



DOMINICAN ACADEMY

Catholic College Preparatory School for Girls

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Dear Member of the Dominican Academy Community,

By now you have heard the welcome news that Dominican Academy's President, Sister Margaret Ormond, O.P., has graciously and generously offered to extend her term an additional year to provide the stability and leadership our beloved school requires during the upheaval of the pandemic. We could not be more pleased or grateful. Sister Margaret once again exemplifies what true leadership requires during difficult times. On behalf of the Board of Trustees, we thank Sister Margaret for her collaborative spirit and endless dedication to D.A. and we welcome her steadying presence through the next 2021-2022 school year.

The By-Laws of Dominican Academy direct that it is the Board's responsibility to hire a new President upon the approval of the school's sponsoring Congregation, the Dominican Sisters of Peace. The Board is prepared to take on this most important duty. We look forward to finding a leader who, like Sister Margaret, will guide D.A. in a spirit true to the Dominican charism and will provide the forward thinking needed to take D.A. into the future. We are cognizant of the weight of this task and assure you that we will approach it with steadfast diligence, great humility, and open hearts.

We have begun the process by assembling a President Search Committee, chaired by Kristin Shea '82, P'19, and including current trustees, alumnae, parents and friends of D.A. The committee has already met several times to begin this crucial work. We will keep you apprised of its progress through periodic communications. We also intend to create a presence on the D.A. website where you will find information about the position and updates about the search.

We ask for your prayers as we embark on this mission and ask for God's guidance and wisdom as we seek a new leader.

Peace,

Mary Sullivan, P'13
Chair of the Board of Trustees

Kristin Shea. '82, P'19
Chair of the Search Committee