



# GIBAULT

CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

2018-19 ~~ANNUAL~~ *Gratitude* REPORT

*Tis' the season of  
thankfulness and joy!*



**Feeling gratitude and not expressing it  
is like wrapping a present and not giving it.  
Today, the students of Gibault Catholic  
High School want to thank *YOU*, for making  
everything we do here possible.**



## *Message from Principal Steve Kidd*

I want to start with a thank you for the kind welcome to Gibault Catholic High School. In the short amount of time here I have met so many people from the Gibault family. I feel like I have only scratched the surface. There is something special about this place, it is something that is very different. I believe it is in the founding spirit of this school that was created by Father Ed Hustedde. He believed students should be uniquely different, be unafraid to try new things, get involved in whatever or wherever your passions may lie, love God and trust Him, and most importantly give of yourself generously. These core principals of Gibault are evident in the current students and alumni alike.

It is my vision, my mission, and my obligation to continue these traditions and principles that Gibault was founded on. Mr. Hart and many before him understood the importance of keeping the mission alive. **It is these values that are special and set us apart.** As I meet former students of Gibault, I like to ask what they remember most and what stands out about their time here. Their memories can be found in the unique customs and events and the friends they shared their time with here. It is truly amazing how many former students live in this community and continue to contribute to Gibault in so many different ways. It is equally amazing how many who have moved away and continue to stay in touch and show their support.

The students of Gibault depend on your generosity in many ways. We need your prayers, your donations of time and talent, and your continued gifts to the annual fund. As I continue to meet our alumni, I look forward to seeing and hearing about all the good you have done. It inspires us to continue what Father Ed started over 50 years ago.

God's peace be with you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Steve Kidd".



### A short Biography on Mr. Kidd:

- Married to Suzanne for 30 years with three children and one grandchild
- Graduated Centralia High School 1984
- Received a BS in Mathematics from SIUE and a Masters in Education from McKendree University
- Taught at Our Lady of Mt Carmel in Herrin for ~14 years before our family moved back to the metro east area
- Became Principal at St James Catholic School in Millstadt in the fall of 2014 and spent 5 years there as Principal
- Began as Principal at Gibault on August 1, 2019

*No gift is too small, no dream too big*  
**Unrestricted gifts mean endless possibilities!**

**Annual Fund gifts are *unrestricted*, and give Gibault the most flexibility to use your gift where it is most needed. Every gift to the annual fund goes straight to work giving our teachers and students everything they need to succeed.**

**Your donation makes a difference.**

**Scholarship/Tuition Assistance Fund gifts are *restricted* and will only be used to help the maximum number of students afford a quality Gibault college-prep education.**

**Qualified Charitable Contributions and your IRA**

Are you over 70 and receiving a required minimum distribution from your IRA? For many seniors out there, this creates a tax problem on income that may not be currently needed. The added income from your IRA can cause your tax rate to increase which means more of your money is taken by the government.

One simple solution to this problem is using a QCD (Qualified Charitable Distribution). A QCD can allow you to make a contribution to a charitable organization like **Gibault Catholic High School** and not have the IRA distribution included in your income. You should as always consult your tax advisor and if applicable your estate planning attorney to see if this makes sense for you.



Contact Andrea  
[abiske@gibaulthawks.com](mailto:abiske@gibaulthawks.com)

**TIME • TALENT • PRAYER**

Our faith and our Volunteers are the lifeline of Gibault. We are blessed to have a strong and involved Gibault Men's Club and Women's Club as the backbone and core of our volunteers. Please keep all of our hard working volunteers and Gibault family in your prayers!

**Your time and talent  
make a difference.**

**Come get involved at Gibault!**

**Does your company have a matching gift program?  
If it does, then your gift can have DOUBLE the impact!**

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# Want to direct your Illinois taxes to Gibault?

*Thanks to the Invest in Kids program it is possible!*

## For a couple with \$5,000 income tax liability

The OLD way to donate (Without a gift to Empower IL)	The NEW way to donate (With a gift to Empower IL)
John and Joy <b>donate \$1,000</b> for scholarships directly to Gibault	John and Joy <b>donate \$4,000</b> for scholarships designated to Gibault via Empower IL
John and Joy <b>owe \$5,000</b> in Illinois income tax	John and Joy now <b>owe \$2,000</b> in Illinois income tax since they receive a 75% income tax <i>credit</i> on the gift to Empower IL
John and Joy are out of pocket <b>\$6,000</b> including their scholarship donation and income tax	John and Joy are out of pocket <b>\$6,000</b> but have <b>quadrupled the amount they give in scholarships to families needing help</b>

Go online to [empowerillinois.org/donate](http://empowerillinois.org/donate) and click "How to Donate—Step by Step Instructions"

## INVEST IN KIDS IN THREE STEPS

1. Register	2. Reserve	3. Donate
You need an account on mytax.illinois.gov before applying for a tax credit. This can take up to 10 days and involves a mailed pin.	After you register, you can reserve your tax credit for the 2020 calendar year with the Illinois DOR in order to make a donation.	Once you receive confirmation of your tax credit, you have 60 days to make your donation* to Empower Illinois. <i>*no minimum</i>

*To qualify to receive a scholarship from this program the family must be within 185-300% of the Federal Poverty Level. Many more of our students qualify for this scholarship, but we did not receive the funding to meet all of their needs.*

*Last year we received a donation from outside the area which was a tremendous boost to our ability to help our families. This year, that donor is planning to **match** any increase in donations from last year, and this will help so many more students.*

### Can you help us help more of our families?

Contact our Director of Finance Aubrie (618-939-3883 or [aswafford@gibaulthawks.com](mailto:aswafford@gibaulthawks.com)), or contact your tax advisor for more details and information.

