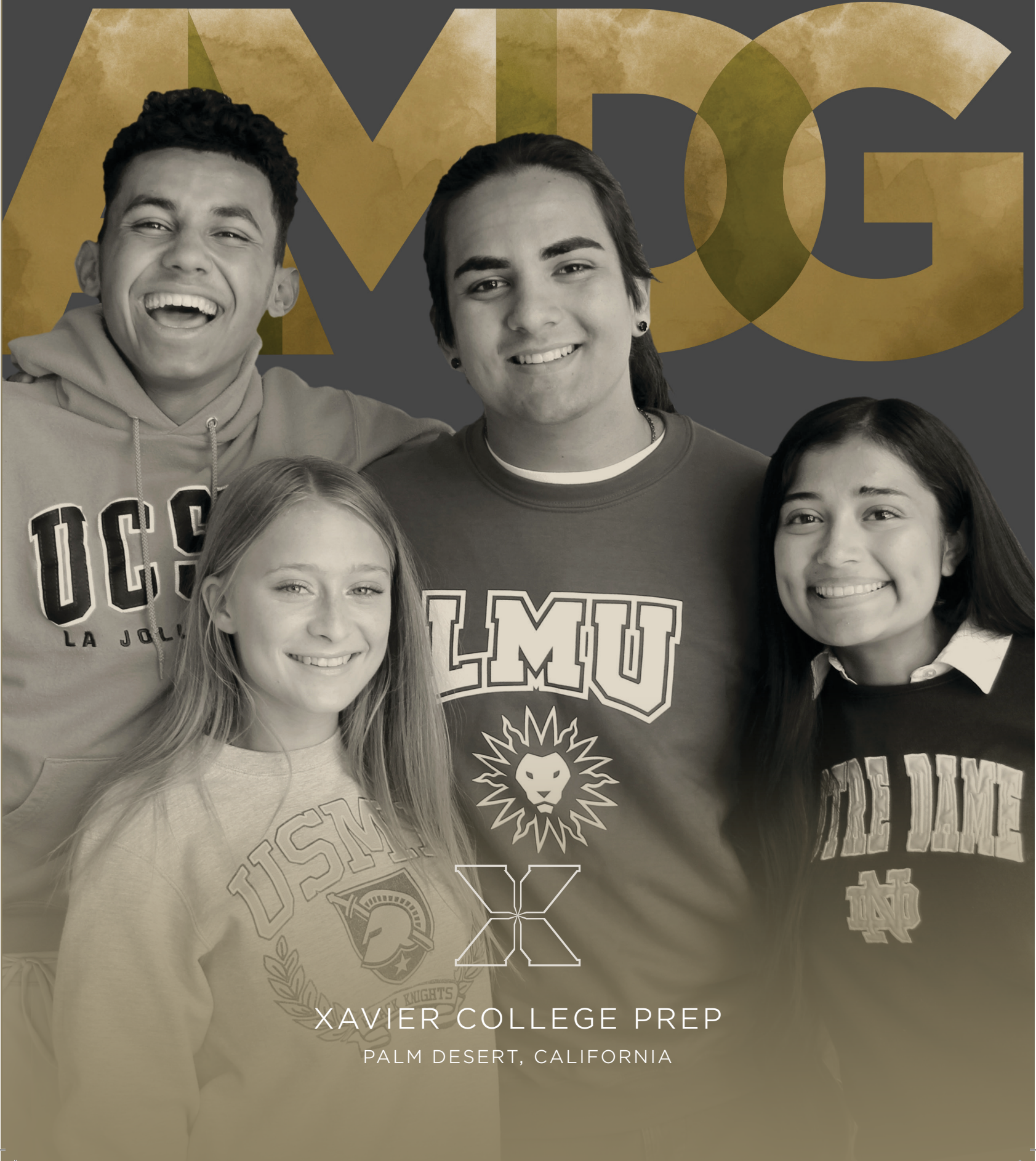


2022 ANNUAL REPORT



XAVIER COLLEGE PREP
PALM DESERT, CALIFORNIA

FROM OUR PRESIDENT

When you read this year's annual report I hope you are as amazed as I am by the legacy of generosity and support from Xavier's benefactors. Along with highlighting various aspects of the Xavier community, this report also tries to express our gratitude for those people who have been supporting our efforts for years, and years, and years.

What may not show up as conspicuously in this report are the efforts people have given of resources that are just as precious (one might even argue more so) as money. They may have given their time. They may have given their talents. They may have donated bottled water for X-Stravaganza, or tamales for Posada, or socks for a clothing drive.

What all these people have in common is a *legacy* of giving. They learned to be generous from someone, maybe a parent or mentor. They learned to give freely of their gifts and talents from someone who showed them how to do so. *Legacy*.

As you read this annual report, I hope you feel connected to the Jesuit legacy of education and the generous use of one's gifts and talents. It dates back to the middle of the 16th century. When Ignatius sent his brothers out to the corners of the world with the commision to "ignite the world," he was starting the legacy that we're a part of today.

You and your legacy of support are a part of that initial spark; you are light and heat and energy that sustain our efforts to form men and women for and with others day in and day out, so that our students might go forth and do the same.

With gratitude,



Chris Alling
President/Principal

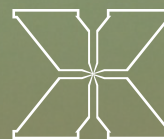
Lucas Harris
Xavier College Prep '23
University of California at San Diego '27

Alexander Kler
Xavier College Prep '23
Loyola Marymount University '27

Catalina Nelson
Xavier College Prep '23
United States Military Academy '27

Audrey Paiz
Xavier College Prep '23
University of Notre Dame '27





INTRODUCTION

XAVIER COLLEGE PREP
PALM DESERT, CALIFORNIA

FOUNDED ON FAITH. AVAILABLE FOR EVERYONE.

Every great endeavor begins with an idea. An idea so compelling, it gives rise to all manner of providence. The continuing story of Xavier College Preparatory High School (“Xavier”) shines brightly. As the only private Jesuit high school in the Coachella Valley, Xavier has forged a reputation for its singular educational experience.

Further, Xavier actively seeks, educates and nurtures young men and women, formed with and for others, from a broad array of backgrounds: ethnic, socio-economic and religious. In that way, our students reflect not an elite enclave but the world they will impact.

VISION AND VALUES IN ACTION.

If you want to change the world, begin with young people. And put your values into action. Our beliefs are not on a plaque but lived daily. Integrity and service. Courage and conviction. Community and compassion. In every effort to learn, every hard-won game, and every act of kindness, we live our values. It’s who we are, what we stand for, and how we deliver on our promises.

Since the first class in 2006, Xavier has developed conscientious leaders and agents of change. How? By developing the whole person: through challenging education, spiritual and religious formation, and co-curricular activities that equip students to succeed.

TABLE OF CONTENTS

<u>PRESIDENT'S LETTER</u>	<u>2</u>
<u>INTRO</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>WHY XAVIER</u>	<u>6</u>
<u>PROGRESS (BY THE NUMBERS)</u>	<u>9</u>
<u>THROUGH THE LENS OF LEGACY</u>	<u>11</u>
<u>STORY 1: THE MORTON/WALTON FAMILY</u>	<u>12</u>
<u>COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES</u>	<u>14</u>
<u>STORY 2: THE VELASQUEZ FAMILY</u>	<u>16</u>
<u>EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES</u>	<u>18</u>
<u>STORY 3: THE GIST FAMILY</u>	<u>20</u>
<u>ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS</u>	<u>22</u>
<u>STORY 4: THE VUKSIC FAMILY</u>	<u>26</u>
<u>EXPANSION</u>	<u>28</u>
<u>ANNUAL/LIFETIME GIVING</u>	<u>32</u>
<u>OUR MISSION</u>	<u>40</u>

BORN OF A HISTORIC LEGACY.

Conceived in the spirit of Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Saint Francis Xavier and others, Xavier has been guided by divine direction. In the 16th century, St. Ignatius wrote *The Spiritual Exercises*, a book and program for disciplined, prayerful discernment. When Jesuits later formally entered education, they published *The Ratio Studiorum*, describing the rigorous program of academic studies still characteristic of Jesuit education around the world. Much later, the Jesuit Secondary Educational Association (JSEA) published in the 20th century "The Foundations," writings that explained in modern language the larger goals of Jesuit education.

Xavier and all Jesuit schools in the Jesuit Schools Network are living dynamic examples of these texts. We root our efforts in the Spirituality of St. Ignatius from The Exercises. We may not teach Latin and Greek and Rhetoric, per se, yet our studies are grounded in the critical thinking skills that have been hallmarks of Jesuit education since the 16th century.

INSPIRING THE NEXT GENERATION.

For the past sixteen years, we have never lost sight - not for one minute - of our commitment to educate. Xavier continues to inspire the next generation as our students in turn inspire us.

Welcome to Xavier College Prep. A place for everyone.



WHY XAVIER

MAKING THE GREATER GOOD BETTER.

Our mission is to cultivate students who are not only intellectually competent but also open to growth, religious, committed to justice, and loving and compassionate. Beyond lofty words, these are our deepest desires for every graduate at graduation. Over the past few years, we've also been humbled and inspired by the resiliency of our students as they've adapted to different learning environments.

We exist to help every student who walks through our doors reach his or her full potential. Our education juxtaposes the dynamics of tradition and innovation. Of familiar principles with new ways of seeing. Through it all, we work to develop students who lead with love as they serve the greater good.

AGILITY: NAVIGATING A NEW NORMAL.

