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DMCS Summer eNewsletter July 23, 2020

Dear Parents-

The Governor's mandate for wearing masks has put another interesting wrinkle in our back to school planning. As the Archdiocese works to help us unpack and understand what the mandate means for our schools, we will continue to work through our planning.

We are planning for three scenarios.

Scenario One: In Person Learning for all students

Scenario Two: Hybrid model with physical distancing and capacity limits

Scenario Three: Distance learning only

We will be responsive to what is put forth by the Governor, but we will follow the recommendations of our Archdiocese. By the beginning of August, it is my understanding that I will be able to communicate with all of you what the plan will be for the beginning of the 2020-2021 school year. Once that is communicated, you will be able to make the decision for your family. I understand the many complexities in this issue and pledge to work with ach family to help in any way that I can. I truly believe that our strength lies in our community.

In the meantime, we are sending out a survey to all families to gauge the opinions of our families. Please complete here: <u>https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/QZLMRBJ</u> This information will help inform the work of our task forces and help make our plans suited to the population we serve. I appreciate the input you will provide.

We continue to look towards fall. Class lists will be slightly delayed this year due to many factors, but we still plan on sending our back to school email at the beginning of August. We also still will be having our gently used uniform clothing exchange. We ask that people drop off any items in the main school office by Wednesday, August 5th. The office is open Monday through Thursday between the hours of 7:30-3:30. We will open for people to come and look at the clothing on Monday, August 10th.

I hope you are enjoying a part of this summer break and are finding ways to relax and enjoy friends and families.

God's blessings to you!

Mrs. Ashley

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me. Phil 4:13

Shop big Back-to-School bonus rebates up to 18%

July 22nd to August 8th Get ready to earn big with Great Lakes Scrip Center's special back-to-school bonus rebates. From clothes to supplies for the new school year, check out the variety of brands offering great bonuses.



Contact Peggy Johnson at: pjohnson@dmcs.cc or (507) 334-7706 for more information







Floor puzzles are our favorite!

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It's dinosaur week at Faithful Beginnings





We love playing outside!





Water day!

The kids had a blast with sprinklers on the back 40 of BA.







