

## OSM Board Mtg Notes – 12/1/2021

- Laura called the meeting to order at 4:00

- Fr. Brad led the prayer

- Diana Smith highlighted the **Knights of Distinction**:

- Student – Liam Brennan
- Teacher – Jill VanderHye
- Staff – Nurses – Aimee Hwang & Beth Toth

- Beth Toth provided the **Health Update**

- the week of 12/1/2021 there were 8 current cases of Covid and 7 close exposures. Compared to last school year there had been 30 cases of Covid. At the time of the meeting there had been 21 cases during the current school year. OSM is holding a vaccination clinic with the IDPH on 12/13 with a 2<sup>nd</sup> shot clinic on 1/3/2022.

- **Important School Dates –**

- All School Mass on 12/8/
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation on 12/10/2021
- Book Buying at 2 local bookstores for the Blue Ribbon Fund on 12/11/2021
- Santa's Workshop on 12/12/2021
- All-School Sing on 12/17/2021

- **DEI** – Jen and Quinn – DEI Survey thru Exeter Group is out to all OSM families

- **Catholic Identity** – Sonjia Waxmousky

- Speaker Talks
- What can they do with the Parish, School, School Admissions to assist?
- New Parent Group/FSA

- **Academic Excellence** – Chris Kelly

- Academic Night
- Resource Bank
- Curriculum

Kurt S. talked about a school report card/school profile

- **Financial Vitality** – Laura V.

- Engaged parishioner
- Blue Ribbon Fund – a mailer has gone out to all the OSM families

- **Parish Report** – Fr. Brad

- Oct/Nov increasing numbers at masses

- Renew my church – pastors having 1<sup>st</sup> in-person meeting in 2 weeks.

Evangelization across spectrum of leadership/groups

Town Halls on 2/5/2022 and 3/5/2022

School Parish Events –

- Trunk or Treat
- Santa's Workshop
- Giving Tree
- Courtyard has been resurfaced with concrete to allow for more activities.

EOY Report –

Parish and School – deficit mode due to pandemic

OSM Parish App

Annual Celebration on Thursday 12/16 at 7 pm.

Filipino Community Event – Saturday – 500-year anniversary of Catholicism in the Philippines

Holiday Mass Schedule –

- 4pm and 7pm on Christmas Eve
- 8am and 11am on Christmas
- Regular mass on the Sunday after Christmas
- New Year's is not a holy day of obligation

**•FSA Report**

- Uniform Resale
- Christmas gifts for teachers
- Chicago Food Depository volunteer opportunity in Jan.
- Catholic School's Week