Hardly anyone could have predicted the gauntlet of the past few years. While our public health challenge isn't over, we remain undaunted. Navigating a new normal, our students have learned through life experience and meaningful dialogue that, working together, we can adapt and triumph. These are invaluable life lessons.

LEARNING HAPPENS EVERYWHERE.

A sense of place once defined by only four walls has given way to classes held outdoors, on screens and, of course, in traditional classrooms. As we find ways to meet and learn, the bonds that unite us - and reinforce our sense of belonging - have never been more robust.

We've learned that we need breaks and time to process. We also need, more than ever, social, psychological and emotional support. As our dedicated teachers take the lead, we redefine the concept of connection. Always, keeping our student family and community front and center.

CLARITY AND DISCERNMENT.

To think clearly and decide well, to consider our shared humanity, to forge a path based on foresight and insight; for anyone, these are not small things. For a teenager, they are pivotal. Shaped by clarity and discernment, our educational experience lasts a lifetime.


A RIPPLE EFFECT.


Whether someone is studying in the Student Commons, walking on the field for practice or gathering to meet a friend, every activity seeks to nurture our students. Our students go into the world confident they can make a difference. And they do. For every graduate, there is a ripple effect expanding into the world to help others. That's the power of Xavier.

COMMUNITY. COLLABORATION. TRUST.

We value every individual in our constellation of people. Community and collaboration fuel our work. Whether a student or donor, a parent or teacher, an administrator or partner, your contribution of time, talent or funds - your very presence in our community - means everything.




Thank you for
making our
dreams a reality.


Thank you for
supporting us!

By the numbers.

As you can imagine, our growth is a work in progress. Continuing to grow, Xavier builds for the future. We are methodically redeveloping the school's master plan to facilitate Xavier's expansion and include a building with classrooms and gathering spaces. As our campus evolves, so do our many offerings and accomplishments. Here, then, is a summary of Xavier's progress.

98%

of our graduates attend a four-year college



More than FOURTEEN MILLION!

awarded in merit-based college scholarships for the class of 2023



We have educated and graduated **1,537 students** to date

Xavier provided need-based tuition

to 54%

of its students in 2021-2022



Xavier educates 37% of first generation students from various socio-economic backgrounds who go on to college. All share the same desire to grow, making use of their God-given gifts and talents.

577

students



27

advanced placement courses

10:1

student to teacher ratio



ONE HUNDRED FOURTY FIVE SENIORS

ready for graduation!

28

HONORS COURSES



SIX COLLEGE COUNSELORS



FOR 577 STUDENTS





THROUGH THE LENS OF LEGACY.

We can all agree, that to take root and succeed, our work requires vision, investment, and dedication. As the Coachella Valley's only Jesuit high school, all of us at Xavier College Preparatory High School are proud to advance our continuing contributions.

Whether our generations of families, the longstanding list of donors, or our close-knit community, we are endlessly grateful for the profound support. Especially from those who believed in our mission from the start. This generosity empowers Xavier's commitment to educate a diverse population, and our faith-based development of the whole person. All of which enables us to form young men and women who change the world.

If you are a member of our Xavier family, thank you. If you're considering joining us, we invite your participation. As we celebrate the theme of legacy, know that all of you are essential to this exciting evolution. Today, and for many decades to come.

We are pleased to present this Annual Report. As always, thank you for your support!

XAVIER LEGACY

THE MORTON/ WALTON FAMILY

WHAT BECOMES A LEGACY?

Is it the quest to serve future generations, to make an enduring contribution? We think so. For Jenn and Michael Walton, and Jenn's mom, Carol Morton, the promise of a Jesuit high school was exactly that. As well as an investment in the future.

"We felt that Xavier was an absolute necessity; we wanted a Catholic high school here in the desert," says Carol Morton, "Xavier received tremendous support from the community. It was very God-directed."

Her daughter, Jenn Walton, who has worked tirelessly at Sacred Heart School, is now in her 18th year there. She is a student services coordinator and resource specialist for the school, committed to advancing a Catholic School education. Her dedication is palpable.

"I feel I serve as a liaison between parents and students here (at Sacred Heart School), and between faculty and students at Xavier," she explains. For Jenn, forging a legacy is crystal-clear. "It's about leaving things better than when you found them."

Michael, similarly, feels that creating a legacy means you improve everything around you. "When I think of legacy, I think of the ability to make a difference while you're there, and to create an opportunity for whomever follows you to make a difference, too."

Long before Xavier had built its first classroom, Carol had served on the Xavier board, happy to support a school in whose mission she wholeheartedly believed. From the beginning, she has been a beacon of light. "I'd known the Rover family, parishioners at Sacred

Heart," Carol explains. "There was never any doubt that Xavier was a sure thing. DoeDee was instrumental in keeping us on-track ... everyone on the board felt it would be a win for the entire Coachella Valley."

Perhaps the greatest testimonial comes from Jenn and Michael's daughter, Carol's granddaughter, Callie, who graduates from Sacred Heart this year. She will attend Xavier beginning Fall of 2023, ready to begin her long-anticipated high school experience.

"I'm excited. I've been at Sacred Heart my whole life, and my best friend is going," says Callie. "It's nice to have it half and half: I know some people but there will be new people, too."

Among her many anticipated endeavors are sports. "I want to play soccer and volleyball, and maybe run track." Callie also appreciates the transition this past year from remote to in-person learning.

"I'm a social person, so having my friends and teachers with me in-person is important," says the 14-year-old eighth grader. A pure delight, Callie will be an exceptional addition to the Xavier freshman class.

Through the years, Carol has been a fan of Xavier's approach. "The discipline students learn is so important during these four years in high school," she says, "practicing that every day, and making it a part of what you do for your life, supports the foundations of these students." She adds, "they take that out into the world." Michael also sees the strong connections between their family's generations.



“Callie is proud of her mom and grandma,” he says, “who’ve helped create many programs for the schools.” Jenn has been a force.

“We strive to make sure students who are academically, emotionally or physically challenged are just as welcome at Xavier as anyone else,” she explains. “God doesn’t see them any differently and Xavier doesn’t either. I hope we’ve helped in that process.”

Of the programs Jenn has coordinated, she shares that Xavier’s meaningful retreats show her students what’s possible. “Coach Dockery came to speak to our children. He brought the Xavier National Honors Society faculty and seniors. They did a retreat on integrity, with speakers who addressed our eighth graders, and another group speaking to our sixth and seventh graders,” she explains. “There were 16 groups in all.” The children gained “insights into integrity, values, foundations, and decision-making.”

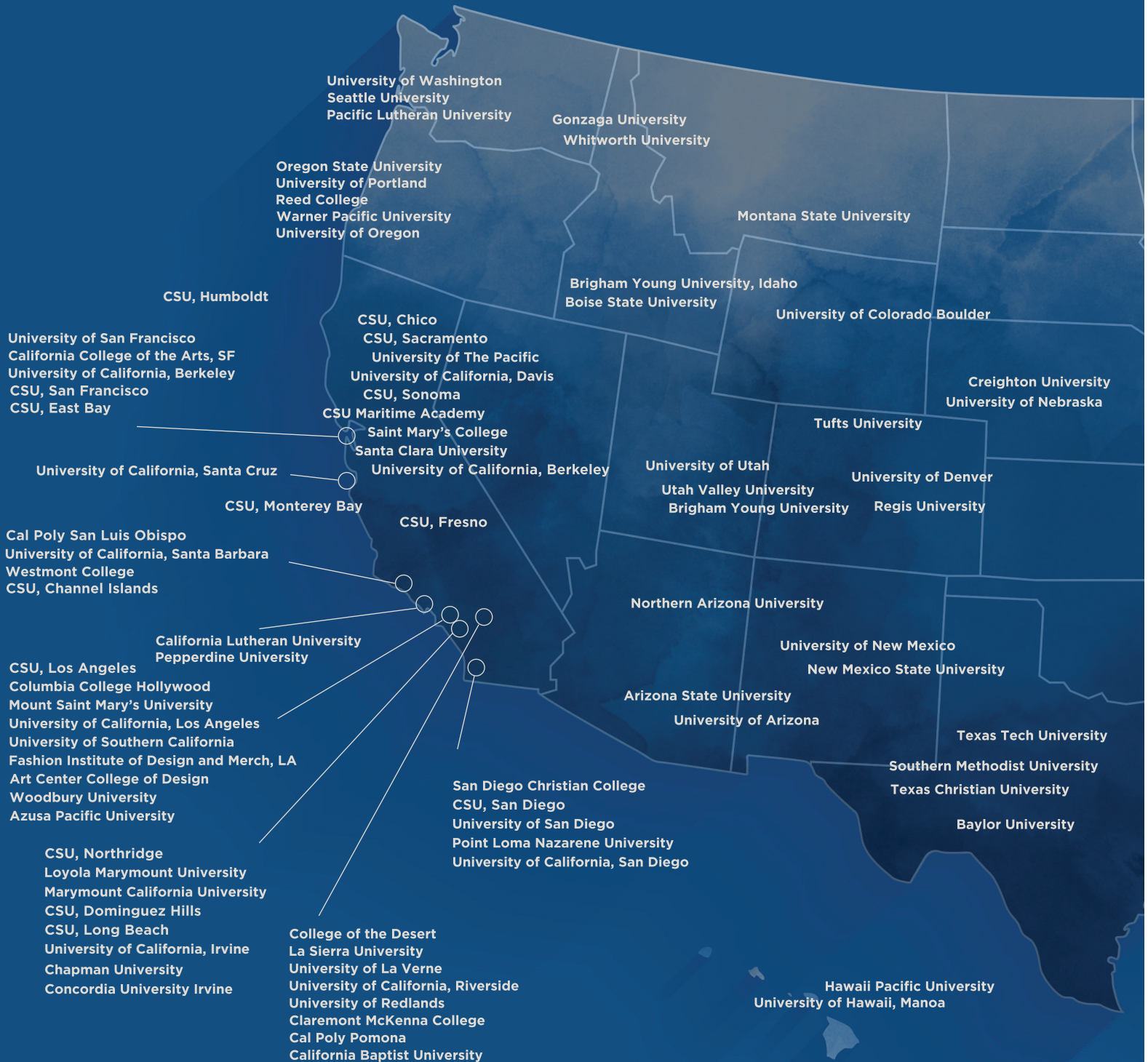
Callie’s class, who will graduate Xavier in 2027, has been at Sacred Heart since preschool. The Kinder Field Trip helped plant the seeds at a young age, and now they’re ready to flourish. Jenn shares the kindergarten children wore t-shirts that said Class of 2027. “Some 35 of the 70 children went on the kindergarten field trip to Xavier,” explains Jenn. “Callie’s grade is one of our most solid groups.” Carol couldn’t be more pleased.