## Gibault Catholic High School 2019-2020 Benefits



**10**

Scholarships granted



**24**

Student applications

**\$97,278**

Scholarships granted to GCHS students for 2019-2020



**\$197,028**

Needed to fully fund the GCHS students that applied

*Everything we can do is because of you!*

## **ANNUAL FUND MAJOR DONORS**

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### **Levels of Giving**

**Spirit:** \$10,000 +

**Millennium:** \$2,000 - \$9,999

**Diamond:** \$1,000 - \$1,999

**Gold:** \$500 - \$999

**Silver:** \$300 - \$499

**Bronze:** \$250 - \$299

**Partner:** \$100 - \$249

**Friend:** up to \$99

*Thank you!*

### **Gold Level** (continued)

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### **Every year individual acts of generosity add up to something amazing at Gibault!**

All gifts listed were received July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019. Gifts received after July 1, 2019 will be listed in next fiscal year's report. Every effort has been made to ensure that these lists are accurate and complete, but we are grateful for every gift and want to say thank you. If your gift level is incorrect or missing, or your name is incorrectly represented, please accept our sincere apologies and contact Andrea Biske at 618-939-3883 or [abiske@gibaulthawks.com](mailto:abiske@gibaulthawks.com).

**Please help us correct any unintentional mistakes.**

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Go to [www.gibaulthawks.com](http://www.gibaulthawks.com)  
and click the DONATE button in  
the upper right corner to give a  
gift using PayPal or a credit card.

You can even make it a  
monthly gift!

***Thank you for investing  
in our students!***

### **Partner Level**

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Paul and Sharon Braun  
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### **Partner Level** (continued)

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### **Friend of Gibault Level**

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### **Operation Restoration 2** (Cont.)

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### **Operation Restoration 2**

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# YOUR GIFT. YOUR IMPACT.

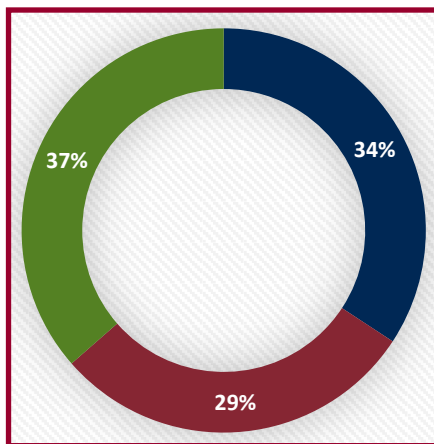
## BECAUSE OF DONORS LIKE YOU...

Thank you for believing in the mission of Gibault. You make a difference every day, by providing the critical funding needed to impact every aspect of the Gibault experience. Your gift goes to work immediately building a stronger Gibault, and ensuring the future of our school for a new generation of Hawks.

Please consider making a gift today, we count on you!

# \$421,209.17

TOTAL DOLLARS RAISED IN FY 18-19



**\$153,470.44** Donations

**\$144,242.30** Annual Fund

**\$123,496.43** Scholarships

## 369

DONORS ACROSS ALL FUNDS

## 16

STATES THAT DONORS SENT GIFTS FROM

## 57

CLASSES HAD AN ALUM SEND A DONATION STARTING AT SsPP 1949

## 198

STUDENTS

## 17

PARISHES

## \$3,807

GAP PER STUDENT

## 45

COLLEGE CREDITS OFFERED

## 34%

OF UPPER CLASSMEN ENROLLED IN AT LEAST ONE COLLEGE COURSE

## 1:9

STUDENT:TEACHER RATIO

*Every student* at Gibault is receiving financial assistance thanks to our Parishes, fundraisers, and supporters like **you**. This year the gap between the cost to educate a student and the parishioner tuition rate is **\$3,807** per student.

**Can you help close the gap?**



*Because of your investment, our students learn to succeed*

## **DEDICATED DONATIONS**

### **Athletics**

John and Trish Adams  
Charles Barbour III and Nicole Kirbach  
David and Chris Bira  
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### **Fr. Ed Scholarship Fund**

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### **Military Wall of Honor**

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June and Kenneth Valentine

### **Renovations/Repairs**

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Gibault Women's Club  
Art Fahrner Interiors  
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Steve and Ruth Wilke

### **Scholarship Funds**

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Bernadette Gregson  
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### **Security**

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Elaine Schorb

### **Theater**

David and Lois Gregson  
Chris and Judy Haberl



## **Memorial Gifts leave a legacy of love**

**When you designate Gibault Catholic High School in your estate, your legacy will live on in the lives of all of the students that your gift impacts. *Bless all who have been promoted to heaven and loved ones who shared their own blessings in their honor:***

