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SETON CATHOLIC SCHOOL PRAYER SUPPORT TO HAITI

Hudson, Ohio – The Seton Catholic School community will gather in the Seton Chapel to pray the rosary on Wednesday, January 20, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. in offering and petition for the people of Haiti. Those wishing to join the students, faculty, staff, and families for the prayer service are welcome and encouraged to attend.

At this time the U.S. Conference of Bishops and Bishop Richard Lennon of the Diocese of Cleveland have asked that any collections for the people and the Church of Haiti be directed to support the efforts of Catholic Relief Services, the official international humanitarian agency of the U. S. Catholic Church, as CRS responds to the immediate emergency needs for such necessities as water, food, shelter, and medical care, as well as, the long term need to rebuild after widespread destruction.

Catholic Relief Services is already mounting a major emergency response to this severe disaster and has committed an initial \$5 million to fund relief efforts. Checks can be made out to **Catholic Relief Services** and in the memo portion, please write, *Haiti Earthquake*: Catholic Relief Services, P.O. Box 17090, Baltimore, Maryland 21203-7090.

“The Seton Student Ministers and Student Council will be working to ultimately perform service projects aligned to true need with specific supplies gathered and sent once the situation is stabilized,” said Sister Helen Weis, Seton assistant principal.

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About Seton Catholic School

Seton Catholic School of Hudson, a U.S. Department of Education 2009 Blue Ribbon School of Excellence, was established in 1996. Seton is an independent regional Catholic school serving 20 communities in Northeast Ohio. A growing student population, kindergarten through grade eight, consists of 410 students for 2009-2010. Graduates have been accepted to and are attending exceptional high schools and colleges. The approved curriculum of the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland and the State of Ohio is the foundation for the program of study at Seton. Seton is a non-profit corporation governed by a Board of Directors. For more information about Seton Catholic School or to schedule an interview with principal, Harry Selner, please contact Communications Director Pat Fritz at 330.342.4200 ext.226 / fritzp@setoncatholicschool.org and visit our website - www.setoncatholicschool.org.