

St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"We can do hard things."

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Dear St. Stanislaus Kostka Families,

I hope this letter finds you safe, warm, and healthy. We are again, as disappointing at it is, in a state of closure to do a positive case of COVID in our school. This puts us on virtual instruction up to **December 4**, and we are closed on **November 26-27** for Thanksgiving break. We are also closed for a Bishop's holiday on **November 7**, and will return to the building for in-person instruction on **December 8**.

We have worked hard to maintain a zero transmission rate within our building, which is why these closures are so important. That being said, life goes on outside of our building and we cannot control what gets brought in. Now more than ever it is important that everyone wear their masks during drop-off and pick-up, and keep their children home should they exhibit any symptoms. If you have any questions regarding possible contact please call the school, as many of you have done already. We would rather air on the side of caution than have a potential exposure in our building. The safety of the students and faculty is our top priority.

I want to be clear that if your child is ever in a class that experiences direct contact a specific email will be sent home to you explaining that. The entire school is made aware of any positive cases via email as well. If you still have questions after you receive any email correspondence please contact the office.

Thank you for your ongoing support of our school. It is one of the things that makes St. Stanislaus Kostka such a special place! As always, please contact me with any questions or concerns. I wish you all a very blessed and Happy Thanksgiving! You will be in my prayers.

Regards

Lori Hodder Principal