

Dear Students,

As the hot days of summer give way to the bright autumn colours I welcome you to our new home at 100 Wellesley Street West. This will be an exciting year as we settle in the new site.

Over the past few years Regis has undergone a change in the composition of its student population. Today's students have multiple commitments outside their studies – family, work, ministry – and more are forced to study on a part-time basis. As a result, it is sometimes difficult for us to respond to the needs of the students socially and academically as members of the Regis community.

As the Dean of Students, I provide a link between the student body and the administration of the College and facilitate dialogue among the students and the administration. I will be here to help you organize and plan social and other community gatherings that are so vital to life at Regis outside the classroom. I will be here to help you with the non-academic problems that beset students.

I invite you to consider becoming an integral part of Regis community life by attending various events, volunteering for events or serving as a member of Regis College Student Council. You will have a part in working for the good of your fellow students. If we all participate it not be an onerous task, nor will it be a time-consuming one. It will be a change to participate in the emerging vision of the Regis community, a time to realize that the changes we are experiencing in the life of the Church also impact upon our theological education.

Welcome. I look forward to seeing you and meeting with you at Orientation, Wednesday, September 9, 2009.

Sincerely,

Wilma R. Scherloski
Dean of Students