

# Saint Agnes Newsletter

Family Newsletter

March 25, 2020

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Our school closure has been extended through Friday, April 17th, and the tentative return date is Monday, April 20th. Per the Diocese, teachers are not allowed in the building until April 6th. Here is an overview of the next few weeks:

- March 23-27: NTI Week 2
- March 30-April 3: NTI Week 3
- April 6-10: M, T, W = calamity/snow days; Holy Thursday, Good Friday (No Instruction - all week)
- April 13-17: Easter Break (No Instruction)
- April 20: Tentative return to school

~ Erin Redleski

## SCHOOL NEWS

**Morning Announcements:** Please use these links to access Saint Agnes [Morning Announcements](#) and [Tell-a-Joke](#) playlists. If your student(s) would like to share a joke, please send in your video recording to Mrs. Woolley, [cwoolley@saintagnes.com](mailto:cwoolley@saintagnes.com).

**School Assignment Drop-off:** Completed paper assignments can be dropped-off from 7:15 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Friday, March 27th and April 3rd at the school office. Please place items including name and HR in the labeled bin.

**Grandparents' Day:** Due to our extended school closure, Grandparents' Day has been canceled. It will be rescheduled for fall of 2020.

## PTO NEWS

**Big Blue Bash Update:** The Big Blue Bash is still ON...LINE! If you have purchased tickets for the event, refund checks have been mailed out. All of our raffles, silent auctions, class gifts, student perks and teachers' wish lists are available for bid and purchase through our website [www.bbb2020.givesmart.com](http://www.bbb2020.givesmart.com) There are lots of great raffles and silent auction items on our site including: a 20 year Pappy Van Winkle, the Atlas Home Fitness Yeti Cooler filled with great beer/wine/spirits, FC Cincinnati family package, and Schulz and Son's jewelry raffle. We have also added \$20 raffles including an IPAD, private chef catered dinner for 8, Country Mega Tickets, Ultimate Air Shuttle Tickets, and Isle of Palms vacation. A detailed schedule of the raffle drawings and silent auction closing during the event will be posted on the website soon and on the Big Blue Bash Facebook Page. If you have not already liked us on Facebook, we can be found at Saint Agnes School Big Blue Bash. Feel free to post pictures of your family's celebration of the roaring 20's to our page that night. If you are not on Facebook, we will post raffle winners to the [www.bbb2020.givesmart.com](http://www.bbb2020.givesmart.com) site throughout the night. We are looking forward to celebrating virtually with each of you on Friday March 27th.

**CASH, CASH, CASH:** Please drop off all sold paper tickets in the church drop box (to the left of the door on the rectory porch) by 12:00/noon on Thursday March 26<sup>th</sup>. If this is not possible send an email to [Saintagnesbbb@gmail.com](mailto:Saintagnesbbb@gmail.com) to make additional arrangements. The online CASH,CASH, CASH ticket sales will end on March 27<sup>th</sup> at 12:00/noon to prepare for the drawing.

**Class Gifts:** New pictures of our Class Gifts raffle have been posted to the Big Blue Bash Website. Class gifts this year include a basket of playing cards with your children's class pictures included as well as some fun shots with faculty and staff! Each basket will come with 4 di, a note pad, pen and 5 chocolate coins. It is only \$5 a ticket! Who doesn't need a new deck of cards with such cute faces on it. The kids will love playing any type of card game with their friends' pictures on them!

**First Pick Raffle Update:** There are still 38 First Pick Raffle tickets left but time is running out! We will be closing the First Pick Raffle at 9:00 am on Thursday March 26<sup>th</sup>! The winner will be able to choose their prize from our many silent auction items! Each ticket is only \$20 each. You can purchase your First Pick Raffle tickets online at [www.bbb2020.givesmart.com](http://www.bbb2020.givesmart.com). The winner will be drawn on Friday, March 27th in the morning and posted to our Saint Agnes Big Blue Bash Facebook Page. Winner will be contacted via phone to choose their prize. First Pick Raffle excludes CEI Sports memorabilia and all other Raffle prizes. Some additional exclusions may apply. For questions about the First Pick Raffle or any other Big Blue Bash information, contact [saintagnesbigbluebash@gmail.com](mailto:saintagnesbigbluebash@gmail.com).

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## COMMUNITY NEWS

**Cov Cath Grade School Football Sign ups:** Sign up for Cov Cath's Colonels Youth Football (CYF) for 3rd through 8th grade now through April 30. CYF practices and plays home games on the Cov Cath fields. Teams play in the GCYL (Greater Catholic Youth League) with the parish schools feeding Elder, Moeller, Roger Bacon and LaSalle, while 7<sup>th</sup> grade teams play in NKY Middle School League. To register on-line or to get more information, see our website at [www.covcath.org](http://www.covcath.org), click on Athletics, click on Colonels Youth Football or email Bob Morris, CYF President, at [bmorris@covcath.org](mailto:bmorris@covcath.org). Walk-in sign-up day is on Saturday, April 25 from 11 to 1 in the gym foyer at Cov Cath.

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