

## St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

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"Sometimes we are tested not to show our weaknesses but to discover our strengths."

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Dear St. Stans' Families:

Through perseverance and sheer will we are able to find our strength in every test God gives us. What we also can find in those tests, is God by our side helping to carry our load and encouraging us each step of the way. Tests are an opportunity to grow closer to our Lord.

We are all certainly being tested with the news of the Coronavirus and its potential effect on our health. My prayers are that this is a test that leaves us prepared but not having to implement plans to close our school. I sent home a message yesterday, explaining what we are doing to minimize the spread of this virus or any other virus. We are also sending out letters to all organizations that use our building so they know our plan and can implement it during their events.

On a lighter note, we are in the midst of our read a thon. It is our hope to raise at least \$7500.00 in donations. We are \$2500.00 away from that goal. If you have not registered your child or asked them to get donations from family and friends, it is not too late. Please be part of this event \$100.00 per family will make an amazing difference.

Just a couple of reminders:

- If you have not turned in your transportation or textbook forms please do so by Monday (even
  if you may move or don't use transportation) these forms keep bus routes open and textbooks
  in our students hands.
- 2. Grades five to eight will be taking their field trip on March 11th. Teachers have sent home information on what they can bring and what the day will look like.
- 3. Monday, March 9th is an early dismissal day.
- 4. Thursday, the student council is sponsoring denim day for cancer. All proceeds raised from this out of uniform day will go towards helping to find a cure.

As always, you are all in my prayers for health, safety and prosperity.

Elena Malinconico

Principal