

Excellence in Education Under the Gospel

Good morning,

We are very excited to see all of the children this week! It has been great to hear the laughter and see the smiles! (Yes, I can see the smiles beneath the masks:))

Please note that we are not able to offer Before and After School Care for children attending in-school classes. Children in the Critical Service Workers remote learning are able to attend ASC until 4:30.

Mom's Pantry is scheduled for delivery **TODAY**, <u>June 16</u>. It will be ready for pick up between <u>3:00-3:30</u>. Please remember that many of the products require refrigeration and/or freezer, and so prompt pick up would be beneficial.

The current remote learning in the mornings with students in-school in the afternoons will continue until June 29th except for kindergarten and grade 7/8. Grade 7/8 remote learning will end on Friday, June 25th with the grade 8's attending their last in-school session on Monday, June 28th. The kindergartens will continue until June 28th. Both kindergarten and Grade 8 graduations will be on Tuesday, June 29th. We will have our last chapel, as a school, on Wednesday, June 30th with online classroom parties to follow. Please see your classroom(s) teacher emails for specific information for the classes.

We are excited for September and the hope to return to in-school classes! We hope that the situation in Winnipeg continues to steadily improve and we will be able to see everyone everyday! We will keep you informed of what the regulations and guidelines will be in August as we are notified by Manitoba Education and Public Health.

One of the most exhilarating aspects for the students advancing to a new grade is finding out who their teacher will be. As a teacher, it is also very exciting as it marks the beginning of planning for the next academic school year. Our staff are excited with the plans for next year as there will be a few changes and new beginnings.

Our staffing for 2021-22 will be: Kindergarten - Ms. Whitney Grade 1 & French - Mrs. Siemens (Ms. Leung) Grade 2/3 - Mrs. Van Dale Grade 3/4 & Resource- Ms. Meilleur Grade 5/6 - Mr. Bennett Grade 7/8 & French - Ms. Townsend K-Gr. 8 Phys. Ed - Mr. Wozney Music - Mr. Badiuk Educational Assistant - Ms. Ediger Please continue to keep Mrs. Butterfield in your prayers and we continue to pray for healing. We also continue to pray for Mrs. Petkau and her family. We wish Mlle Medeiros the best of luck in her new endeavors. A special thank you to Mrs. Isaak who has been an amazing asset to our team since January. Please keep them all in your prayers.

We have a fabulous staff who have worked tirelessly during this pandemic. Since the beginning of the pandemic the staff at BSLS have been so responsive and dedicated to the safety and well being of the students. With the ever changing regulations and public health orders and shifts to remote and in-school classes, this team has been amazing! A prayer of thanks to the Lord, for all of these amazing and dedicated teachers and staff, who have touched the lives of so many children here at BSLS!

Have a wonderful day and stay safe! Mrs. McCrea