

St. Andrew Parish/School Strategic Implementation Process OVERVIEW

GUIDING PRINCIPLES Calling on the wisdom of the Holy Spirit, the process will strive:

- * **to assure** that the process this far is honored and nothing substantial is lost.
- * **to involve** all interested persons -- parish staff, school faculty and new persons -- especially those that will be involved in implementing the plan.
- * **to have** strategies in place by the end of 2006 to begin implementing in 2007 and onward.
- * **to create** a workable Strategic Implementation Plan that will address the immediate and long-term needs of St. Andrew Parish/School in an accountable manner.

DEFINITIONS

Strategic Implementation Plan – A long-range, unified, coordinated program of action, focused on shaping the future consistent with the Mission Statement.

Mission Statement – A short, visionary proclamation of the identity and purpose of the parish and school.

Goals -- Results-oriented statements that focus the energies of the parish on particular areas of endeavor over a 3 – 5 year period.

Objectives – Statements of concrete, measurable actions that will be performed over the next year in order to further the goals of the parish and school.