“Every year watching the school grow has been lovely,” she says. “Xavier cements students with ideals, beliefs, and a strong education with a Catholic background.”

Jenn knows that a religious education works. “I’ve seen the results: all those kids that have graduated – the accomplishments not only at Xavier but also at the university level,” she says. “They’re earning money, and they’re happy.” Jenn’s previous students continue to excel in multiple career paths.

“Xavier is at the top of the list in all ways,” says Carol, “it has been a joy to watch the school be as successful as it is.” The legacy takes root and becomes something profound. Something which, most of all, endures.

Our Saints go marching!



Class of 2022

145 GRADS

We could not be more proud of the college acceptances our students have earned. The results of four years of Herculean effort, our students' college acceptances are tangible, impressive and, above all, well-earned.



**OVER
\$14 MILLION
IN SCHOLARSHIPS**

XAVIER LEGACY

THE VELASQUEZ FAMILY

XAVIER'S IMPACT COMES FULL CIRCLE.

Nick and Denise Velasquez are a testament to the virtues of the Xavier experience. Having met as high school students, they reconnected and got married in their 20s after Denise graduated from Santa Clara University. Founded in 1851 and California's oldest operating institution of higher learning, Santa Clara is a highly-respected private Jesuit university where Denise could continue her education.

Having both graduated Xavier in 2011, part of the second class, the couple is quick to credit Xavier for each of their respective journeys.

"When I attended Xavier as a student, I had come from a public school system," Denise says. "Xavier was a whole different reality; I wanted to be with my friends at the public school," she explains, "but Xavier soon had a very special place in our hearts and a huge influence in our lives."

Nick points out the care and conscientiousness of the teachers. "I valued that one-on-one attention I received as a student," he says, "teachers took the time to get to know students and help them push past challenges so they could live up to their potential."

Denise echoes the sentiment and references the donations of generous givers who made possible her Xavier education. "We couldn't have done it without the financial support of donors," she explains. "My mom was a single mom. Without the donors' help, I wouldn't have been able to go." With four generations of their family in the Coachella Valley, both Nick and Denise were the first in their families to attend Xavier (they had siblings who subsequently attended). All these years later, Denise is a vital part of Xavier.

Denise is in her eighth year teaching at Xavier, currently in the pre-AP science area. She had intended to go to medical school but realized halfway through college she was not passionate about becoming a doctor. As it turns out, here is what she IS passionate about: teaching. An integral part of Xavier's faculty, Denise teaches with the same rigorous academic excellence, complemented by a warm, welcoming culture, that she received as a student.

"I'm a science nerd so I love teaching it," explains Denise. "It's so rewarding that students love coming to my class; I enjoy making connections with students ... I'm seeing them at the beginning of their journey because I teach freshmen." She adds, "I remind myself how much I grew in those four years at Xavier."

Nick, who worked on Xavier's staff from 2016 to 2022 in security and "to fill the gaps" with what was needed, is now at Eisenhower Health. Together, Denise and Nick are forming, literally, three future Xavier students. They have three children under the age of four: Camilla, the oldest, and the twins, Araya and Ezekiel, just one-and-a-half. Let's just say they're very, very busy.

On access to a private Jesuit education, Nick sees the big picture. "It's important for people to look past the tuition, to see the whole experience, and trust the process," he says. "If it's God's plan that certain students are meant to go to Xavier, they will."



Denise's favorite Xavier memories include the extracurriculars. "The Kairos retreats! We went to several, and they had a big effect on us," she says. "We attended the third one (K3) and I led the fourth one. Denise continues, "coming back as a teacher, I led my own K retreats. It's wonderful to see it from that perspective."

As Nick shares, "we both led a junior retreat as students and as faculty." Nick and Denise have been moved by the embrace of Xavier's community.



Nick and Denise at their 2011 Xavier graduation.

"Now that I teach at Xavier, the whole faculty and staff have their arms open to our children," says Denise. "They are a part of our lives." She adds, "whether it's a tragedy or a happy occasion, the school is loving and supportive." Nick agrees. "When people need prayers, Xavier is the first to offer them," he says. "Xavier always comes together as a community." Denise reflects on their journey since high school.

"Our story is humbling," she says, "to see how much we've grown since we were 14 and 15 years old. Xavier has had a huge impact in our lives."

For Nick and Denise Velasquez, the Xavier legacy comes full circle: as former students, as faculty, and one day, when their toddlers become teenagers, as parents.



EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The height of a well-rounded experience.



Visual and Performing Arts

The arts are alive.

Our visual and performing arts students are a testament to artistry and talent. Students' work is showcased in various competitions, exhibitions and shows. Our Xavier students' achievements are part of the Scholastic's Art and Writing Awards; this includes both regional and national venues.

Among the many competitions are the Palm Springs Art Museum Creativity and Scholarship Awards Program, the National Jesuit 4x5 Art Exhibit, the Vans Custom Culture Competition, and the Congressional Art Competition.

At Xavier, the arts are alive and well.

In keeping with our philosophy of developing the whole person, our students' many activities are an integral part of the Xavier experience. Whether community service, art, athletics or other extracurricular achievements, we cheer every win, big or small. As each student triumphs in his or her own way, we celebrate commitment, creativity and grit.

XAVIER LEGACY

THE GIST FAMILY

TIME-HONORED. FUTURE-FORWARD.

It is a yearslong legacy, remarkable by any measure. The Gist and Bianco story is one of hard work, business savvy, philanthropy, and above all, family. Their generous support of Xavier goes way back, starting with Francesca's parents, Harlene and Robert O. "Bobby" Bianco. As always, it's about family.

"It feels like our family at Xavier," explains Francesca. "You want everyone to share that faith, of having their arms around you." Jonathan agrees. "Xavier knows our children not just as students but as people."

Jonathan and Francesca Gist are proud parents whose three sons, Bobby, Franky and Anthony, carry on their family's good work. Bobby, the oldest, graduated from Xavier and attended Holy Cross, and both Franky, a senior, and Anthony, a freshman, are currently students at Xavier. Their young daughter, Vincenza, in the sixth grade at Sacred Heart, will be a Xavier student in the not-too-distant future.

Franky, who is now receiving acceptances from multiple colleges and universities, has come into his own at Xavier. "Franky has really grown in the last year and a half," shares Jonathan. For Anthony's part, he transitioned easily from middle school to high school. "He loves it," Francesca shares, "it helps that teachers know his older brother."

All of them value education. Francesca, like her father, graduated from the University of Notre Dame. She is confident about placing her faith in Xavier. "I trust they have our kids' best interest in mind," she says. "They want the best for our children."

Urged by her father, Jonathan and Francesca moved to the desert years ago when they had small children. "We had babies and were living in LA at the time," explains Francesca, "my dad wanted us to move to the Coachella Valley." And so they did, and never looked back.

The family's love affair with Xavier began, as alluded to, when Bobby and Harlene gave generously to help establish the school. Though they are no longer with us, the Biancos' support mattered. Without hesitation, they donated from their thriving agricultural business, Anthony Vineyards, to help Xavier realize its vision as the Valley's only private Jesuit high school. Their financial and professional triumph is itself a pivotal story, a tribute to the American Dream.

The Bianco family left Italy for New York in the early part of the century, working in the New York produce market. They then moved west to California, where the produce was grown. Anthony Bianco left New York in the early 1940s with his wife and eight children, relocating to Fresno. Decades later, some of the family moved to the desert in 1969 to start their agricultural business here. The four Bianco sons, who worked for Francesca's grandfather, pooled their money to buy 100 acres of land in the East Valley. The rest, as we all know, is history.

Anthony Vineyards has become one of the world's leading growers of table grapes, and a major employer that has for many years supported thousands of farmworkers and their families. Xavier has been a fortunate benefactor because the Biancos understood the dream. There is no doubt that Bobby's unexpected death two years ago, seven months after his beloved Harlene passed, was a loss of incalculable magnitude. But what remains is his magnificent, undeniable legacy.



Much like their parents, Jonathan and Francesca honor the passed-down traditions from their grandfather's Italian family. Francesca notes that their children spent a good deal of time with their grandfather, especially over the past two years.

