

**St. Remy Initiative: Professional Development  
for Catholic Educators  
School Team Grant Proposal for 2016-2017**

**Team Members:**

1. Tony Wagner
2. Tracy Hall
3. Pete Dunlap

**School: Lehman Catholic**

Describe your project. How will your project strengthen your school's Catholic identity and/or contribute to improved spiritual leadership?

We are creating an area where teachers can take students outside to work on class activities. This will increase the quality of instruction by getting the teacher and students out of the classroom and into a different environment to learn and teach. We also want to make this an area where staff and student can go and meditate. The area will have benches and a cross with some landscaping. This will be completed by May 2017 or sooner depending on the weather.

1. How does your plan fit in with your Accreditation Goals? Please include at least one criterion from each of the following:

**A. National Standards and Benchmarks for Effective Catholic Schools**

An excellent Catholic school adhering to mission provides a rigorous academic program for religious studies and catechesis in the Catholic faith set within a total academic curriculum that integrates faith culture and life.

**B. Ohio Standards for Professional Development**

High Quality Professional development is evaluated by its short and long termed impact on professional practice and achievement of all students.

C. Accreditation goals, strategic plans, or school needs

2. Define clearly your evaluation plan for your project. **BE SPECIFIC!**

- Be sure to include the total number of participants benefitting/impacted by your school project.

This could impact 200 students and 20 staff. We will evaluate by having a survey completed by students and staff to find out how much it is used. What they liked or disliked about the area. Suggestions for improvement of the area. Also we will ask what kind of activities they did.

3. Action Plan: How will the mini grant dollars be utilized?

Task	Date of Initiation and Duration	People Responsible	Materials or Resources Needed	Cost
Cross construction	May 2017	Tracy Hall	Wood	\$0
Benches	May 2017	Tony Wagner	Purchase Benches	\$300
Landscaping	May 2017	Pete Dunlap	Mulch , Stone, and Tree	\$200

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**TOTAL COST: \$500**

***Thank you!      Proposal Deadline: BY NOON on February 21, 2017***