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Dear Parents,

The Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon has formed a task force for the 2020-2021 school year. I am honored to be a member of that task force, working to create a framework for re-entry while following state guidance, CDC protocols, and the Department of Education.

The administration at at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School is ready for students to return in the fall under a variety of scenarios. We have created several master schedules in preparation and we will continue to update these planned scenarios with each change in guidance. We are planning for scenarios in which everyone is learning at home, to hybrid models that can scale for any number of people in school and at home. We are also planning for routines that support physical distancing, best practices for hygiene and wellness mandates for people in school.

The plans at OLL will evolve as new information arrives throughout the summer. With many uncertainties, we place our trust in God, and let our faith in Him guide us through these troubling times. We rely on prayers and continue to remind ourselves to "be still and know that I am God." (Psalm 46:10). We continue to make decisions with the wellbeing of our community and the continued education of students at the forefront of our minds.

More than ever OLL appreciates your support and trust as we navigate the end of this school year and the beginning of a new year in the fall. I am proud of the perseverance and dedication to hard work shown by every member of our community for the past few months.

We will get through this.

God Bless,

Corrine Buich

Principal