

# A St. Mark's Student Is One Who Grows:

## SPIRITUALLY

- Demonstrates a competent understanding of the Catholic faith that guides everyday action and the formation of conscience for moral decision making
- Develops a personal relationship with God through prayer and scripture
- Serves others with a joyful heart, including social justice issues of the Church
- Accepts gifts from God joyfully and returns them in abundance to the Lord

## PHYSICALLY

- Respects the body as a "Temple of the Holy Spirit"
- Identifies and values all aspects of wellness related to a balance of physical, mental and emotional health
- Acknowledges the physical gifts and talents of others, regardless of their ability

## SCHOOL-WIDE LEARNING EXPECTATIONS

## ACADEMICALLY

- Challenges self to produce quality work in order to realize his/her full potential
- Develops a strong work ethic and spirit of perseverance
- Exhibits a joy for learning, a positive attitude and is intrinsically motivated
- Develops a sense of personal responsibility for self; manages time, materials, etc. effectively
- Engages in self-assessment and reflection in order to establish goals and determine progress toward them

## SOCIALLY

- Recognizes that Christ is in everyone, and exhibits a Christ-like behavior towards others
- Possesses positive conflict resolution skills based upon Christ's example
- Respects the differences in others
- Develops an empathy toward the needs of others

## SERVANT LEADERSHIP

- Believes and demonstrates that their life makes a positive difference in the life of others
- Demonstrates common courtesy through hospitality, manners and etiquette
- Understands their role in community while utilizing the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy

## CREATIVELY

- Appreciates and encourages different forms of creativity
- Demonstrates resourcefulness and adaptability when confronted with a challenge

