

Rev. Robert E. Reiser, S.J. President

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Dear McQuaid Jesuit Parents and Guardians:

One of the books to which I return for words of wisdom is entitled, *Let Your Life Speak*, by American author and educator Parker Palmer. While Palmer is often critiqued as an "educational activist" and his work "provocative," I find him to be very much akin to those of us engaged in Jesuit education. A quote from the book explains this well. Parker states, "Before I can tell my life what I want to do with it, I must listen to my life telling me who I am." As our website tells us, McQuaid Jesuit is all about "Creating Great Men," the measure of which rests in the young man who walks across the stage of the Eastman Theater in June, and who goes forth from McQuaid "to cast fire upon the earth."

It is within the context of our "value" as a Jesuit school, of creating great men, that I announce tuition levels for the academic year 2020-21. Tuition for the sixth grade will be \$13,540; \$15,400 for the seventh through eleventh grades; and \$15,700 for twelfth grade. I am confident in these numbers because our students are receiving the best academic, religious, athletic, and co-curricular experience at a cost approximately \$3,000 less than our actual expenses.

The value of a Jesuit education should be available to all who are admitted to McQuaid Jesuit and our financial aid program attempts to do that. I encourage every parent to apply for financial aid for the academic year 2020-21. The application deadline is April 15, 2020. For more information, please contact Mrs. Jennifer Roxstrom, P'13, Financial Aid Coordinator, at 585-256-6180 or at jroxstrom@mcquaid.org.

As I conclude my service as president of McQuaid in June, it has been an honor and a joy to accompany your son as he "becomes himself." For me, it is a clear manifestation of the God who is creating us all into God's own image and likeness.

Sincerely yours,

Rev. Robert E. Reiser, S.J.

President

Included with this letter is your Enrollment Contract for next year. Please complete and return it, together with a \$500 advance deposit, by April 1, 2020.