

January 7, 2011

Dear School Parent,

The Diocese of St. Petersburg was made aware of concerns related to the Advent Penance Service before the Christmas break. I want to assure you that Fr. Waters is a respected and dedicated priest of the Diocese of St. Petersburg with whom we have the utmost confidence. Both Father Waters and I have responded to the concerns brought to our attention. The letters clearly explain our position and adequately respond to the questions and concerns that have been expressed. The leadership of both the Cathedral Parish and School are working in collaboration with diocesan offices.

Be assured of our prayers for the entire school community of the Cathedral School.

Sincerely in Christ,

Very Rev. Robert F. Morris

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Vicar General