Jonathan, who grew up in the Chicago area, articulates how Catholic high schools have such a good reputation and close-knit community. "You have multiple generations who all went to the same high school because they lived in the same neighborhood for years," he says. "When I first learned they were building Xavier from scratch, I thought this is a place where we can provide that same opportunity to our children."

As Jonathan says, the Gist family is committed to supporting Xavier and its mission. "We hope to add to the Bianco family legacy of giving, and add to it at Xavier."

When the Gists moved out from LA, Jonathan took a job in sales at Anthony Vineyards, and now works out in the field, overseeing all labor. The Gists are clear, though, that their children should go into the business only if it calls to them.

These days, they are happy to see the students in-person, all together. As Jonathan says, "things are back to normal ... you walk on campus and you feel the school spirit."

Bobby and Harlene were recently honored posthumously for their monumental contributions as Champions of Youth to the Boys and Girls Club of the Coachella Valley. Bobby, who served on the Board of directors since 1974, was chairman for 25 years. The Biancos donated to numerous organizations with the highest form of giving: anonymously.

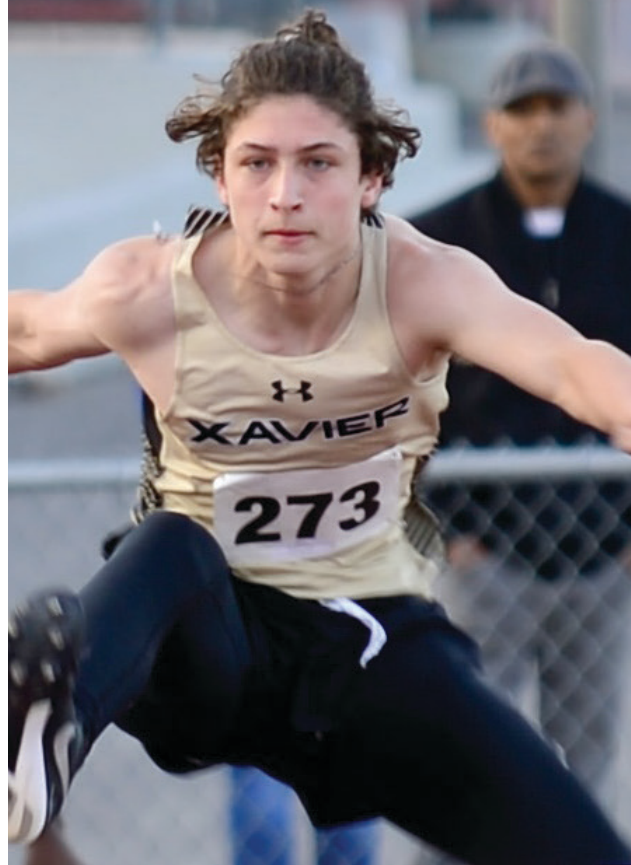
Among the many things the Gist family appreciates at Xavier is its commitment to faith. They believe religion embodies a partnership between parents and faculty. As Francesca says, it's about "teaching children to love God and be good humans."

They are guided by family values, faith, and love -- for each other and everyone around them. The legacy of contribution, both time-honored and looking forward, lives on.

ATHLETICS

The true measure of a Saint.

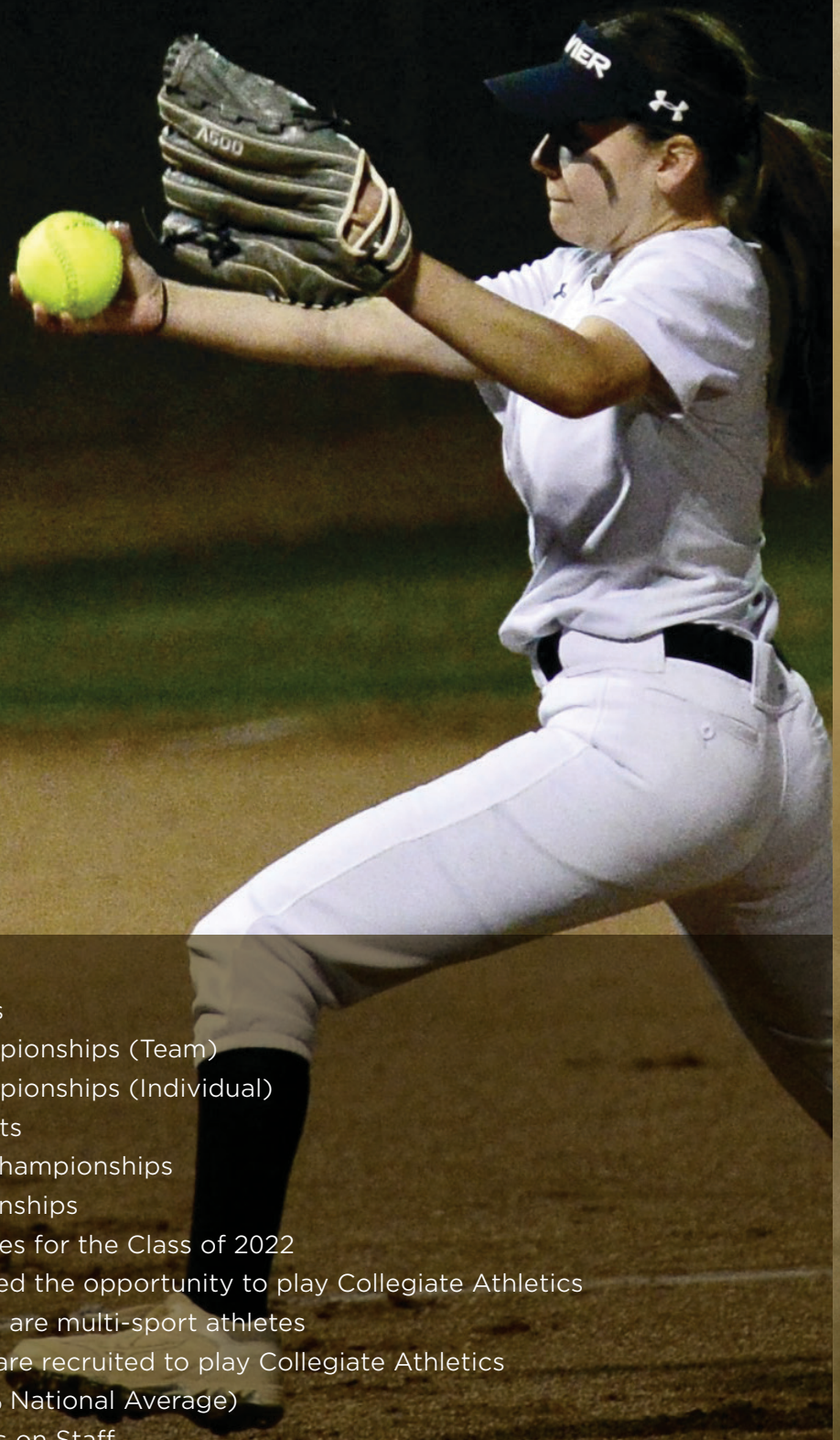
Xavier's athletic program is built on character, discipline and work ethic. For its size, you'd be hard-pressed to find a school with so many accolades, and Xavier's athletic teams make themselves felt in any competition. Yet while the victories accrue, Athletic Director and Assistant Principal Mark Campbell eloquently sums up Xavier's athletic philosophy.



“The true measure of what it means to be a Xavier Saint is not on the scoreboard; rather, it is how we treat our teammates, opponents and one another.” – Mark Campbell







- 28 Varsity Sports
- 25 League Championships (Team)
- 79 League Championships (Individual)
- 35 CIF-SS Finalists
- 4 CIF-SS Team Championships
- 2 State Championships
- 15 Signed Athletes for the Class of 2022
- 83 Athletes earned the opportunity to play Collegiate Athletics
- 80% of our Saints are multi-sport athletes
- 8% of our Saints are recruited to play Collegiate Athletics (Compared to 2% National Average)
- 25 Head Coaches on Staff
- 49 Assistant Coaches on Staff
- 11 Coaches hold Masters Degrees
- 14 Coaches played Collegiate Athletics
- 6 Coaches played Professional Athletics

XAVIER LEGACY

THE VUKSIC FAMILY

HOW TO BUILD A LEGACY: DESIGN IT.

You'd be hard-pressed to find a family as productive and creative as the Vuksics. For starters, John Vuksic, a partner in Palm Desert-based architectural firm PVG Architects, has been involved in numerous Xavier campus projects. John's wife, Leigh Ann, heads up the firm's interior design services, and now, their youngest child, Stark, a 2019 Xavier graduate, is pursuing an advanced degree in architecture at the University of Oregon.

Add to that what John Vuksic and his family affectionately refer to as The Crew: all four of his children attended Xavier: Paige, Lindsey, Avery, and Stark, plus three of their four significant others. Two spouses and a girlfriend all attended Xavier. Only one spouse is the odd man out, having not attended Xavier. Still, that's a sports team in the making.

But it doesn't end there. Following in his father's illustrious footsteps, Stark not only graduates with a degree in architecture in 2024 (including two minors in business and interior architecture) but also is designing his first official project: Xavier's Sports Plaza.

Call it a legacy made visible. As part of the continuing campus expansion, Stark's ability to design projects for his favorite high school is nothing short of exhilarating.

"I feel like it's an opportunity to impact the school I love," Stark explains, "I'm able to see it grow; it makes me excited for all the future generations." He continues.

