

Prayer for the beginning of the new school year

Though we live in a world that dreams of ending
that always seems about to give in
something that will not acknowledge conclusion
insists that we forever begin.

(Brendan Kennelly)

In this new school year
May the God of beginnings guide our way
May the Spirit of hope lift our hearts
May Jesus the teacher impart his wisdom
And may the le Chéile founders inspire us again in the beautiful enterprise
That is the education of the young.
Amen