

St. Peter Catholic School

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Dear St. Peter School Families,

After much deliberation, I regret to inform you that the decision has been made to close the preschool at the end of this school year. Our numbers were negatively affected by the pandemic, and we have been struggling and ultimately unable to come back from such financial loss. Please know that this was not an easy decision to make.

This decision comes after several years of analysis, discussion, and collaboration with the School Advisory Council, Finance Council, and Pastoral Council based on financial data, enrollment trends, and increased personnel costs in an attempt to seek guidance and hear different points of view. Several avenues were explored in an attempt to continue the preschool program including building construction, mobile classrooms, and relocating to another campus. Unfortunately, each of these options presented roadblocks rendering us unable to continue along those paths in time for the start of next school year.

While this is not ideal, it is the most financially responsible decision and is in the best interest of the school at this time. We are also fully committed to continue exploring options for bringing back our PreK program in the future if circumstances allow. Our commitment, moving forward, is to continue to provide the highest standard of education and spiritual growth to all of our students as we move towards further enriching the value St. Peter School provides. We thank you for your continued support and look forward to continuing to serve our community.

Blessings,

Brittany Craddolph Principal