



May 15, 2020

Principal's Message

-Mrs. Lenn

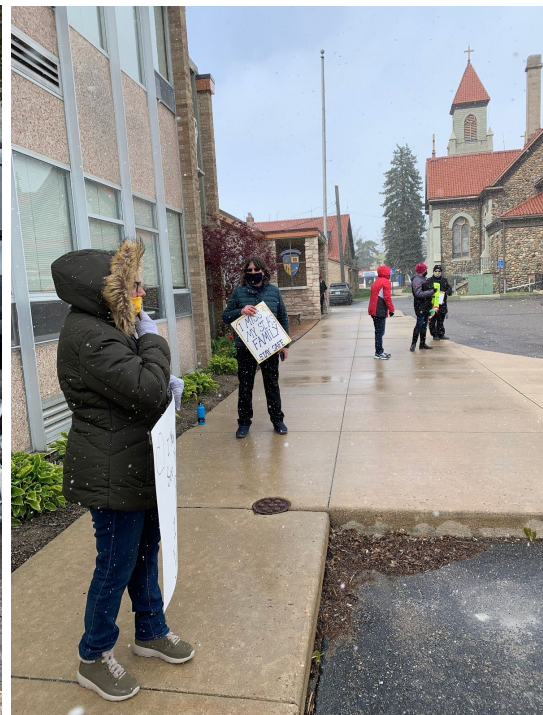
We are going to play a game next week together! I'll be posting two ALL SCHOOL I SPY games on my Principal Page. There is a game for our Preschool-3rd grade students, and a separate game for our 4th grade-8th grade students. I walked around the school and took pictures of things in classrooms and in common areas. Let's see how observant you are!!! This will be fun! Follow the directions on my Principal Page to play! The games will be posted with Monday's announcements.

This week, all athletes are invited to attend virtual athletic banquets for each team. Each coach will be sending their athlete's families the Zoom meeting information for the banquets. Congratulations to all of our athletes. We are proud of all of you!! Go Saints!

The schedule is as follows:

- Monday, May 18- 6:00 Volleyball; 7:00 Cheer
- Tuesday, May 19- 6:00 JV Boys Basketball; 7:00 Varsity Boys Basketball
- Wednesday, May 20- 6:00 JV Girls Basketball; 7:00 Varsity Girls Basketball
- Thursday, May 21- 6:00 Cross Country; 7:00 Archery

