

9/11 Hero Speaks at Saint Mary High School



Saint Mary High School recently had the privilege of inviting Chief Dan Daly to share his experiences of 9/11 and enlighten the student body with his motivational and moving speech. Chief Dan Daly is a twenty-four year veteran of the New York City Fire Department. On September 11, 2001, he was one of the first to respond to the Twin Towers. The events of that day have certainly changed his life forever. Starting the day after September 11, he was one of the hundreds of volunteers to search the piles of what debris was left. For weeks, he was searching for a miracle. In November 2002, he retired from the FDNY to start his new life changing opportunity of traveling the world to speak to young people. Ever since leaving the fire department to speak to young people he has shared many words of inspiration. At Dan's visit to Saint Mary High School, he told his account of the tragedy that happened that day, and shared his motivational tips. He travels the world to share his message of feeling alive for that day and living like there is no tomorrow. (Liz Tresca)