



Dear Messmer Parents, Grandparents, and Guardians:

You and your family are our main concern as we embrace the uncertainty that surrounds the Coronavirus (Covid-19) outbreak and as we make plans to insure the safety of our students and staff. Our country, state, and city have not been through anything like this before and we are all learning how to best respond together.

At times like this, people of faith are called to trust in God. As Christians, we are called to use our gifts and talents in service to all. At times like these we naturally get frustrated, impatient, and we all want answers. Please know that right now, a team of school administrators is working very hard to get the answers to the many questions people have been asking.

In the next few days, we will provide you information that covers the most urgent topics that will include:

- Progress on the work of **cleaning and disinfecting** our three school buildings
- Online and at-home **class instruction**
- Plans for **breakfast/lunch distribution** beginning next week for students
- Completing **Choice applications** and getting residency **verification** to school

Please stay alert to email and text communications, as well as to the Messmer website. We have created a special link to make information easily accessible to you:

<https://www.messmerschools.org/covid-19-home-page>

We value our relationship with you and your student. At times like these, families come together to support one another. While the situation in our world will limit our literally coming together, we can remain one family in our thoughts and prayers, and in our belief that soon this crisis will pass. May God be with each of us as we find unique ways to do his will and may He also bless all those healthcare workers whose heroic work will bring comfort to the sick.

Peace and health,

Jim Piatt
President