



October 9, 2020

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Families,

As we partner together to keep our great Nazareth School safe from Covid-19, I ask that you help by following the guidance outlined in our Nazareth School Reopening plan, specifically in regards to travelling and informing Nazareth School of any potential exposure to an individual with COVID-19. I have highlighted these specific areas below, and respectfully ask you to re-read and follow these guidance's on our safe school practices. In addition, when we temperature check children at the drop off, we ask parents a comprehensive screening question: Do you have a cough, any difficulty breathing or have you been any exposed to anyone with COVID-19? We want to partner with all parents to make sure we continue to faithfully educate your children in the safest and best possible manner. It takes us all working together to ensure the Nazareth Community remains healthy.

GUIDANCE IF EXPOSED (pg. 18)

While we all hope to avoid exposure to illness from COVID19, we need to be prepared for that possibility. If you or someone you've been in contact with has been exposed to the virus, our first concern is for your health and safety and those around you. In this rapidly changing situation, healthcare providers should have the most up-to-date information from the CDC.

Please do the following:

1. Quarantine yourself in a specific room away from others in your home
2. Contact the following (in order of priority), let them know you have been exposed to COVID19, then follow their instructions.
 - a. Your healthcare provider
 - b. Nazareth School's administrator
 - c. Your supervisor
3. Your supervisor will work with HR to determine appropriate next steps.
4. In case of an emergency, call 911 and let them know you have been exposed to COVID19, then follow their instructions.

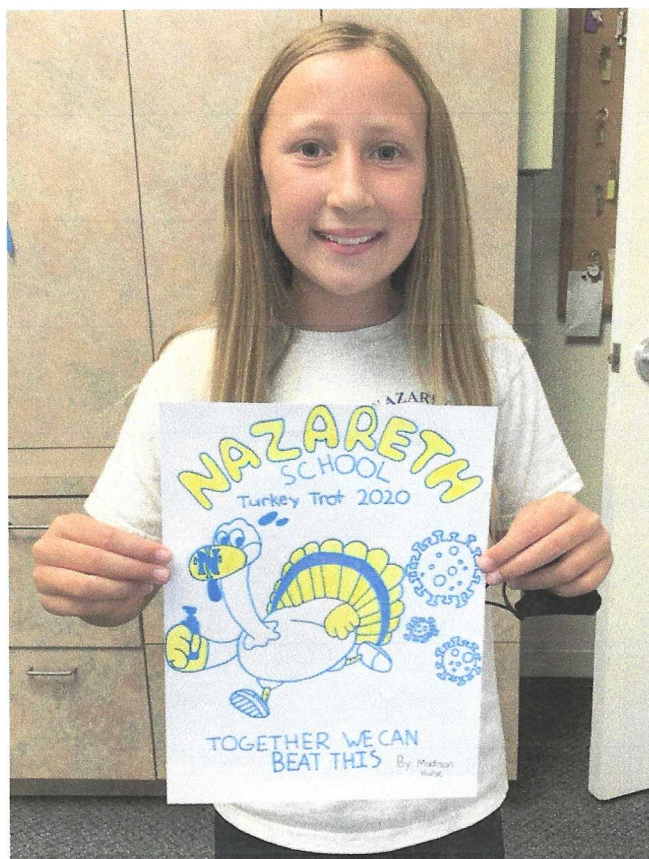
TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS (pg. 7)

If a child, household member, teacher or staff member travels to **another county** or state with widespread community transmission, they must use the following regulations:

- [Practice social distancing](#)
- Be alert to symptoms
- Watch for fever, cough, shortness of breath, and [other symptoms](#) of COVID-19
- Take temperature if symptoms develop
- Follow [CDC guidance](#) if symptoms develop

Nazareth School would appreciate open communication about travel and potential exposure to keep everyone safe during this time.

Thank you to all of the wonderful Nazareth students for their awesome Turkey Trot t-shirt designs. All of the entry's were created with great care and amazing creativity. The winner for this year's Turkey Trot design is Miss Madison Hulse.



Thank you to all of the volunteers who are helping to reimagine our Halloween Trunk or Treat on Friday, October 30th from 6-8pm. It is a drive-thru Halloween celebration, with every class decorating a car, and handing out treats to kids as they drive by. This year's eighth grade's theme will be Haunted Carnival. For the safety, no children or parents will be permitted out of their cars as they drive thru, it truly is a mobile Halloween event.

We will be permitting students to come to school, on Friday, October 30th, in their Halloween costumes. The costumes must be Catholic School appropriate, no fake gooey, scary blood, no blow-up costumes, no weapons, no costume masks allowed over your COVID-19 masks. Students costumes must be comfortable and allow the students to learn during class. We will be having a virtual Costume parade, so please complete the Parent Media Release Form on the Nazareth School website, please go to Parents/Parent Resources.

I wanted to extend my great appreciation to the 7th Grade and Mrs. Kinkead for their excellent participation in Thursday Rosary and Friday Mass. Father Raymond Philip had a wonderful Homily about the importance of Hospitality especially when we welcome Jesus Christ into our lives through the Sacrament of the Eucharist. Next week, we will have 6th grade participating in the Mass. We encourage the class specific distance learners to join us for Mass, but ask parent to remain in the car, as we are adhering to the Covid-19 state guidelines.

Please read the entire Nazareth News for all of the fun upcoming events! Especially the PTG Family Fun Zoom Night on Tuesday, November 10th, it will be a great time to relax with our Nazareth Community.

God watch over our students,
God watch over our parents,
God watch over our teachers and staff!

God Bless,

Mrs. René Coons
Principal
Nazareth School