

August 2019

Dear Sacred Hearts Parents:

Welcome to the 2019/20 school year! I hope you are enjoying the summer months and are finding some time to relax and spend time with family and friends! We are excited about this upcoming school year and the return of our students in September!

This is a special year at Sacred Hearts School as we have broken ground on our new school addition!!! This very much needed additional space will be the culmination of years of studying and planning! We are so very grateful to the many families that have been supportive of this initiative and of our school over the past 125+ years! We continue to be blessed by each of you and the parish members of Sacred Hearts and St. Albert the Great! We will continue to share information regarding construction and progress as we near the beginning of school! If you haven't driven by yet, you should! Looks a whole lot different than it did a week ago!

New this year: all paperwork is available on the school website www.shjms.org. Please read instructions and print off the forms you need to return to the school office.

Some special things to note:

- School Picture Days will be **August 26^h between 8:00-1:00 and August 27th from 1:00-5:00 in the CAFETERIA. Enter thru parking lot doors. The school office is closed these days so no one is able to let you in the front or back doors.**
- **Back to School Visiting Day is Wednesday, August 28th from 4:00-6:00pm.** Families are welcome visit the classrooms and drop off their school supplies. If you ordered pre-packaged school supplies they will be delivered to your home. 4K-8 classrooms will be open. Home and School will have treats on the playground (weather permitting).
- Please plan to bring your completed forms with you on Visiting Day. You will drop off your forms in the cafeteria.
- If you have not set up your ParentsWeb account with FACTS, please do so! This is the new student information system that will replace Teacherease.
- **4K Parent Orientation will be Wednesday, September 4th at 6:30 in the Gathering Room below church.**
- The first day of school for K-8 students is Tuesday, September 3rd. **This is a full day of school with a 3:05 dismissal.** The first day of school for 4K will be Friday, September 6th.

We will have intermittent office hours beginning the week of August 26th. In the meantime, don't hesitate to contact me at kim.frederick@shjms.org or call my office if you have any questions.

We hope to see as many school families as possible at the Groundbreaking Ceremony on Sunday, August 18th. Mass to be celebrated at 11:00am by Bishop Hying and ceremony to follow at 12:30!

I look forward to working with you and your children during this school year. Enjoy the rest of the summer!!

Sincerely,

Kimberlee Frederick, Principal