OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP

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Year of Saint Joseph

To the SPX Community,

You may have heard or read that the Archdiocese and the Parishes are selling some properties to fund the current bankruptcy settlement. That is true. But, we are pleased to announce that the St. Pius X campus will not be lost in that process! We have arranged for financing and have received commitments from donors that, in conjunction with working with the St. Pius X Foundation, will preserve St. Pius X High School now and for many years to come. We want to let you know that our current efforts have been very productive and have led us to high confidence that the goal is well within reach.

In light of this welcome development, we are authorizing the school administration to proceed with signing faculty and other employment contracts for the coming school year. Please remember that the continued success of St. Pius X High School depends largely on sustained enrollment, so we urge you to continue your children’s education at St. Pius X High School. At present our enrollment numbers are lagging significantly for the coming year.

As part of our plan, the curriculum, instruction, administration and operation of the school will be overseen by a new Board of Trustees. Nonetheless, as Archbishop, I will continue to ensure that the school adheres to the theological and moral teaching of our beloved Catholic faith—something no other high school in the area can provide.

We are excited at the prospect that the Catholic community will have many more years providing outstanding education for our youth and for St. Pius X’s legacy to grow. May God bless you and your children and St. Pius X High School, now and always! Congratulations to our graduates. May the Lord be with them always.

Sincerely yours in the Lord,

Most Reverend John C. Wester
Archbishop of Santa Fe