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Dear Parents and Guardians,

As a school community we continue to work hard following the protocols to keep our staff and students safe. Alberta Health Services has notified us confirming that our school is no longer considered an Outbreak. There are currently no active COVID cases in our school.

This week, you would have received information directly from Red Deer Catholic Regional Schools' Superintendent, Kathleen Finnigan, regarding the recent COVID-19 measures the province has put in place. Due to these orders, effective Monday, November 30, 2020 all grade 7 to 12 students in the province of Alberta will move to at home learning.

These new measures **do not** impact Pre-Kindergarten to grade 5 students and we will be remaining open for in person learning until December 18, 2020. We will continue to be vigilant with our risk mitigation strategies and protocols to keep our school safe for students and staff. We thank you for ensuring that you are completing the daily screening of children prior to sending them to school each day. If your child answers yes to any of these symptoms they should not attend school.

- [Daily Screening for Children Under 18 Link](#)

Our Christmas break this year is December 19, 2020 until January 3, 2021. For the week of January 4-8, 2021, all students from Pre-Kindergarten to grade 12 will move to at home learning. All students will return to face to face in classroom learning Monday, January 11, 2021. Further information about at home learning for the one week of at home learning will be shared with you once plans are finalized.

We thank you for working alongside us during this time. The safety of students and staff continue to be a priority as we take direction from the Alberta Government, the Chief Medical Officer and our Superintendent of Schools. As these are unprecedented times, we continue to trust in the Lord with all our hearts, leaning on each other for support and companionship. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact our administrative team at the school.

God bless and stay safe,

Rori-Lynn Daniel / Stacey Martz
Holy Family Administration Team