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## DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION ANNOUNCES ADDITIONAL PRINCIPAL AND VICE PRINCIPAL ASSIGNMENTS

Due to an additional retirement among St. Clair Catholic's principal ranks, Director of Education Dan Parr has tonight announced additional changes to the principal and vice principal assignments for September 2016.

They are:

- 1. Adrien Gagnier, currently Vice Principal at St. Anne Catholic School, Blenheim is appointed to Principal of St. Agnes Catholic School, Chatham.
- 2. Joanne McCreery, currently Vice Principal of Sacred Heart Catholic School, Sarnia will be appointed Principal of Sacred Heart Catholic School, Port Lambton.
- 3. Tamara Johnson, currently in the Vice Principal Pool, will be appointed as Vice Principal at Sacred Heart Catholic School, Sarnia.

These changes come as the result of the announced retirement of Tom Baker, Principal of St. Agnes Catholic School, Chatham.

"I want to congratulate Adrien, Joanne and Tamara on their appointments," says Dan Parr, Director of Education. "I know our entire staff joins with me in wishing these excellent Catholic leaders much continued success in their new roles."

Mr. Parr also thanked Tom Baker for his 30 years of devoted service to the students, families and staff of the St. Clair Catholic District School Board.

"Tom's exceptional leadership abilities will be greatly missed," says Mr. Parr. "He leaves with our prayers for a long, happy and healthy retirement filled with God's many blessings."