

Saint Brigid Catholic School
Virtual PTO Meeting Agenda
October 9, 2023 6:00 p.m. – Virtual

PTO Mission Statement: “The mission of the Saint Brigid Catholic School Parent and Teacher Organization is to assist in providing moral, spiritual, and financial support that directly benefits the children who attend Saint Brigid Catholic School. In addition, the mission of the PTO is to provide such support to the staff of the school, enabling them to continually provide quality educational experiences for our children.”

1. Opening Prayer 1 minute

2. Introductions

Fr. Andy, Laura Wilkowski, Bob Corbett, Sara Graves, Sherri Nemeth, Michelle Twigg, Lynn Lundburg, Amanda King, Angelina Mitus, Ashley Rohn, Scott Keyes, Beth McLaren, Brad Cayo, Casey Beson, Danielle Fergin, Katty Owens, Darcy Lauren, Erin Southwell, Richard Adam, Heather Syrylo, Jamie Prior, Janae Newland, Justin Yopp, Kathryn Getzinger, Kim Bennett, Kristen Granzo, Amos Mallek, Sarah Dorow, Tessa Peterson, Tony Torreano, Rebecca Pider, Shannon Luft, Barb Doyle

3. Reports

a. Pastor’s Report 10 minutes

*Certification process is well underway! Next month there is an ICLE event that Fr Andy will attend with some St B’s staff.

*Stay prayerful about what types of media your child is exposed to. They are aware of more than we think they are and they notice what we do and say in response to world events. Let’s work to reduce fear around these topics.

b. Principal’s Report 7 minutes

*This is the paper year for our accreditation process. Collecting evidence for 13 standards with several sub-standards. This is a long process, but allows us to reflect on our practices. Next year will be the site visit.

*Student Spirit Day for Elementary is Thursday—Heroes vs Villains

*Heroes=red Villains=blue

*Collecting can money towards a water bottle station (and filters)

*Monday (10/16) is the Living Rosary @ 8:30 in the church

*October 24th is picture retakes

*Retakes are free for those that had blue teeth

*November 10th @ 8:30 a.m. is the Veteran’s Day Ceremony. Please invite any vets that you know to join us!

*ICLE Happenings

*Socratic Circles in 5th grade—amazing depth of thinking!

*Illustrative Math lessons across grade levels

*Halloween Parties are at the end of the month—emails from Room Parents should be coming soon!
Trick or treating downtown will happen, as always. Please thank the downtown businesses for providing such a wonderful experience for our students!

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| c. Treasurer's Report | 10 minutes |
| Nothing to report tonight. 😊 | |
| d. Scrip Coordinator Report | 5 minutes |
| Volunteers needed to sell SCRIP. Please contact Mandy Duling. | |
| e. Emerald Evening Report | 5 minutes |

*First meeting went well!

*There are still LOTS of great opportunities to volunteer for the event.

*Announcements coming soon about raffle tickets!

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| f. President's Report | 5 minutes |
| ● Catholic Schools Week: January 29-February 2 | |

Questions/Comments:

- *Logo Wear Sale will reopen the first week of November—just in time for holiday gift giving! \$3 of every item purchased comes back to St B's. A link will be sent out via email. Items may be available at the school for parents to look at for sizing.