

# SCHOLARSHIPS AT ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

**\$313,383**

awarded in the  
last four years

*We strive to ensure that Catholic  
education is affordable  
for all families.*



27% of our students have received  
scholarships for the 2021-2022 school year.

## SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### EMPOWER IL, INVEST IN KIDS ACT

Available to **ALL** income-eligible families,  
based upon availability of funds on a first  
come, first served basis, pays up to 100%.

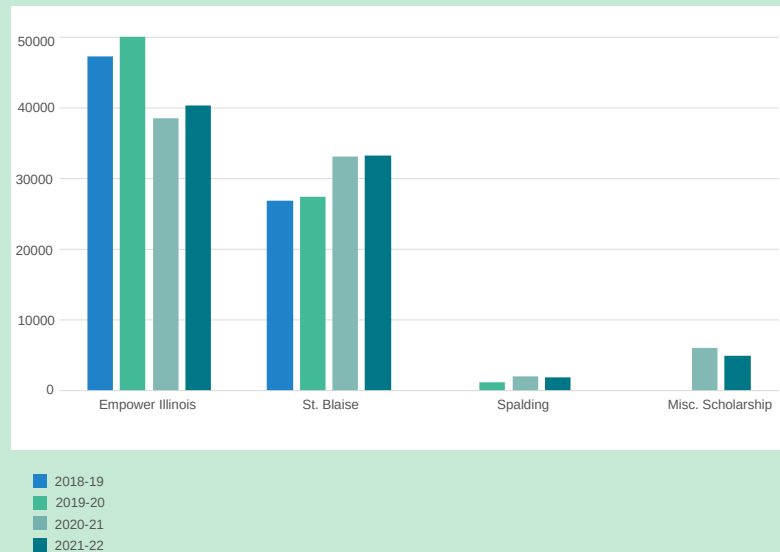
### JOHN LANCASTER SPALDING, DIOCESE OF PEORIA

Available to income-eligible **CATHOLIC** families,  
partial scholarship based upon fund availability.

### ST. BLAISE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Available to **ALL** income-eligible families,  
partial scholarship based upon fund availability.

## SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED



**100%**

Every student,  
regardless of faith,  
receives a tuition  
subsidy from  
St. Mary's Parish.

- Operating expenditure per pupil St. Mary's: \$6,600 (2019-20)
- Operating expenditure per pupil Dist. 429: \$12,828\*
- Operating expenditure per pupil Dist. 90: \$13,432\*
- Operating expenditure per pupil State of IL: \$14,492\*

\*Data Source: Illinois Report Card (2019-2020).

## WAYS TO HELP

- Donations made to Empower Illinois are eligible for a 75% tax credit on State of IL tax return. Matching gifts may be available.
- Donations to the St. Blaise Scholarship Fund may be deductible as a charitable contribution on Federal tax return.
- Donations to the Annual Diocesan Appeal support the John Lancaster Spalding Scholarship funds.