"I got to meet with DoeDee and Mr. Campbell on the project," he shares, brimming with enthusiasm. When

completed, Xavier's Sports Plaza will include five beach volleyball courts, an indoor practice field, with a protected environment for harsh weather, and areas that connect with the softball and baseball facilities. For his part, John is filled with gratitude for the many advantages Xavier has given to his children.

"Xavier is like a family. The faculty has been so involved with my kids' lives and their growth," explains John. "I'm extremely grateful for that. Xavier has been instrumental in shaping the people they've become."

The sense of appreciation is not lost on Stark, who comments on his positive relationships with his teachers. "What's great about Xavier is how the teachers want you to do well," says Stark. "I consider myself good friends with all the teachers I had," he says. Not too many graduates these days can say that. But then again, not too many high schools are Xavier.

On deciding to pursue architecture, a very specialized major, Stark has clarity and conviction. "Once I was in the weeds, it felt right," he explains. "It's a way for me to express myself and explore my creativity in a field that's challenging." He loves the college environment and is eager to give back to Xavier.



In addition, John continues to design the campus's future additions. "I've been involved with Xavier on many projects over the years," he explains. "The most recent Xavier masterplan includes The Great Hall, The Chapel, the swim complex, and amenities for the football field." John is elated about his son's achievements.

"I like to say Stark is wise beyond his years," says John, "he expresses himself so much better than I do, it's not even close," he comments, adding, "I couldn't be more proud."

Stark looks back fondly on his years at Xavier. "I loved when I was an upperclassman and talking to the freshmen, mostly soccer players: I wanted them to do their best," he says. "Now it's about how can I impact the school as a whole?" Stark jokes about consulting with his father and partners.

"I talk to the Big Kahunas a lot," he says, "about how to adjust the master plan to fit everything. Xavier has so much potential, we all want to see them succeed ..." Stark is looking forward to creating a space for events that was once a gravel lot.

"I feel like I've achieved a lot. I have one more year after this," says Stark. "I'll see where life takes me. I'm glad to be in a field that's expanding." He is inspired to do great work and to make his mark.

"It's great to see Stark excited to be a part of Xavier's growth through design," says John.

Just think of all the future generations who will enjoy attending Xavier as its campus continues to expand. Here's to the power of family, impact, and designing a legacy.



EXPANSION

Join us in an exciting endeavor.

Xavier's thoughtfully considered campus expansion is the cornerstone for our continued growth. Both an increasing student population and evolving academic and co-curricular programs require us to accommodate growing demand. Something we could have only hoped for many years ago. We're excited to share our proposed steps for the next chapter.

Proposed Great Hall: most urgently needed is the Great Hall. The planned 63,000 sq. ft. building will provide 13 classrooms, a venue/kitchen for dining and events, and a long sought-after larger common area. With a space to forge relationships and develop vital life skills, here students can convene to collaborate and socialize daily. There will be display cases for trophies, a place to showcase Xavier's history, and staff offices that support our students and their families. Moreover, the mezzanine level will offer a quiet space for study and a balcony to view Xavier's home games.

Proposed Competition Field Stadium: at the heart of our campus. Transforming our existing football venue into a permanent facility, the stadium will host all field events. Bleacher systems for visitors and home guests with lighting for night games are planned. Home bleachers will include bathrooms and a revenue-producing snack bar below. The stadium area will provide a place to host youth football and soccer for the community as well as a setting for family picnics and outreach events. It'll be the home of the Saints!

Proposed Indoor Sports Complex: the complex will provide a protected training space for our athletes. Shielded from the extreme heat and windy weather, our athletes can thrive. The goal is to strengthen injury prevention and optimize game-day performance.



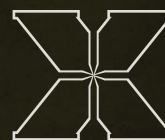
Proposed Great Hall

Proposed Chapel Building: a multipurpose facility, the space would function as an essential part of our Xavier experience. With additional classrooms, room for retreats and meetings, campus ministry, and a service and immersion center, the proposed building would be utilized every day. We would host Companions' Dinners and smaller events as well. And while we believe our chapel is wherever we gather to pray and reflect, we're inspired to designate a formal venue.

Proposed Swim and Water Polo Complex: designed not only for our student practices and hosted competitions but also for the public. The complex would be a community asset for all to enjoy. From swimming lessons to water aquatics for seniors, the complex would provide opportunities to generate revenue.

Proposed Performing Arts Building: a dedicated building to house numerous practice sessions and of course shows. This will provide a beautiful site for the calendared events scheduled throughout the year.

We envision that our next phase will look and feel like the Xavier that has graduated almost 1,500 students. A place that promises, above all, to impact the lives of thousands more to come.

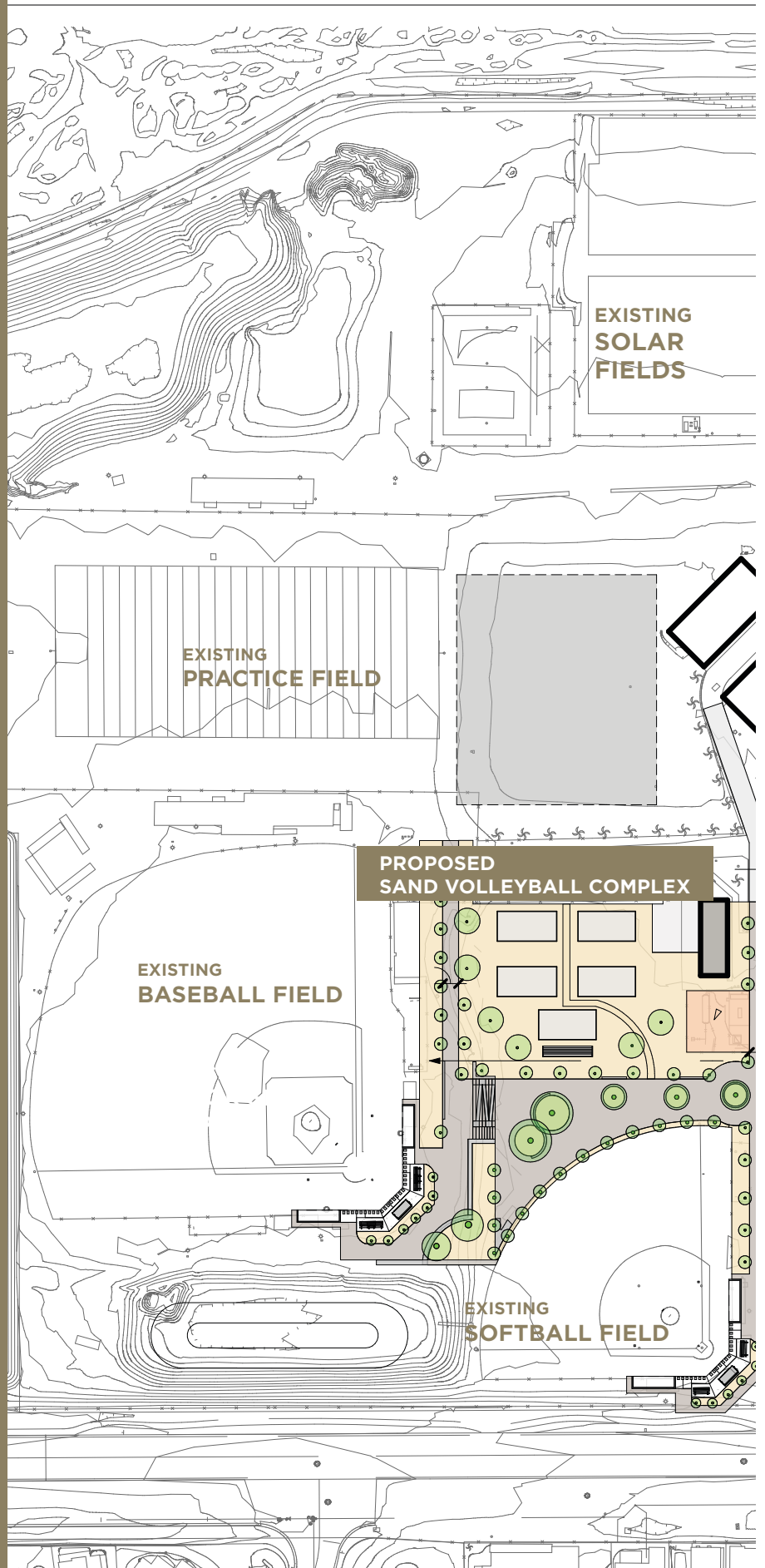


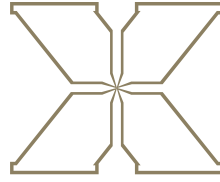
XAVIER COLLEGE PREP

An invitation to participate.

Interested in the next phase of our campus growth? Let's talk. If you are called to be a giving partner in Xavier's expansion, we'd love to hear from you. Naming opportunities are also available. We invite you to participate!

