



# ST. JOSEPH REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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## NEWS

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### **Bishop Libasci Helps Welcome Back Students to St. Joe's in Salem with Special Blessing**

SALEM, NH (August 31, 2018) - - St. Joseph Regional Catholic School welcomed students back to school on Wednesday, August 29th. Bishop Libasci joined the teachers and staff as they greeted students to its campus at 40 Main Street in Salem, NH. Following the school's morning meeting, a special ceremony was held in front of the school. Bishop Libasci blessed the school's new statue of the Holy Family that was added this summer by a 2015 graduate of St. Joe's.

On July 31, Brady Quinn, a 17-year-old Life Scout in Salem Boy Scout Troop 159, and a group of his fellow scouts, installed a statue of the Holy Family as part of his Eagle Scout community service project. Quinn hopes to become an Eagle Scout; his project fulfills one of the main requirements for attaining this prestigious rank that is earned by less than five percent of Boy Scouts.

“We are grateful to be the recipient of Brady's Eagle Scout community service project,” explains Mrs. Mary Croteau, St. Joseph School Principal. “He exemplifies the qualities of perseverance, service to community, and spiritual growth that we strive to instill in our students each day as we challenge and motivate them to reach their full potential.”

St. Joseph Regional Catholic School provides a complete education, for students in preschool to grade 8, designed to challenge and motivate all students to reach their full potential in mind, spirit, heart, and body.

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Three (3) attached photos (*photo credit: Becky Schmidt*)...

1. Bishop with Brady.jpg: Bishop Libasci and Brady Quinn, Eagle Scout Candidate and 2015 St. Joe's Graduate

2. Bishops Blessing.jpg: Bishop Libasci blesses the new Holy Family statue in front of the St. Joseph school students, staff, and families.
3. Principal Bishop Brady.jpg: Following the blessing, Principal Mary Croteau stands with Bishop Libasci and Brady Quinn at the Holy Family statue, installed this summer.