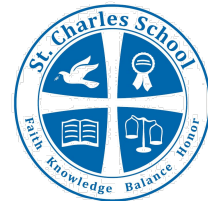


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Dear Parents,

I wanted to take this time to reassure our parents that we are preparing for the start of a new school year. There are many uncertainties surrounding what school may look like in the fall. All school districts are still awaiting further guidance from the Governor, the Department of Education, and the Department of Public Health.

On Monday I was in communication with the Public Health Dayton and Montgomery County as well as several other Dayton area Catholic school principals. I have a follow up meeting on Wednesday this week with all Dayton area Catholic school principals and the Archdiocese of Cincinnati Catholic Schools Office. All of us are trying to make the best plans for reopening schools with the guidance that our regulatory bodies have provided thus far.

St. Charles is anticipating opening as normal in the fall with a regular school day. Provisions are currently underway to involve additional daily sanitization and cleaning of common areas throughout the day and classrooms at the end of the day. We have purchased student masks for all students in grades 1-8 for the possibility of this requirement. St. Charles School has always maintained hand sanitizer in classrooms and common areas for student, staff, and guest use. Additional social distancing measures are being considered in the classrooms, restrooms, cafeteria, recess, and other common areas.

We are working on training measures for teachers, staff, and custodians in the areas of building sanitization, social distancing, and student/staff monitoring.

Preschool and daycare regulations are a great concern for our parents and they are being monitored for any additional changes. We are planning to provide preschool and daycare services under the guidelines set forth by the Department of Jobs and Family Services and the Ohio Department of Education, our licensing bodies. Current guidelines are very strict in terms of the number of students and staff, social distancing and sanitization requirements. We anticipate additional guidance in July on these regulations.

The staff at St. Charles is working systematically over the summer with the information that is currently available to provide the best and safest environment possible in the fall. We will continue to provide a high quality Catholic education for all of our students in the 2020-2021 school year.

We will supply additional information to families as soon it is available and appropriate decisions are made.

Together We Believe, Together We Achieve

David Bogle
Principal