

Immediate News Release

“I am pleased to announce that Our Lady of Mercy School has been re-accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges “ stated Mr. Scott Fuller, Principal of Our Lady of Mercy School, East Greenwich, RI. “When I arrived at Our Lady of Mercy School five years ago, there was much that needed to be done to further advance and develop the curriculum, instruction, and technology and also to improve the school infrastructure. With the support of Father Healey along with the dedication and hard work of our faculty and staff, our school continues to improve and excel in every way. Accreditation by NEASC is widely known to be the ‘gold standard’. We are overjoyed that Our Lady of Mercy School has indeed met the gold standard!”

Founded in 1885, the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) has been working to establish and maintain high standards for all levels of education longer than any other accreditation agency in the United States. NEASC is an independent, voluntary, nonprofit membership organization which connects and serves over 1500 public, independent, and international learning communities in the US and worldwide. A globally recognized standard of excellence, NEASC Accreditation attests to a school’s high quality and integrity.

Mr. Fuller continued, “I offer my heartfelt thanks to the faculty, students, parents and staff for their unflinching support in this endeavor.” Father Bernard A. Healey, Pastor of Our Lady of Mercy Church and School offered his congratulations to the school community. “On behalf of Father Barrow, the Our Lady of Mercy School Advisory Board, and the entire parish community of Our Lady of Mercy, I offer my congratulations and gratitude to Mr. Fuller for his leadership in this important work for our school. The tremendous dedication and hard work of our faculty, staff, students and parents to make the accreditation process and visit an outstanding success deserves much praise and thanks. The important work of reaccreditation continues to support the Mission of Our Lady of Mercy School in developing our students to excel in academics as they strive to be the future Saints and Scholars of our Church and society.”

With a tradition of excellence in Catholic elementary and middle school education since 1951, Our Lady of Mercy School offers its students an opportunity to pursue excellence in academics, athletics and the arts on their journey as young saints and scholars. Accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, the Pre-K through Grade 8, co-educational Catholic school located in East Greenwich provides a nurturing, values-driven environment built upon the teachings of the Catholic Church.