- A good listener
- Capable of reaching consensus on issues
- Willing to be loyal to Board decisions even though personally opposed to the final decision

The nomination process is as follows:

- Two months prior to the election in May (i.e. approximately the first week of March) parishioners and school families will be notified through existing school and parish communication channels of the upcoming election and call for nominations.
- Candidates may be nominated by others or may self-nominate via any form (phone, email, verbal, etc)
- Any Board member may accept nomination requests.
- In all instances, the nominator (whether self or other) must provide supporting information for the nomination such as: the candidate's experience with the parish or school, history or volunteerism, ability to work in a team, relevant skill sets that would benefit the Board, etc.
- Nominations must be completed 14 days prior to the May School Board meeting when elections will be held.
- The list of nominees will be reviewed by the pastor and principal for final inclusion on the slate as candidates.
- The president will present the candidates at the May School Board meeting, and new members will be chosen through discussion and a simple majority vote by a quorum of the Board.
- The Board president will contact the candidates during the week following the election in order of ranking until three candidates have accepted. The new Board members will be announced via parish and school communications.