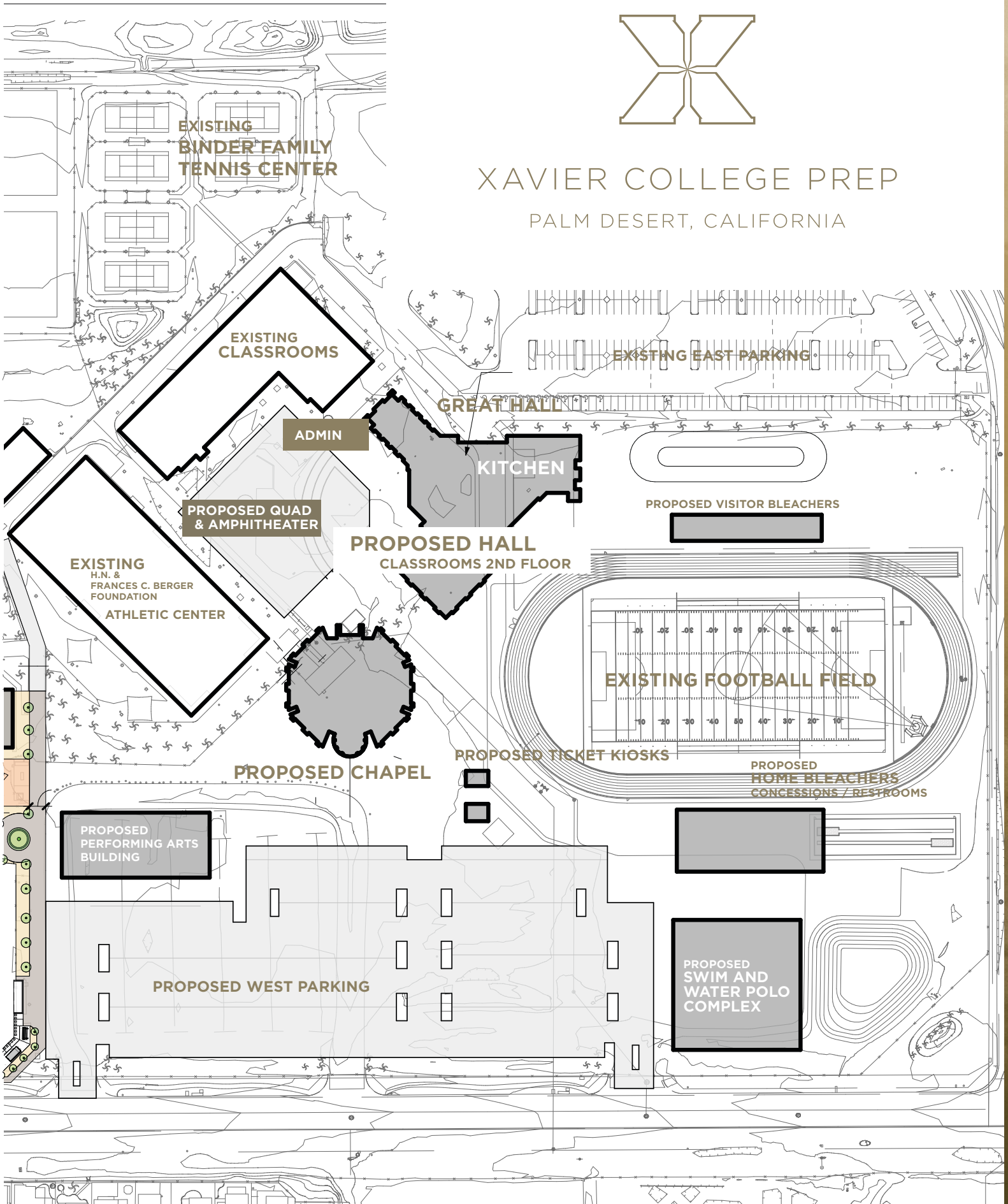
For information on giving or special naming opportunities, please contact DoeDee Rover our Vice President of Advancement at 760.601.3900, ext. 6031.





