

February 4, 2021

SAINT BERNADETTE SCHOOL



Small school. Big heart.

Tomorrow students may be out of uniform. They may wear jeans, khakis, or athletic pants (sweats, joggers, warm-ups) but no tight leggings or yoga pants. For tops, class t-shirts or other Saber-wear is appropriate and uniforms are fine, too.

**School
Website**

**Parish
Website**

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Our Open House was wonderful! Online registration has launched fairly well. One glitch we've noted is that when registering a student, use a desktop or laptop. The interface for a cell phone will not support registration.



Families can pay the registration fee and tech fees directly through Gradelink if they choose.

Please register your child by February 11.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK FEB. 1 - 5

Yesterday we celebrated the annual Living Rosary yesterday via video. Mrs. Roesel and a host of students pre-recorded the decades of the Rosary. Parent volunteer Brian Maynard edited the videos together and our students watched it and prayed it in classrooms. Click [HERE](#) to view and pray and the Rosary with our students.

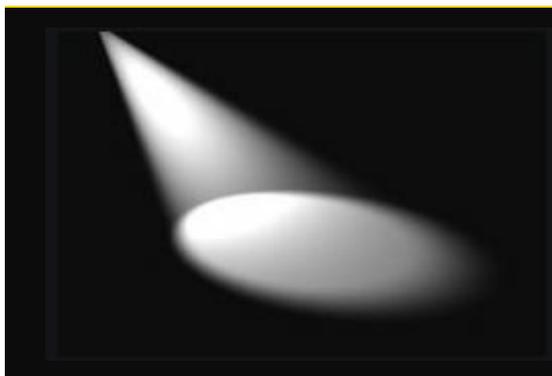
I hope to send out a special run-down of all events with some photos, too. We've been enjoying this week!

Blessings on your evening,

Mrs. I

Data Used to Support In-Person Learning

1 st Metric: Clermont County		2 nd Metric: Clermont County		3 rd Metric: St. Bernadette School data		
7 Day trend of Daily New Cases	Goal: <10	Percent of COVID tests that are positive	Goal: <5% (CDC) <3% (Harvard)	Cumulative COVID cases	Isolated (sick)	Quarantined (well) Current
↑ 11/5/2020	27	↑ 11/5/2020	5.8%	5	2	8 CC, 3 PT
↑ 11/9/2020	35	↑ 11/9/2020	6.2%	6	3	15 CC, 3 PT
↑ 11/11/2020	45	11/11/2020	6.2%	8	4	29 CC, 4 PT
↑ 11/16/2020	58	↑ 11/16/2020	13.0%	10	3	12 CC
↑ 11/22/2020	72	↑ 11/22/2020	14.1%	11	4	8 CC
↑ 11/30/2020	73	↑ 11/30/2020	14.8%	14	4	35 CC
12/3/2020	No data	12/3/2020	No data	16	6	32 CC
↑ 12/7/2020	78	↑ 12/7/2020	15%	17	3	18 CC
↑ 12/13/2020	94	12/13/2020	15%	18	2	8 CC
↓ 1/4/2021	83	1/4/2021	15%	18	0	4 CC
↑ 1/13/2021	103	1/13/2021	15%	20	2	2 CC
↓ 1/18/2021	73	1/18/2021	15%	21	1	0
↓ 1/24/2021	60	1/24/2021	15%	22	2	0
↓ 1/31/2021	55	1/24/2021	15%	23	2	8



8th Grade Spotlight on...

Jonathan Byrum
Sophia Cenci



Jonathan has been a student at St. B since kindergarten. On his first day of school he was disappointed he didn't learn to read that day, and he's been devouring academics ever since! Jonathan has completed high school Algebra I, is currently taking Algebra II, has been awarded merit scholarships, was Admitted With Distinction to McNicholas High School, and earned a Presidential scholarship to Summit Country Day. A self-proclaimed mathlete, Jonathan also enjoys chess, Magic the Gathering, and performed in *Schoolhouse Rock, Live! Jr.* in 2018 as Tom. He is a good friend to many, a helpful neighbor to the elderly, and a hero to his younger sister, Jessica.



Sophie started at St. Bernadette in our preschool at the age of three, but has been dancing since the age of two! For eleven years at St. B, Sophie has been making her mark through her participation in athletics, her passion for dance, and her strong academic growth. Sophie is a member of Collage, our liturgy choir, she served as Dance Captain in *Schoolhouse Rock, Live! Jr.* in 2018, and enjoyed Girl Scouts in her younger years. Sophie has been awarded the President's Award scholarship from Mt. Notre Dame and the Find Your Brilliance - Bible scholar scholarship from McNicholas. Sophie serves on Student Council as a class officer, and has a younger brother, Jacob.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

LOOKING AHEAD...

