

March 13, 2020

Dear Bethany School Family,

This letter is to announce that Monday, March 16, 2020 will be our last day of school. Bethany Preschool, Elementary and Middle School will be closed from Tuesday, March 17th through Friday, March 27th. You may be aware that both Los Angeles and Long Beach Unified School Districts are closing from Monday, March 16th and will resume April 20th. Bethany will reopen on Monday, March 30th if not sooner. With information changing quite rapidly adjustments will be made as needed.

What will the following days look like for our community?

Preschool:

- Follow the same schedule
- Will be open during Spring break, April 13th through April 17th
- The last day of school is moved to June 18th

Elementary & Middle School:

- Online learning will begin Wednesday, March 18th. Your child will receive books, homework packets and/or online instructions to take home Monday, the 16th. The staff has been preparing for this as a viable possibility. We were not caught off guard and we are ready!
- Supplies for effective studying will go home as needed

Staff:

• All staff will continue to come in to work and will be available online, in person or by phone.

Off Campus School Trips:

- 6th Grade I have contacted Gleanings and they have given us the green light; we are still attending. Edna Beck will be in touch with you and she is excited about this trip. Mrs. Beck will follow through with information as usual.
- 7th & 8th Grades Pursuant to American Christian Tours both Catalina and East Coast trips have green lights as well and they are planning an exceptional time of fun and learning for your child.

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School Events:

- Dad's Donut Day, March 20th CANCELLED
- Preschool Spring Sing, April 3rd postponed
- CPK Fundraiser, April 6th postponed
- Savers Fundraiser $23^{rd} 25^{th}$ postponed
- Auditions for Variety Show postponed

Parents, my staff and I will partner with you every step of the way during the coming weeks. This is uncharted territory but we are ready for the challenge. It is our calling. Preschool, you will continue to communicate with your child's teacher as usual. Elementary & Middle School, please watch your MySchoolWorx account for messages and announcements regarding your child's continued learning during this time.

Should you have any questions and/or concerns please contact me directly. The office will remain open during this time and I will be available.

Lastly, parents we are praying for you during this time. God's word says He will supply all of your needs according to His riches and glory, Philippians 4:19. We are God centered and we will not waiver on the education of your child. Thank you for partnering with us.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Tonia Hill, M.A. Principal

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