Dear Parents,

After reviewing your responses, Father Marek, Deacon Nick, and I have come up with the following plan.

We will be splitting the grade levels up into 2 groups; Group A will include grades  $2^{nd}$ ,  $3^{rd}$ , and  $4-6^{th}$  - Group B will include grades K-1<sup>st</sup>, 7-8<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup>. Attached are the calendars for both groups. Confirmation (9<sup>th</sup> grade) will have the option of attending class on Sunday at the normal time or on Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.

Students and Catechists will be required to wear a mask. With fewer grades meeting each weekend we will be able to space the students out by 6ft.

If you are not comfortable sending your student to class even with these changes, we are offering a family faith-based option. We will send home the items needed for the month that the students in class will be reviewing. Once a month the student will need to complete some questions based on what the student learned over the month.

All other requirements will still hold as per the handbook for each grade level. All students will need to have a completed registration form no matter which option you are choosing. Without a completed registration form I cannot allow a student to stay for class and I will ask you to pick them back up and keep them home until one is filled out. Registration forms can be found on the Blessed Sacrament website, or in the church office.

Because of the spaces we will need to properly space the students out, I will not have spaces for parents to wait in the building for your student. If you wish to walk your student to class, you will be required to keep a social distance from others and wear a mask.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me.

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