



## BISHOP BARAGA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

November 10, 2020

Dear Bishop Baraga Families,

As you may know, our preschool and pre-kindergarten classes were not in school yesterday or today. One of the pre-kindergarten students is a presumptive positive for COVID-19. She developed symptoms after one of her parents tested positive. I spoke with the Dickinson Iron District Health Department about this case and they indicated that the pre-kindergarten class should quarantine for the next two weeks. They will stay home from now through November 20<sup>th</sup> and will return to school on November 23<sup>rd</sup>. As Mrs. Gauthier is also included in this quarantine, we will also have the preschool students stay home for the same time period.

Families in those classes should not expect a call from the Health Department regarding this quarantine. Although they have not officially done contact tracing for this case, through my discussion with them it was determined that this was the best course of action. I know it's a significant inconvenience to change your routine for two weeks; however, we knew this could be a possibility with our younger students because of the near impossibility of practicing social distancing at this age level. Hang in there! I'll be praying these two weeks go quickly.

God bless,

Angela Oller