

## 15 December 2021

Dear Fellow Parents,

Congratulations! On behalf of the Parents Support Group (PSG), I would like to extend a warm welcome to you and your son, for joining St. Gabriel's Secondary School (SGSS).

The PSG comprises parents from the Gabrielite family who come together to support SGSS, to achieve its vision of Shaping Lives for Service to God and Nation, educating and developing our sons to be Servant Leaders, Lifelong learners and Gracious Citizens.

## Our Mission Serving with Pride and Joy

Our Vision
To provide a platform for partnership amongst school, parents and students.

Being a parent volunteer goes beyond lending a helping hand to the school. Our involvement in school activities can boost family bonding and values education at home as it creates opportunities for us to have conversations with our boys about school, teachers and their friends. Our boys may infer that we place great care and importance in school as well as our interest and love for them. They can also pick up positive values on volunteering and giving back to the community.

We can also better support and guide our boys when we are well-informed about what is going on in school. In addition, we gain support from other parents through this network, exchanging parenting tips and demonstrating continuous learning to our boys.

We can also serve as a communication channel for parents to provide constructive feedback to school to finetune practices, all for the betterment of our boys' education in SGSS.

Following the school's adoption of 5 practices of Exemplary Leadership developed by James Kouzes and Barry Posner (K&P), I strongly encourage you to *model the way* with your volunteerism, *enabling each other* in our parenting journey, constructively *challenge the process*, in so doing, *encourage the heart* of all parents and teachers who have the same *shared vision* in producing young men who are servant leaders and gracious citizens who will be a positive asset to our society.

We invite and welcome you to volunteer your time and talents! You can find out about our activities in the school website https://stgabrielssec.moe.edu.sg/people/parents.

We look forward to your active participation with PSG. Together, we can make a positive difference in the lives of our boys. I take this opportunity to wish you and your family a Blessed Christmas and Happy New Year!

Yours sincerely,

Lee Phui Fong Chairperson, SGSS PSG SCAN ME

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