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Dear Flyer Family,

We at Norwalk Catholic School/St. Paul High School strive to educate in a way that inspires students to live the message of Jesus Christ through word and deed. During this time, we are still answering the call albeit in a very non-traditional way. Education is continuing for the duration of the school closure. Please know all of us are working tirelessly to provide support as best we can as we practice social distancing. As teachers make a good faith effort to provide instruction for our students, I ask students to continue to make a good faith effort in engaging in the learning the teachers are providing.

Since Governor DeWine has closed school through May 1st and has indicated schools should prepare for the potential of not returning this school year, we are updating our expectations for online learning. Below is an overview of these updates:

- All teachers will use the Google Classroom Platform for online instruction
 - To access Google Classroom students must login to their school email
 - Here is a Student/Parent video explaining Google Classroom (www.youtube.com/watch?v=xfgqtCi7hdo)
- Student Classwork will be designated into 2 categories
 - **Required Classwork**-(students must attempt/teachers must give feedback)
 - **Extended Classwork**-(student/parent optional/teacher may give feedback but not required)
 - Classwork assignments will be spread out so students are not overloaded (see chart on the next page)
- 4th Quarter Grades will be Pass/Fail beginning with Required Classwork on April 20
- Live Online interactive lessons may be scheduled: Teachers are not required to have live lessons (see chart on the next page)
 - Students will be notified if Live Online Interactive lessons are occurring via Google Classroom
- Attendance will be taken by reviewing students completion of Required Classwork
 - Students are expected to complete Required Classwork as part of attendance for on-line learning
 - Attendance will factor into grade promotion/earning credit

Our Catholic faith is essential to us. In order to integrate our faith into online learning we are instituting Wednesdays as a Day of Virtue. No new Required Classwork will be assigned on Wednesdays to allow students to participate in the Day of Virtue. Mass will be offered via the school Facebook page at 11:45 AM every Wednesday. In conjunction with Mass we are encouraging students to engage in a virtuous act. Below are some examples:

Demonstrate **Self Control** by limiting non-academic screentime for increased prayer time;

Demonstrate **Kindness** by doing a chore for your family without being asked;

Demonstrate **Joy** by engaging in a fun family activity.

Together in Faith we will grow closer to one another and closer in Christ. Know that I am praying for everyone's health and safety.

St. Paul the Apostle...Pray for Us + St. Mary, Mother of the Redeemer...Pray for Us + St. Anthony...Pray for Us

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Required Classwork Assignment Schedule

KDG - 6th Grade				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
K-3 ELA	K-3 Math	Day of Virtue	K-3 Religion	
	4-6 Religion	Day of Virtue	4-6 ELA	4-6 Math
7th Grade - 12th Grade				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
ELA	Math	Day of Virtue	Science	Social Studies
Theology	Art/Music	Day of Virtue	Foreign Lang	Other Electives

Live Online Interactive Schedule (Check student Google Classroom for detailed information)

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday Day of Virtue	Thursday	Friday
8:00-8:45	Jr High/SPH 1st Period	Jr High/SPH 5th Period	6th Religion	6th ELA	6th Math
8:45-9:30	KDG ELA	KDG Math	KDG Religion	Pre 4 AM	
9:30-10:15	Jr High/SPH 2nd Period	Jr High/SPH 6th Period	5th Religion	5th ELA	5th Math
10:15-11:00	1st ELA	1st Math	1st Religion	Pre 3 AM (T/TH)	Pre 3 AM (M/W/F)
11:00-11:45					
11:45-12:30	Jr High/SPH 3rd Period	Jr High/SPH 7th Period	All School Mass on FB	Class of 2020	
12:30-1:15	2nd ELA	2nd Math	2nd Religion	Pre 4 PM	Pre 3 PM (M/W/F)
1:15-2:00	Jr High/SPH 4th Period	Jr High/SPH 8th Period	4th Religion	4th ELA	4th Math
2:00-2:45	3rd ELA	3rd Math	3rd Religion		

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