Beneficiary: Gibault High School (Tax ID#37-0840620)

Deborah Chartrand  
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John Shea  
Jack Toal  
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Harry Wolf



# *Once a Hawk, Always a Hawk!*



**Class of 1964**



**Class of 1969**



**Class of 1977**



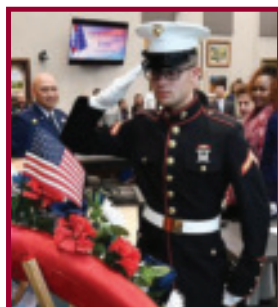
**Class of 1979**



**Class of 1984**



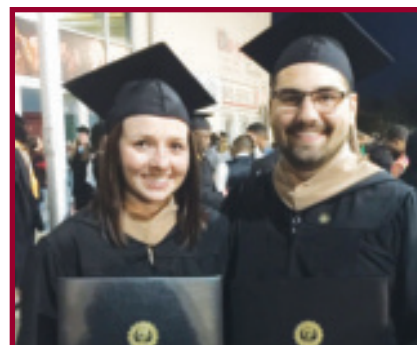
**Class of 1999**



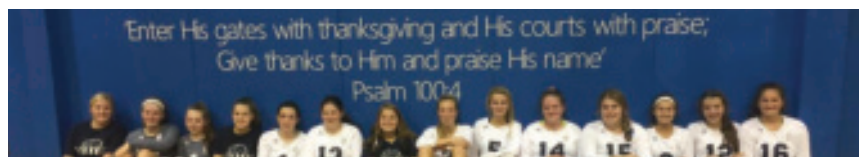
Pfc. **Elgin Scherff ('19)** was recently sworn in to the Marines in San Diego, with Mr. Hart proudly on hand to witness the ceremony. Elgin was also chosen to place a wreath during Belleville's Veterans Day ceremony in November.



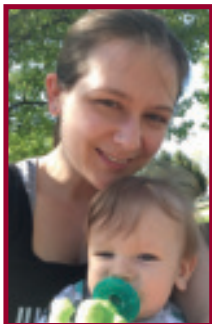
**Class of 1979**



**Brittany (Davis '10) Phillips & Andrew Phillips ('10)** graduated with their Masters in Business Administration from Lindenwood University. Both grads of Missouri S & T ('14) in Rolla, Brittany is a Ceramic Engineer at Watlow and Andrew is a mechanical engineer at Anheuser- Busch Inbev.







**Aubrie (Miskell '04)**, Jesse, and sister Naysa Swafford welcomed brother Aaro in September '18. Aubrie is now the Director of Finance at Gibault!



**Maria (Lesko '11) and Corey Hogrefe ('11)** welcomed Aurora Juliana on June 12: the day the Blues won the Stanley Cup!



**Carolyn (McManus '09) & Cole Blechle ('10)** were married in May with many Gibault friends celebrating.



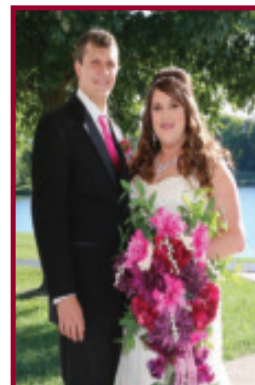
**Joe Bohn ('03)** and wife Lisa welcomed their 3rd daughter Kaitlyn Mae on April 18th



**John Thomas ('09) & wife Kristen** welcomed twin boys George Richard and Jack Raymond in May



**David Briesacher ('01)** married Katya Hessel in September with their now 6 kids proudly watching!



**Nicole (Corzine '09) & Michael Gibson** were married in September 2018



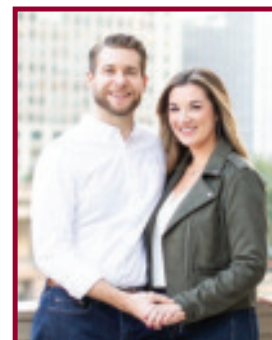
**Valerie (Raney '04) & Bobby Prashad** welcomed Joseph Deorooop in August



**Kelly (Knefelkamp '13) & Anthony Day** welcomed Lydia on October 5



**Jennifer Lesko ('09) & Jacob Gyore ('09)** were married in September 2019



**John Thomas ('08) and Jenna Thiry** are engaged and planning a September wedding



**Jonathon Sander ('03)** and wife Amanda welcomed their 4th child Evelyn Rose in November



**Jenna (Dunker '99) & Drew Schneider** adopted their daughter, Meilyn Joy, from China in August. Follow the story of her adoption journey at [www.facebook.com/groups/261144931267064/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/261144931267064/)

**Contact Andrea with any alumni news:**  
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**Jennifer (Osterhage '01)** and Andy Wolkiewicz welcomed Luke Nicholas and Grace Bernadette in September





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Gibault Summer Classic  
Annbriar Golf Course  
June 19, 2020



Taste of the Region  
Feb 1, 2020



Oktoberfest 2020  
Dinner Auction  
October 24, 2020

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