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Major Retailers Want To Give Our School Money!

Dear St. Agnes Parents, Friends and Parishioners:

We're pleased to share some exciting news about a great fundraising program for our school. It's called "scrip", and it's the fundraising program that works while you shop. Scrip can also be called "substitute money". Use for all your shopping needs – NOT JUST for Gifts!

Scrip is simply a word that means "substitute money" – in other words, scrip is gift certificates from national and local retailers. They're the same gift certificates that you buy at the store. Many popular retailers participate in our scrip program including Kroger's, JCPenney, The Gap, Charleston Dept. Store, Speedway/SuperAmerica, Exxon, Pizza Hut, Red Lobster, Land's End, Wendy's, Tidewater and many, many others (over 700 participating retailers.)

You're probably asking yourself how these stores help us raise money. It's simple -- scrip participating retailers agree to sell gift certificates to St. Agnes at a discount. Families like yours buy the certificates for full face value, they redeem them for full face value, and our school keeps the difference as revenue. And scrip is exciting, because everybody wins:

- The retailer gets cash up front and repeat business...
- You get a powerful fundraising alternative that involves no selling...
- Our school gets a regular source of revenue.

The beauty of scrip is that you put your regular household shopping dollars to work. You earn money for our school without spending a single additional penny. Just spend your regular shopping dollars with scrip at the stores that participate in the scrip program! And scrip can be used for just about any household purchase including food, clothing, entertainment, gasoline and even dining out.

The St. Agnes School scrip program promises to be a simple and effective fundraising program. Thanks for your support!

Sincerely,

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**Shop online to see all retailers available at: shopwithscrip.com
St. Agnes Enrollment Code: AE37E4287LL4**