The health and safety of our students and staff are our top priorities. Please see the following directive <u>effective immediately.</u>

All diocesan schools will be closed through April 3, 2020. Local school offices will provide further details to our families.

Specific to <u>Catholic schools</u> within the Diocese of Gary, we are directing that all extra-curricular meetings, school sponsored events (over 250 attendees), fundraisers (over 250 attendees), field trips and non-essential meetings be cancelled until further notice.

Communication from Diocesan leadership regarding parish life and ministries will follow.

As a community of faith, I ask that you pray especially for the sick and vulnerable, healthcare providers, public health officials, and all community leaders during the weeks to come.

God Bless, Dr. Joseph Majchrowicz Superintendent of Catholic Schools Diocese of Gary



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