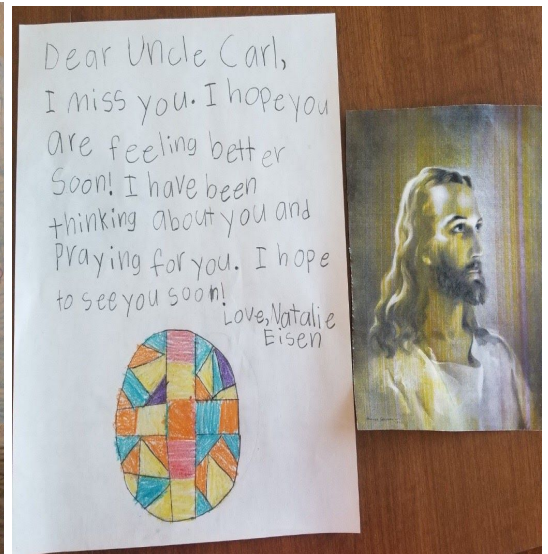
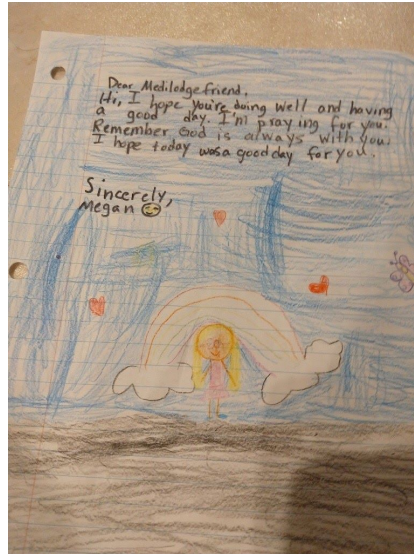
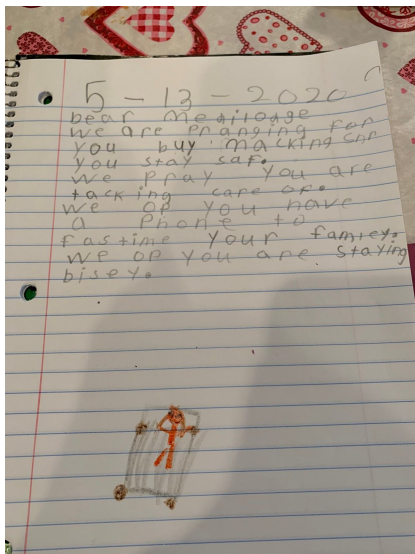
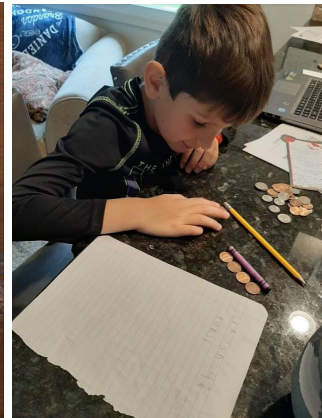
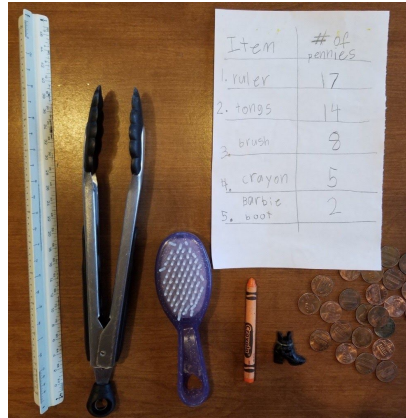
Thank you to all who attended our Teacher Drive By last week! It was great to see all the families. There were many great signs and decorated cars. It was great! Here are a few highlights:



Our 8th graders will begin their last week of school on Monday. It's a bittersweet time for all of us as they finish their final week at St. Augustine, perhaps even more so since they can't finish it in our school building. As part of our usual tradition, 8th grade families have been putting together memory boards for their students. These boards will be featured on my Principal Page as they are

finished. Some will be featured on the school Facebook page as well. Also, Preschool-7th grade parents, PLEASE CHECK YOUR EMAIL FOR AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE REGARDING 8TH GRADE (There is a deadline attached). Thank you!

This week our first graders practiced measuring using pennies to compare lengths of different items. They also wrote letters to local nursing homes or people we know who need prayers at this time. It was another great week of learning!



Just a reminder that there is NO SCHOOL on Friday, May 22, and NO SCHOOL on Monday, May 25. We resume classes for our final week of school on May 26-May 29. We are planning a final all school mass in the parking lot for Thursday, May 28 at 6pm. All families, preschool-8th grade are invited to come to this mass. You will need to remain in your cars. More details will be coming. At this mass, we plan to do a special commissioning of the grades as we did last year, and will be including ALL grades (preschool & 8th grade) in this ceremony and blessing. It was wonderful last year, and regardless of the fact that it has to take place in a different format, it will be fantastic this year as well. We hope you will all be able to participate!

Plans are in process for you to be able to drop off textbooks and pick up your child's belongings. More information will be coming very soon as these plans are finalized and ready, so stay tuned.

Finally, you may have heard that the Archdiocese of Detroit has announced that public masses may resume starting on May 19. There are guidelines posted here regarding the requirements: <https://www.aod.org/emergencyresponse> St. Augustine and Holy Family plan to add one mass each in order to allow more opportunities for people to attend mass. St. A's will add an 11:00 mass on Sunday, and Holy Family will add an 8:30 mass on Sunday. Mass will continue to be streamed on Facebook live. Have a wonderful weekend!

