



# SJB News & Notes

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May 15, 2020

## Principal's Corner

Dear SJB Families-

As you read in Fr. Tix's emailed letter this morning, I have chosen to resign my position as principal at St. John's School. While this was a tough decision for me, I know that it is what is needed for my family at this time. Please know that everything we have put in place this year, to continue the good work of Catholic education in our community, will continue even after I leave.

I am grateful that Archbishop Hebda has chosen to keep Fr. Tix at our school for the upcoming year. I will remain at St. John's through the end of this school year as Fr. Tix and the search committee look for a new principal. I am thankful for the many blessings that this school, students, and families have brought to me. I wish you all the best in the future!

Sincerely,  
Dawn Biren

## Graduations

Based on the recent announcements from Gov. Walz, here is how we plan to proceed with two of this year's graduations.

**Pre-K** - Mrs. Allen has created a beautiful slideshow to highlight the students who are graduating from our Pre-K program. This will be shared with all families.

**Kindergarten** - Mrs. Huneke has created a video to capture this past school year for our students who will be moving onto 1st Grade in the fall. This will be shared with all families.

**4th Grade** - More details to follow.

## Remaining Weeks of School Schedule

As a reminder, below is the school schedule for May. If you are unable to drop off your child's school issued Chromebook on June 2, please contact the office to make other arrangements.

### Friday, May 22

Last day of regular daily work

### Tuesday, May 26 - Friday, May 29

Virtual End-Of-Year Assessments with K-4 Teachers

### Friday, May 29

Last All School Mass (pre-recorded)

### Tuesday, June 2 from 5-7pm

This will be the "last day" together for the 2019-2020 school year.

- Drive Through Ice Cream Social
- Drop Off School Chromebooks
- Pick up Individual Summer Learning Plans

## School Roof Construction

With the closure of school, we decided to get a jump start on our construction projects for this summer. Beginning May 18, a construction company will be at school replacing the roof on the new building. During this time, Miss Deb's office will temporarily be in the K-4 building. Given this, if you are coming to school during the next 2-4 weeks during construction, you will need to call the office first, in order to have access to the school.

**Please Note:** The library book drop box is still accessible inside the front doors during the roof construction.



## Happy Birthday!

May 19 - Amelia Nitti  
May 19 - Rocco Casalenda

