



March 13, 2020

Dear SCA families,

I am writing to you today regarding a Diocese of San Bernardino update on COVID-19. The Diocese of San Bernardino has determined that proactive measures to ensure the health and safety of our school community members by joining the Riverside Unified School District to minimize the spread of COVID-19. As such, St. Catherine of Alexandria Parish School will be ***closing all school buildings starting Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> through Friday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>. School is scheduled to resume on Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup>.***

It is important that St. Catherine of Alexandria Parish School students continue to receive quality academic content during this time. We will be implementing the Distance Learning Protocol in order to maintain academic progress for students.

We are asking that all school children make arrangements to bring ***all school books and necessary resources home from school on Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup>***. On this day our campus will be open from 7:30 A.M. until 3:30 P.M. Families may stop by at any time between those hours. We appreciate your support making sure that children have the necessary materials at home to continue the learning progression. Each student should ***bring 1-2 tote bags to school on Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup>*** in order to accommodate the materials for home use.

Please know that the health and safety of our schools is paramount to the Diocese of San Bernardino. We look forward to partnering with your family in this amended protocol for the coming weeks. Please expect to hear from me weekly with updates and to continue opportunities for communication. During this time we recommend practicing social distancing with the goal of reducing the occasions where numbers of people come together and potentially are exposed to the virus that is circulating in the community.

Many thanks in advance for your understanding. We pray for our community members to remain healthy and well during this pandemic time.

Thank you and God bless,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Enrique Landin".

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