March 25, 2020

Good Evening Parents, Guardians, Faculty and Staff,

As most of you have probably heard by now, Governor Charlie Baker announced he is extending his mandatory closure of all Massachusetts schools to May 4, 2020.

We will begin working to prepare for the extended closure and we will keep you informed as our plans develop.

Our hope over these last two weeks was to get students settled into a routine and engaged in learning that I believe has been indeed happening. We will adjust or goals and expectations so that we can continue with the remote learning at St. A's for the next month.

As always we appreciate any comments, questions, and suggestions from all of you and we will continue to make necessary adjustments as needed.

As you are a valued part of our school community, the last thing we want to do is cause further stress and financial burden for your family during this unprecedented time. With that, we understand that a financial commitment may be difficult at this time given the current circumstances. So we have made the decision to delay the April 15th deposits on 2020-2021 tuition until further notice. We do hope that you can provide a minimum commitment by April 15th in Renweb by doing your re-registration form that was due in February. We thank all those who have already done so. If you know that your child will not be returning for September please still go into Renweb and click re-registration and then click "Will not Enroll". These numbers will help us plan for next year and give us the opportunity to accept new students who are applying now.

Thank you again for your continued support of St. Augustine School and know that you are all in my prayers for continued good health.

God Bless all of you,

Mrs. Paula O'Dea, principal