Saint Brigid Catholic School Virtual PTO Meeting Agenda November 13, 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

2. Present: Ben Fergin, Amanda King, Amy Dittenber, Angelina Mitus, Barbara English, Beth McLaren, Bob Corbett, Bridget Merk, Casey Beson, Erin Wohlfert, Father Andy, Jill Thill, Justin Yopp, Katty Owens, Kristen Granzo, Laura Wilkowski, Lynne Lundberg, Mallek Family, Richard Adam, Sara Graves, Sarah Dorow, Scott Keyes, Tami Heilman, Vickie Wakeman, Shannon Luft, Sherri Nemeth, Michelle Twigg, Darcy Laurin, Andrea Stall, Anne Lange, Kathryn Getzinger

3. Reports

A. Treasurer's Report

 Encouraged everyone to scan for Box Tops. Easy way to raise funds for our school.

B. Laura Wilkowski introduced Emerald Evening:

- Kristen Granzo announced the theme Where the Wild Things Are.
 Decorations will be jungle themed and around the book Where the Wild Things Are. Attire is cocktail wear or Sunday best or on the theme. Kristen is leading the donors. She has a donor form, you may contact her for past donors that you want to call on or contact somebody else that you may want to ask to be a donor.
- Vicky Wakeman is leading the cash raffle. 51 tickets have been sold out of 1,000. Seller incentives and a flier was sent home last week.
- Anne Lange is leading sponsorships. The goal this year is \$65,000. We currently have \$42,000 in sponsorships. There are four levels, each with perks. It is a tax deductible donation. There will be many volunteer opportunities the night of the event. We will feed you pizza and salad. Jill Wisniewski and Heather Syrylo are heading up the volunteers. They will need volunteers for games, set up and tear down the night of the event.

C. Pastor's Report

- Thank you to everyone who has volunteered.
- December 3rd is the start of a new year.
- Ignite faith by coming to the Eucharistic Revival. It is being held once a month at the church. It is happening this Thursday.
- Sign up to take home the Vocation Chalice for one week. Thank you to those who have already taken it.
- Make Sunday a priority. Don't worry about kids making noise at Mass.

D. Principal's Report

- Volunteers are needed for the craft fair, cocoa crawl and baked goods for this weekend. We will also need volunteers for setup and clean up. You may sign up on Sign Up Genius which is on the Facebook page.
- You may sell Emerald evening tickets at the craft fair.
- Keep reading your email as I am telling you about new things we are
 doing including Illustrative Math. The students are more engaged and I
 am very excited about what's happening at our school. Also look for more
 in the newsletter about what I am seeing.
- Father Andy and I will be gone on Thursday and Friday since we are going to an ICLE leadership conference. Sherri will handle things while I am gone.
- The students have been very busy doing service projects. They have completed Christmas cards, veteran cards and placemats.
- Tours are taking place at our school.
- Thank you for sharing Facebook posts about the long-term sub which is needed and Emerald Evening. Thank you for sharing the good news.
 Likewise, if you have an issue please contact me directly.

E. Scrip Coordinator Report

No report

Next Meeting December 11th @ 6 p.m.