

## Cardinal Gibbons High School Head of School Search Update October 2019

The Head of School Search Committee continues to work to identify the next leader of Cardinal Gibbons High School. The firm of Carney, Sandoe and Associates received approximately 50 applications for the Head of School position. All of those applications were vetted for individuals who were outstanding Catholic leaders in their positions in education. 13 semifinalists were chosen, and their profiles were presented to the search committee on September 16. Search committee members spent a week individually reviewing the qualifications of each of the 13 candidates. Upon meeting on September 23, seven finalists were chosen to proceed to the next round of the search process.

During the month of October, video conference interviews will be conducted with each of the seven finalists so that the search committee may get to know each candidate better. From those seven, three finalists will be chosen for onsite visits to Cardinal Gibbons in November. These onsite visits will include meetings with various stakeholders: students, educators, parents, alumni, and the search committee. All those meeting with the candidates will be provided the opportunity to give feedback concerning the candidate. Candidates will also meet with Bishop Luis Rafael Zarama.

Upon completion of the onsite visits, the search committee will recommend their top candidate to the full Board of Trustees who will in turn make a recommendation to Bishop Zarama who appoints the Head of School for Cardinal Gibbons.

The Cardinal Gibbons Board of Trustees