XAVIER COLLEGE PREP

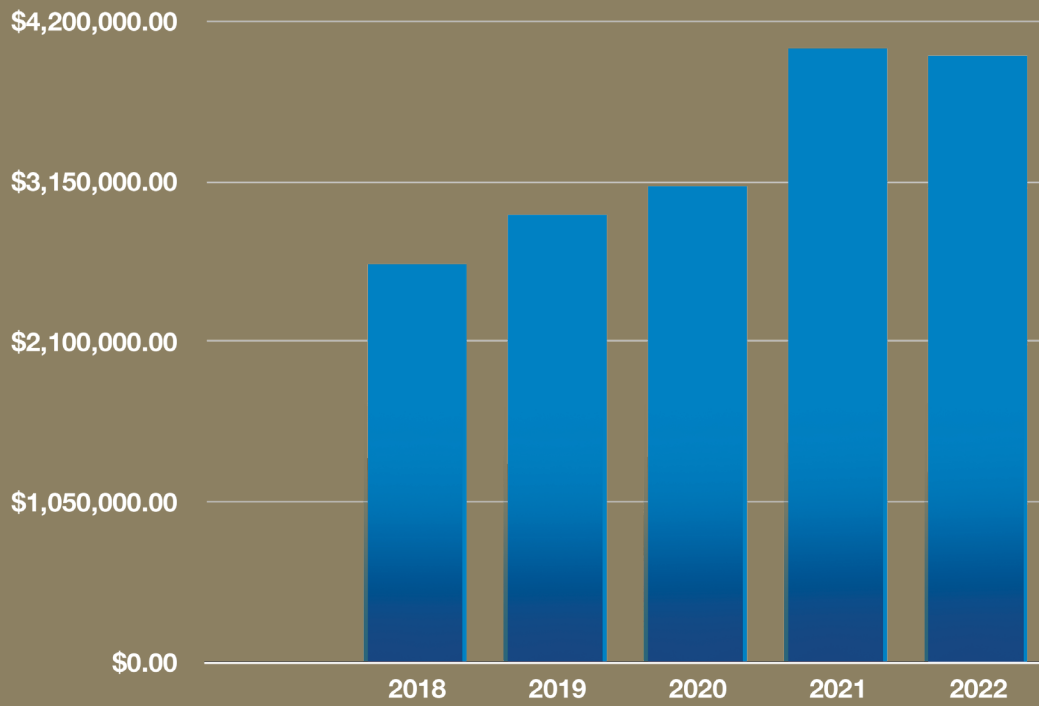
PALM DESERT, CALIFORNIA

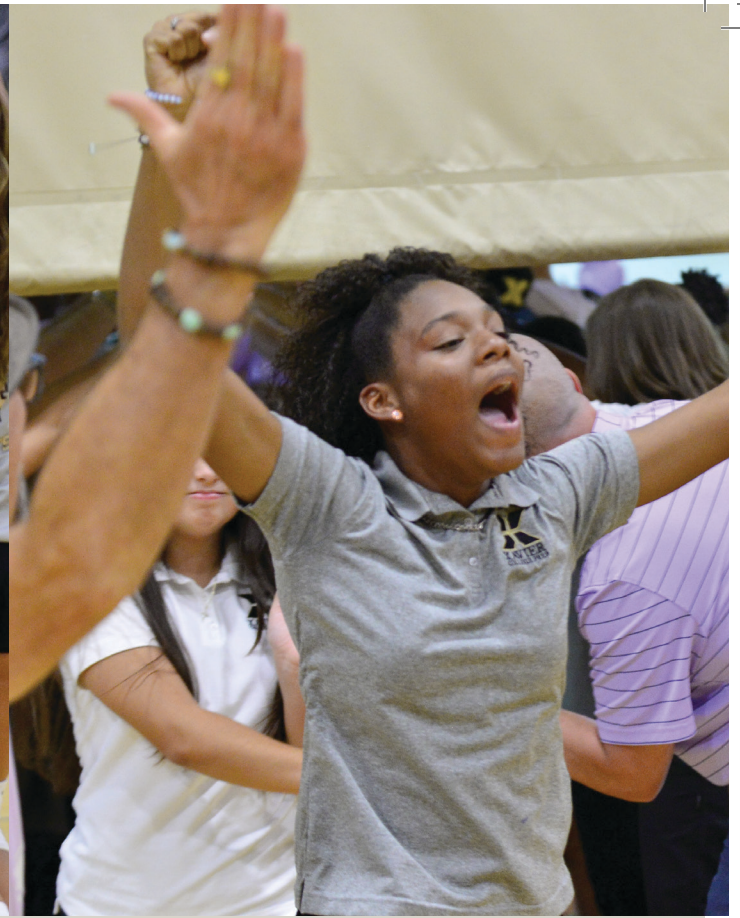


XAVIER COLLEGE

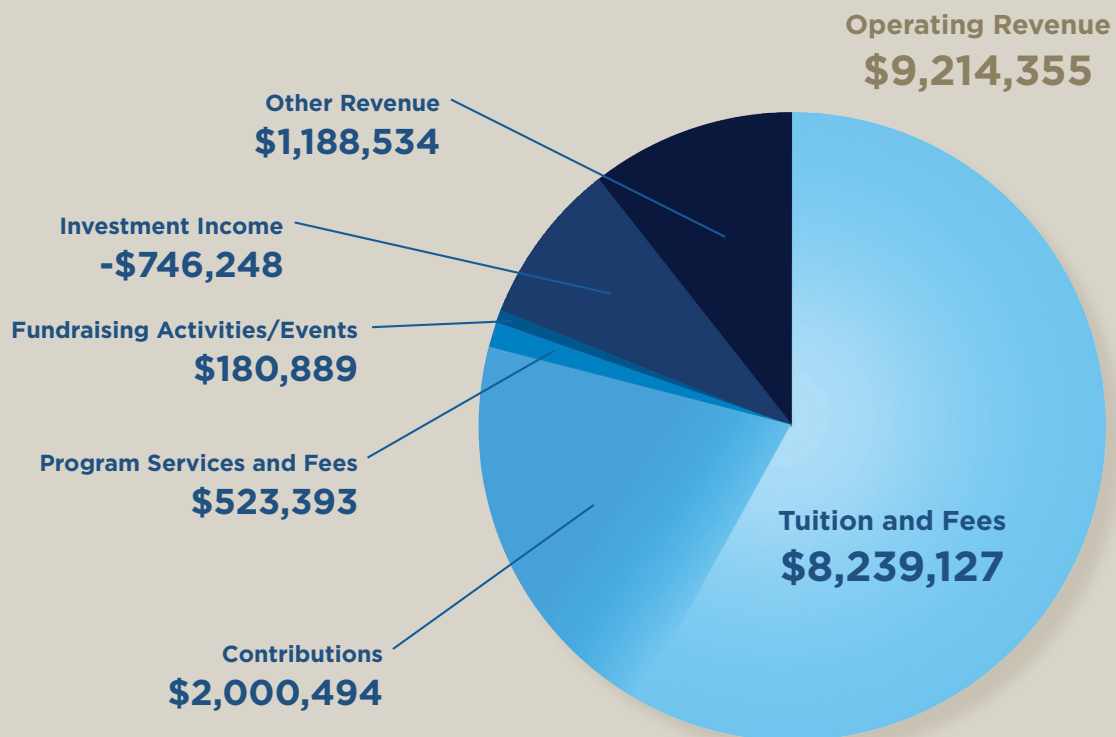


Endowments and Life Income





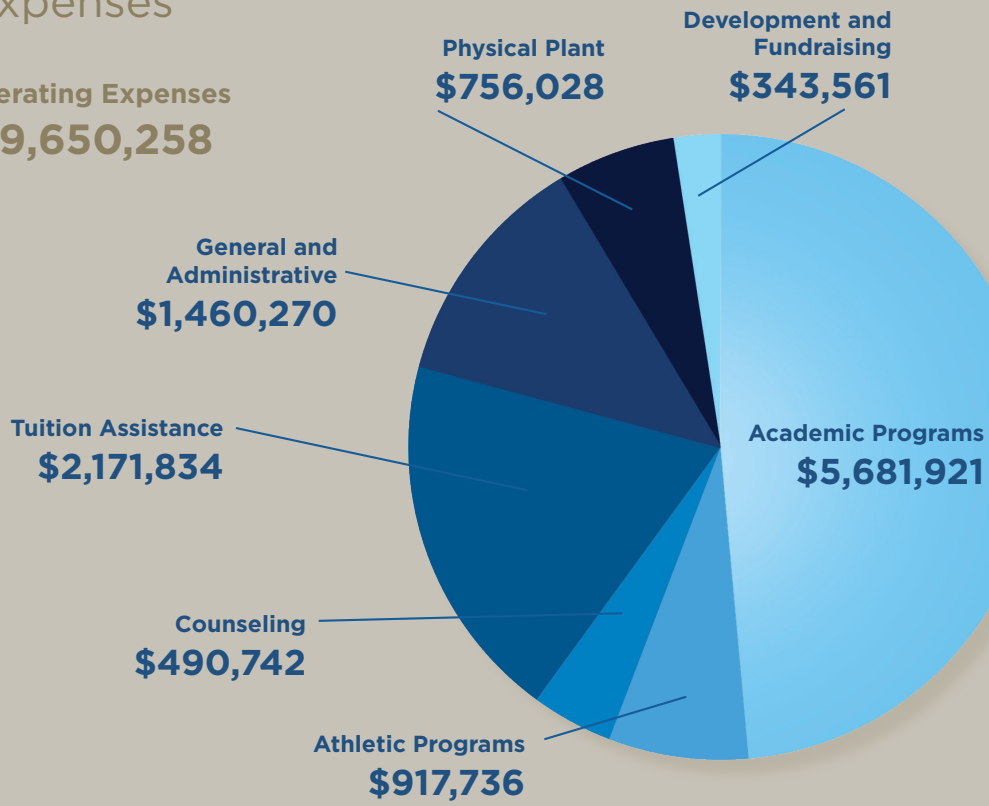
Revenues, Gains and Other Support





Expenses

Operating Expenses
\$9,650,258






ANNUAL GIVING 2021-2022

The power of philanthropy.

Robert and Monique Acosta
Irma and Jesse Adame
Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians
Kathleen and Wesley Ahlgren
Bolanle and Adewale Ajumobi
Christopher Alling
Aileen Alvarez
Alejandra Bautista and Wilfredo Angulo
Anonymous
Kathy and Angelo Antoci
Amie Arbid
Megan and Craig Armstrong
Janet and Peter* Asten
Anne and Jeff Attinger
Christine Attoun
Sonia Azevedo
Betty and Michael S. Balian
Nicholas Baptiste-Williams
Mildred and Sergio Barajas
Ann and Stephen Benson
Giancarlo Boccato
Patricia and Laurence Booth
Joanne Borchert
Stephanie and Nick Bozick
Caryl and Dylan Brennan
Carolyn and Claude Brock
Renell and Scott Burch
Tracy and Gary Butler
Jenessa and Kevin Byrne
Susan and Robert Byrne
Cabazon Band of Mission Indians

Nhu Le and Hiep Cao
Elena and William Carroll
Robin and Bob Cash
Natalie and Bernardo Casian
Dawn Bagnell and Eric Chavez
Tiffani and Andrew Clark
Marilyn L. Conzonire
Angie Cook
Therese Cornick
Shon M. Crewe and Andrew W. Reid
Nancy and Jim Cunningham
Carol and John Curci
Cherie and Giuseppe Dardano
Nettie and G. Michael Dart
Christina and Douglas DeJardin
Judith and Franz* De Klotz
Sally C. and Edward J.* Dempsey
Oksana DerDerian
Nina and Matthew Diltz
Eva and Lawrence Dolan
Cheryl and John Eagan
Efficient Air Conditioning
Joan and Richard Egan
Melissa and Elliott Elbaz
Candace and Frank* Ercoli
Timothy Jochen and Lee Erwin
Luz Estrada
Fairchild-Martindale Foundation
Karen and John Feller
Christina and Abel Figueroa
Martha Fitzpatrick


Maurie and Robert Flanagan
Joan and John Foster
Franklin Loan Center
Alan Frick
Claire and James* Gagan
Jacqueline and Julio Gamez
Michael Gerhart
Angela and Fadi Germanos
Francesca and Jonathan Gist
Kristina Gitmed
Lori and Gerard Gonzales
Alan I. Greene
H. N. and Frances C. Berger Foundation
Charlotte Halbur
Terri and Ryan Hamilton
Susan and Robert Harvey
Margaret and Matthew Heafey
Suzette and Matt* Hendrickson
Patricia Mary Howe Living Trust
Judith and Mick * Humphreys
Cece and Kenley Hunt
Michelle and Bennett Ianni
Barbara and Joseph Irwin
Kenneth F. Jenkins
Linda and Matthew Johnson
Highland Street Foundation
Karen and Milan Jugan
Erin Kaiman
Monica D. Kiehl and Joseph Devlin
Corena and Nick Killebrew
Joan and Kevin Knee

A group of people is silhouetted against a bright sunset over a range of mountains. The sky is a mix of orange and yellow, and the mountains are dark against the light. The people are seen from behind, looking towards the horizon.

Knights of Columbus (Indio)
Koch Foundation, Inc
Craig Krumwiede
Cara Lacy
Amy and Anthony M. Lanza
Kim and Darrell Lewis
Tricia and Patrick Lizza
Julianna and Jason Loya
Tecla and Jeffrey Lunak
Marcie and Chris Madain
Joyce and Thomas Malone
Shannon Moraga-Manderfeld
and Nathan Manderfeld
Marcella and Frank Gustafson
Donna and Douglas Martin
Karen and Lawrence McDonald
Kimberly and Ulrich McNulty
Karina and Chairman Darrell Mike
Margot and Mitchell Milias
Mary Lou Montagna
MTG Home Services LLC
Carroll Mueller
Muller Family Foundation
Nate Murphy
Laura and Walter Neil
Susan and Michael O'Neil II
Keri and Steve Ohrich
Beverly and Gary Okamoto
Yetunde and Adeyemi Omilana
Mary and L. Robert Pasquesi
Anonymous

Karen and Joseph Perricone
Judy and Jack Perry
Zsuzsanna and Michael Pheil
Sue and Vincent Picchione
Lynn and William Poland
Brandi and David Prat
LaSalle Lighting Services
Celeste and Thomas Reid
Richard Dunn Family Foundation
Kylie Grenier and Dean Rivale
RivCo Mechanical Services
Wanda and O. Frank Rizzo
Meta Smith Roberts
Ernesto Rosales
DoeLeen and Michael Rover
Angela and Halvor Rover
Betty and Thomas L. Saliba
Jan and Michael* Salta
Alain and Michael Samuel
Linda and Jerry Scarborough
Jennica and Robert Schein
Mary Schneller*
Patricia and Stephen Schott
Devon and Jeffrey Seip
Kristen and Rick Shalhoub
Dorothy and John* Shea
Shannon Smith
Helen Howe Smith
Monica and Greg Solis
Marie and Eric Sontz
Southern California Energy

Maureen and Lawrence* Specchierla
Susan and Louis Stabile
Amy Stone
Phyllis "Kelly" Carmien*
Tamara and Neil Sullivan
Patti and Timothy Sullivan
Kristen Tanner and Gregory Theilen
Shari and Mark Thatcher
Henry Thierry
Stacy and William Thoman
Lori and Carl Gene Tiedeman
Timothy A. Turek
Patsy and Jose Velasquez
Von Der Ahe Foundation
Anne and Douglas Walker
Ellen and Michael Way
Amy and Dennis Wente
Nan and Robert Wernick
Jeffrey White
Mike Wiktorski
William H. Hannon Foundation
Geraldine Wit



Your giving and support mean everything. Without your donations, we could not have been created or continue to operate. Whether you make a gift now or remember Xavier in your estate plan, we are eternally grateful.