- TONIGHT - [LaRosa Pizza Challenge](#)
- Fri, Feb 12 - No Classes
- Sun, Feb 14 - Valentine's Day
- Mon, Feb 15 - No Classes
- Mon, Feb 15 - Don Rigo fundraiser for the Binoeders
- Wed, Feb 17 - Ash Wednesday

ON THE HORIZON...

- Fri, Mar 5 - End of 2nd Trimester



MARCUS & HEATHER'S STORY

Marcus Binoeder was recently diagnosed with an inoperable brain tumor. He is seeing a team of physicians at The Barrett Cancer Center and has started a course of treatment. Marcus will be fighting for his life while undergoing radiation and two forms of chemotherapy.

He is a father to two young children, Ben and Jenna. His wife, Heather, has just recently recovered from her OWN battle with cancer for the second time over the summer. Marcus will be unable to work for the foreseeable future, and Heather is not working due in part to her own recent medical battles.

Heather and Marcus have been so generous with their time and resources to so many of us over the years, and they need our help NOW!

BACK THE BINOEDERS BENEFIT

SATURDAY
FEB 27, 2021
11AM - 4PM*

JIMMY B'S BAR & GRILL
606 Ohio Pike
Cincinnati, OH 45245

- AUCTION - 3PM*
- RAFFLE BASKETS
- SPLIT THE POT

*Check Facebook event page for more details

Proceeds will be donated to the Binoeder family to cover medical and living expenses.



PLEASE WEAR MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCE



SCAN ME

FOR MORE EVENT INFO: <https://fb.me/e/3g8DmqeO5>

- **Prayers** for Marcus, Heather, Ben and Jenna are continuously needed. Visit the Grotto in prayer, or go online and offer a **Rosary**, start a **novena to St. Peregrine**, speak from your heart, or simply offer to God any sacrifices you make during the day to the Binoeder's intentions and needs.
- **Meal Train for The Binoeder Family**. The unique link associated with this Meal Train is: <https://mealtrain.com/6wo1wk> Click on the link to sign up to bring the family a meal.
- Would you like to view our students praying the Rosary? Click [HERE](#) and offer the Rosary for your special intentions and the needs of the Binoeders.



MORE HELP FOR THE BINOEDERS

Don Rigos in Amelia wants to help the Binoeders by donating 30% of food orders on Monday, February 15th. Carryout or dine-in during the lunch and dinner hours. Just a reminder that we are off that day so that would be a great day to eat out. Mention fundraiser when ordering. Thank

you for your continuing support.

What does it really mean to quarantine?

Quarantining is more than just staying out of the school building. A child who is quarantined may not interact with the public at all, and should wear a mask at home most of the time, especially if he or she has a caregiver who is vulnerable. Children who are quarantining should not be in stores, playing with others outside, or engaging with anyone outside their household until the quarantine is over. They should keep their distance from other members in their household as much as possible.

What does it mean to isolate?

Isolation requires removing a student from the rest of the family in the home. Caregivers should wear masks when interacting with the child and the child should wear a mask, too, even to enter a common area in the home. Disinfectants should be used liberally, and care should be taken to avoid "ongoing exposure" with other family members. When one family member is sick, normal quarantine lengths can stretch into 24 days for the rest of the family if isolation cannot be achieved.

**WE LOVE
OUR VOLUNTEERS**

CAN YOU HELP AT LUNCH or RECESS?

We have a great need, and anything you can offer will be appreciated.

We need volunteers to assist us with lunch distribution. This is an easy volunteer task! Any day you have to offer helps us and we only need you from 11:00-12:30. Working from home? Maybe you could squeeze us in? Sign up for **LUNCH HELP**.

Teachers are eating lunch everyday with their students and supervising on the playground, too, thanks to the pandemic. We could really use some help on the playground so that teachers can get a bit of break at lunch time. Please click **HERE** to sign up for playground help. Virtus required.

Quick Links

School Calendar 2020-2021

Lunch Menu

[Link to Order Lunch](#)

[Lunch Volunteer sign-up genius](#)

[Recess Volunteer sign-up genius](#)

Newsletters/Handouts

Parent/Student Handbook

[COVID-19 Handbook](#)

Schoolbelles (code S1952)

Gradelink

[code FACTS Login](#)

**Virtues in Practice (at home materials -
Year I, Year of Faith)**

Kroger Rewards

[Box Tops Bonus App](#)

**[1n5 Foundation](#) (great mental health
information)**

[Parish Website](#)

[Mind-Peace \(for mental health providers, click on Search for Providers\)](#)

[PTO](#)

[Virtus Login](#)

[Remind Sign-up](#)

