

News from the Nest

Greetings Parents and Students,

It's the last week of the 2019-2020 school year!

There will be a **closing school Mass** on Wednesday, May 20 at 8:45 a.m. via All Saints Parish live. Join us by going to the parish website at www.allsaintslemars.org or watch at your convenience via the recording on the parish website.



A **prayer service** for elementary students will be recorded and shared on May 21. An email and textcaster notice will provide information on the time of the release of that recording.

The **pick-up/drop off of student materials** will be held during the late afternoon or early evening on May 27th and 28th. The process for this will be shared later this week.

Please gather library books, textbooks and any other items that belong to school and have them ready to exchange when the curbside event occurs.

On **May 21** -Last day of school, wear your **Green** and **Gold** and share that **Gehlen Catholic pride!**

- Thanks to **teachers** who have worked diligently to provide quality educational experiences for students during unprecedented times.
- Thanks to **parents** who supported their children and assisted with ongoing learning activities besides the usual parenting and work responsibilities.
- Thank you to **students** who participated as best as possible, brought smiles to teachers and engaged in learning whether with school-provided ongoing learning activities or real world experiences.
- **Thank you and best wishes** to those who will not be returning next year:
 - Mr. Engebretson who will be retiring.
 - Mr. Sexe who will be heading to Hinton Public Schools to teach 5th grade.
 - Mrs. Koth who will be teaching at Kluckhon next school year.
 - To students who may be moving to other cities, states or school systems.

If you are in need of **resources** (faith, food, tech assistance, emotional supports, behavior supports, etc.), feel free to contact me nussbaum@gehlenatholic.org or Mrs. Jessica Brady, Elementary School Counselor jbrady@gehlenatholic.org for a list of options available.

With God's grace we'll see you in the fall!

Wishing you peace, health and safety!

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Stay safe. Stay healthy. Practice social distancing. Wear a mask.