Generosity THAT

LIFETIME GIVING

\$5,000,000.00 +

H. N. and Frances C. Berger
Foundation
Florine and J. Peter* Ministrelli

\$1,000,000.00 +

Mary Alchian Zwach*
Baker Family Scholarship Fund at
Rancho Santa Fe Foundation
Robert H. Baker*
Phyllis "Kelly" Carmien*
Eva and Lawrence Dolan
Claire and James* Gagan
Conrad N. Hilton Foundation
Dolores Hope*
Twenty-Nine Palms Band
of Mission Indians
Theresa and Dean Mike
Anonymous
Carol Ann and John C. Radovich*
Angela and Halvor Rover
Patricia and Stephen Schott
Carolyn and Peter Shea

\$500,000.00 +

Andrew Allen Charitable
Foundation
Adele and Gordon Binder
Katy and Donald* Callender
Louis DuPuis
Highland Street Foundation
JoAnn McGrath
Weingart Foundation

\$250,000.00 +

Janne and Henry Burdick
The Burnett Foundation
Joan and John Foster
Judith and Mick * Humphreys
Jesuit West Province
Anne* and John Marion
Karen and Lawrence McDonald
Harry Nudd*
Leona J. Preece*
Sacred Heart Church
Dorothy and John* Shea
James J. Shea Jr.*
Henry Thierry
Molly Walters

\$100,000.00 +

Agua Caliente Band
of Cahuilla Indians
Kathleen and Scott Dalecio
Sandra and Joseph Gandolfo
William H. Hannon Foundation
Shannon and Mark Hemstreet
Renee and Daryl Katz
Kaci and Scott Kincaid
Joan and Kevin Knee
Barbara and Carl Sam* Maggio
Donna and Douglas Martin
Joan and John McGraw*
Peggie and Tod* Parrot
Mary and L. Robert Pasquesi
Karen and Joseph Perricone
Judy and Jack Perry
Bette Poliquin
Roel Construction Co.
Barbara Steffens
Patti and Timothy Sullivan
Henry Trione*
Anonymous
West Coast Turf

\$50,000.00 +

Anonymous
Harlene and Robert Bianco*
BigHorn Golf Club Charities
Tracy and Gregory Braun
Beatrice Carberry*
Carol and John Curci
Judith and Franz* De Klotz
Mandy and William Dugan
Fairchild-Martindale Foundation
Maurie and Robert Flanagan
Carl Garczynski
Susan and Robert Harvey
Debra and Robert Holmes
Holmes Family Foundation
The R. D. and Joan Dale Hubbard
Foundation
William Hubble
T.W. Ireland
Kenneth F. Jenkins
Patricia* and George Maas
The Roger A. Malone Revocable
Trust

Donna Muller-Jenkins
and John* Muller
Irene Ethel Nelson Trust
Patricia D. O'Donnell
Yetunde and Adeyemi Omilana
Margaret and Gilman* Ordway
Suzette and Leo Overgaag
Anita and William* Powers
DoeLeen and Michael Rover
Sacred Heart Church Men's Club
Monica and Greg Solis
Joy Svenson*
Vintage Club Employee
Scholarship Fund
Ellen and Michael Way

\$25,000.00 +

Dennis Alfieri
Edward A. Barkett and Julee Collins
Giancarlo Boccato
Cabazon Band of Mission Indians
Robin and Bob Cash
Susana and Nachhattar Chandi
Nettie and G. Michael Dart
Joan and Richard Egan
Candace and Frank* Ercoli
Timothy Jochen and Lee Erwin
Toni and Bruce Gallaher
Alan I. Greene
Charlotte Halbur
Lynda Hewit
Patricia Mary Howe Living Trust
Elaine and Jerrold V.* Jerome
Dave Lippert
Joan Lizza
Willena and Pat Martin
Stuart May*
Leslie and Sean McGrath
Anna and Jesse McKeever
Kimberly and Ulrich McNulty
Margot and Mitchell Milias
Melinda and Anthony Moiso
Marcella* and Peter Murphy
Shirley and Ray Murphy
Gina May-Nestande and
Brian Nestande
Beverly and Gary Okamoto
Joy and Frank Purcell



ENDURES.

Pamela and David Ramsay*
 Catharine and Charles Reese
 Audrey and Steven Richardson
 Wanda and O. Frank Rizzo
 Sacred Heart Church
 Women's Guild
 Jan and Michael* Salta
 Kristen and Rick Shalhoub
 Karen and William Sonneborn
 Lori and Carl Gene Tiedeman
 Mandina Tudor
 Von Der Ahe Foundation
 Robert Wernick

\$10,000.00 +

Kathleen and Wesley Ahlgren
 Susan and Brian Amidei
 Barbara Andersen
 Cathy and Al Annexstad
 Anthony Vineyards, Inc.
 Mary Bittner & Robert Attinger
 Betty and Michael S. Balian
 Sterling Ball
 Mildred and Sergio Barajas
 Luz and Rick Berenzweig
 Stephanie and Nick Bozick
 Caryl and Dylan Brennan
 Renell and Scott Burch
 Byrne and Clayton Consulting
 Susan and Robert Byrne
 Richard Colburn*
 Donna and Ron Cort
 Cosgrove, Humphrey & Weisman
 Fred Couples
 Nancy and Jim Cunningham
 Mark De Francesco
 Parker De Klotz
 Sally C. and Edward J.* Dempsey
 Diocese of San Bernardino
 Thomas & Mildred Dougherty
 Foundation
 Margaret Drury
 Michael Fedderly*
 Ramon Fimbres
 Nancy and Neil Fine
 Polly and Paul Flask
 Ted Foley*
 St. Francis of Assisi Parish
 Helene Galen

Kim and Robert Gilliland
 Francesca and Jonathan Gist
 Mark Granger
 Marcella and Frank Gustafson
 Margaret and Matthew Heafey
 William Healey
 Judith and Jim Heidkamp
 Eloise Helbling
 Ralph Hemingway
 Suzette and Matt* Hendrickson
 Chelsea Higholt
 Beth and Coach Lou Holtz*
 Horace Isenhower
 and Joseph L Hooper Jr.
 Heather and Matthew Jiggins
 Karen and Milan Jugan
 Jennifer and Joe Kirby
 Koch Foundation, Inc
 LaSalle Lighting Services
 Susan St. Louis and Khoi Le
 Kathleen and Bruce* Lehman
 Michelle and Marc Lieberman
 Debbie and Neil Lingle
 Tricia and Patrick Lizza
 Luisa Ospina and Carlos Lopez
 Marcie and Chris Madain
 Rhonda and Anthony Maddelina
 Jo Ellen and Sean Madden
 Joyce and Thomas Malone
 Rita and Tom Martin
 William Marx
 Concepcion and Santiago Mascorro
 Stephen Matich
 Norman's Uniforms/Jorja Mazilla
 Marcia and Harold "Max" Messmer Jr.
 Karina and Chairman Darrell Mike
 Michael Milligan
 Maggie Montez
 Larry Montez
 Kristine Morley*
 Carol Morton
 Muller Family Foundation
 Kathy and Louis Pagano
 Sue and Vincent Picchione
 Carol Swanson Price Foundation
 Carol Price*
 Stacey and Greg Renker
 Eugenia Riordan Mule
 Carol Rizzo

Janet Rollofson
 Cecilia and Brian Rose
 Jennica and Robert Schein
 Mary Schneller*
 Shannon Smith
 Maureen and Lawrence* Specchierla
 Susan and Louis Stabile
 Anne and William Swindells
 Maureen Tiffany
 George Tudor
 Janet and Michael Weaver
 Karen and Peter Wickstrand

To donate, go to
xavierprep.org. From the
 bottom of our hearts,
 thank you!

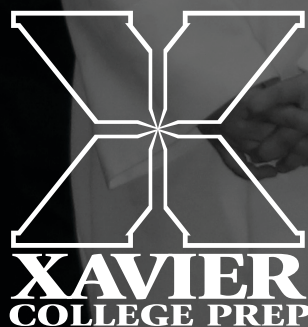
Xavier is a not-for-profit
 501(c)3 organization.
 EIN 71-0908497.

In the preceding pages, every effort has
 been made to carefully and deliberately
 record each gift and donor accurately,
 taking into account the love and
 thoughtfulness of each gift given. If
 we have mistakenly misreported any
 information, please contact the Office of
 Advancement at 760.601.3900 ext 6031.

Design and copy: BurchandCannon.com

Our Commitment

Xavier College Preparatory is a Roman Catholic high school that actively seeks, educates, and nurtures young men and women from a wide variety of ethnic, socioeconomic, and religious backgrounds in the Coachella Valley. In the tradition of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Society of Jesus, Jesuit education is committed to the development of the whole person through a challenging educational experience, spiritual and religious formation, and co-curricular involvement. Supporting the role of parents as primary educators, our entire school program is dedicated to developing conscientious leaders and agents of change who are intellectually competent, open to growth, committed to justice, religious and compassionate in service to others for the greater glory of God.



AD MAJOREM DEI GLORIAM