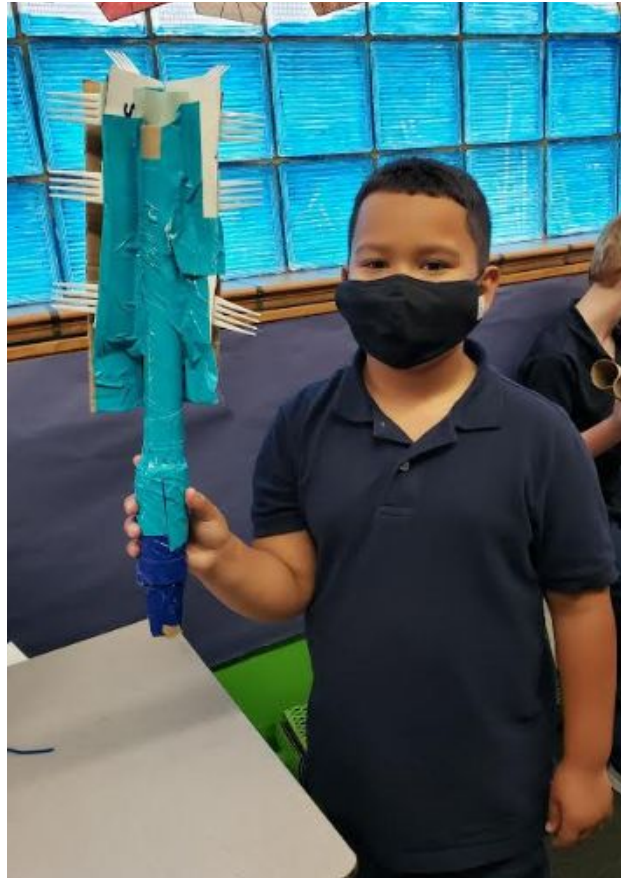


News from the Bears' Den



September 30, 2020

From the Principal . . .

Thank you for the many donations of snacks, water and lunchables for those that may forget something now and then-it is greatly appreciated!

Just a reminder that there is NO SCHOOL on Monday, Oct. 5; staff will be attending diocesan professional development that day.

With the weather turning cooler, please make sure your students have appropriate outerwear for recess.

Blessings, Camille DeLano



Upcoming Events . . .

- Friday, Oct. 2: Regular Color Day
- Monday, Oct. 5: No School (staff PD)
- Monday through Wednesday, Oct. 5-7: Fr. Jim gone-Communion Service

Mission Statement Review

Per diocesan policy, Saint Basil Catholic School annually reviews the mission statement with all stakeholders as it is the underlying philosophy of all decisions made at Saint Basil Catholic School.

Saint Basil Catholic School, in collaboration with our families, fosters strong Catholic values and academic excellence for all students in an environment filled with innovation, rigorous curriculum, social justice, and commitment to God and community.

If you have any questions about this policy, how decisions are made, or the mission statement itself, please contact me and I would be happy to meet and discuss it with you.

Camille DeLano

September Students of the Monday

Congratulations to Isela Rodriguez and Maddie Hanson for being our September students of the Month!

Reporting Absences, Early Pickups, & Late Arrivals

Please contact Minnie Salgado, as well as your child's teacher, if your child will be absent, late, or leaving early. Minnie's email is minniesalgado@saintbasilcatholic.com.

Staff Emails

Staff emails can be found on the school website. Please note that all our new emails now end in **.com**.



School Forms & Other Info

Most school forms, such as Volunteer Drivers form, Child Information form, etc., along with dress code and the school newsletter can be found on the school website: saintbasilcatholic.com.

Mass Days

Minor Mass changes, but this should be our schedule until further notice:

- Mondays: grades 5 through 8
- Tuesdays: Kindergarten, grades 3 & 4
- Wednesdays: grades 1 & 2

****STUDENTS NEED TO HAVE A SOLID COLORED MASK IN SCHOOL COLORS FOR THEIR MASS DAY MASK.**

While we would like to see our students in their Mass uniforms on their appointed days, we understand that mornings get hectic and you may not always remember who goes when (please see the attached dress code). Please don't panic if you forget-all will be fine! :)

A few notes from the office

October Tuition Statements will be going home tomorrow. The statements could include charges for: before & after care, enrollment/re-enrollment fee, and monthly tuition.

Please remember, if you been notified, to send with your child or email a copy of their birth certificate, health appraisal, and/or child information record form by no later than this week.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED

Saint Basil Catholic School is looking for qualified substitute teachers. The candidate should be a certified teacher and/or able to present or acquire a Michigan substitute teacher permit. All substitute teachers must be VIRTUS trained (or willing to become trained) and submit to fingerprinting and a background check.

Please inquire with Camille DeLano at the school if interested: 269-637-3529.

FOOD PANTRY DROP OFF AT FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Please take non-perishable food items to First Congregational Church, 651 Phoenix Street, during this national health crisis. They are open **Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 10:00 a.m. till noon.**



The St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry remains open during the pandemic. We are providing a drive through service on Thursdays between 1-4 p.m., located at 201 S. Walnut, Bangor (back door).

