

Membership Quotes

Our membership in MISF is more important now than ever as we navigate the daily challenges of the pandemic. They not only effectively represent the interests of independent schools on vital and often complex public policy, they provide extraordinary connective support – bringing us together to ensure that none of us has to walk this complicated path alone. We are deeply grateful at Saint John’s Preparatory School for their leadership and guidance!” **Jon McGee, Head of School, Saint John’s Prep, Collegeville**

“Thanks for the friendly welcome. I look forward to learning and growing in my new position and need all the help I can get. I have heard wonderful things about MISF and have logged in successfully.” **Percy Lingen, Principal, School of St. Philip, Litchfield**

“...you've been a great advocate of private schools during this pivotal time in society. Thank you for your tireless efforts to champion the cause of private education and in Heritage Christian Academy's case, private Christian education. The work MISF does is valued!” **Tonya Scott, President, Heritage Christian Academy, Maple Grove**

“I appreciate all the work that you are doing to find answers to these questions. It is for this reason that membership in MISF is so valuable. Thanks for being a resource for us!” **Michael Rogers, President, Risen Christ Catholic School, Minneapolis**

“I never thanked you for your kind note. After forty years of teaching and with thirty-five of those years in administration as well, it’s time for me to step down. It’s been a joy to teach the many young people I’ve had the privilege to serve and an honor to reach their hearts with God’s Word each day. My body, however, is telling me to slow down a little and lower stress levels...my wife is telling me the same thing, so I think I got outvoted. My heart will always be with nonpublic schools and the impact they have on the lives of children. Blessings to you and the staff at MISF. In times like these, nonpublic schools in Minnesota need MISF now more than ever.” **Daniel Whitney, Principal, Trinity Lutheran School, Belle Plaine**

“The leadership MISF provides to Minnesota's nonpublic schools is valuable and insightful. We are blessed by the information being offered by Tim Benz and his team during these very challenging times with an unknown future. With all the drama circling around us, it is good to have positive, assuring and knowledgeable support.” **Sarah Mueller, MNSAA**

“MISF provides value to our membership in ways other organizations do not. I appreciate being connected to the other nonpublic schools and sharing information and ideas together since we, as private schools, have unique challenges.” **Katherine Smith, Liberty Classical Academy**