

# St. Thomas More Church and School



McShane's is the single source solution for church and school.

## • THE CHALLENGE

Both McShane's and St. Thomas More Catholic Church and School share a long history as strong members of the Munster community. McShane's has provided St. Thomas More with office supplies, furniture, and equipment for both the church and school organizations.

When Father Michael Yadron joined the parish in 2003, he already had experience with McShane's at his previous position and was pleased to continue the relationship at St. Thomas More. So, when St. Thomas More needed to replace its old Canon analog copy machine, it was no surprise that McShane's stepped in to help.

"When St. Thomas More came to us, they needed office equipment that each of their staff members could easily use and access," McShane's Major Account Representative Sherwin Slutsky, explains. "Additionally, this organization works hard to keep up with technology as it advances, so we had to find a solution that would allow them to do that."

## • THE SOLUTION

McShane's suggested to St. Thomas More the idea of renting 2 networked Canon imageRUNNER systems with the option to upgrade to newer technology in several years. One imageRUNNER would be installed in the school and the second in the church.

Both Canons are 50 page-per-minute black and white multifunction devices that copy, print, scan, and fax. With the networking capabilities, every teacher and administrative member can access the machines from their respective classrooms and offices. Not only does this foster consistency among jobs, but it also creates a great cost savings in using two large machines rather than many small printers in various locations.

The upgrade option attached to this solution allows St. Thomas More to keep up with technological advancements without greatly increasing costs or dealing with an out-of-date machine.

## • THE BENEFIT

St. Thomas More utilizes the imageRUNNER systems for all instructional materials for the classroom, in-house conference and training materials, and marketing pieces. The school and the church can operate each machine to run their own jobs quickly and efficiently.

"We are one of the first schools in our diocese to be fully networked," Father Yadron says. "The McShane's solution has allowed us to be extremely progressive."

Additionally, St. Thomas More has taken advantage of the single source solution McShane's offers in providing not just office equipment, but supplies and furniture as well. With new desks, chairs, and even carpeting, the organization turns to McShane's as much as possible.

"When you find a good place as I have with McShane's and you know the cost and quality is consistent, you stop looking elsewhere," Father Yadron says. "I feel like we have a very profitable relationship."

McShane's recognizes the importance of this relationship and strives to provide optimum service, whether it be for equipment or even furniture.

Father Yadron says, "While I love a good deal, it is the reliability and dependability that make a difference."

McShane's and St. Thomas More share an important goal to support the local people as much as possible. Working together to enhance a community school and church helps both organizations achieve this and improve their operations.

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