



"Pray, Hope, and Don't Worry!" St. Pio

June 19, 2020

Dear Good Shepherd Family!

Some things bear repeating. Thank you to the faculty and staff for taking on this challenge and leaving those so-called comfort zones to teach their students under new and challenging circumstances. I am grateful to all of the parents who braved this experience and supported their children with such care. Thank you to our students; you are true Good Shepherd children! You showed strength, resiliency, and perseverance.

Lastly, to all of you who sent words of support and encouragement, I am eternally grateful. You will never know how truly blessed I felt to receive your emails filled with inspiration, kindness, and even humor.

### Updates

- Report cards are released 6/19 and end of year honors assemblies are on Monday, June 22.
- Teachers will send Zoom invites for their class ceremony.
- All tuition accounts must be current to receive a report card.
- Summer school information will be sent directly to parents
- Monday, June 22 last day of the school year
- Wednesday, June 23, the school building will open 10 am-12 noon for those who need to pick up belongings. We will discard anything that is left in the desks if it is not picked up.
- Please contact [hildakennedy@gsschoolnyc.org](mailto:hildakennedy@gsschoolnyc.org) for registration
- FoGSS scholarship application deadline is **Monday, June 22**, [gss@gsschoolnyc.org](mailto:gss@gsschoolnyc.org).

Look for emails throughout the summer about summer assignments, supply lists, and re-opening news. We will continue to use the IRIS alert system as well as Googleclassroom and our school website as a means of communication. At this time, we do plan on seeing everyone back in the building in September.

I wish you all an enjoyable and healthy summer!

In my prayers always,

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