



March 30, 2020

Principal's Pen

Week three of BBCS online learning will soon be in the books, and after that, I want each of our students, parents, and faculty to take a deep sigh of relief, and enjoy a week of spring break before we resume online education on April 13. It appears now that the earliest we will be able to return to school will be May 4, but we are not in control of this situation and will continue to watch, trust and pray. This is obviously a week to week evaluation of the condition of our community, but currently this is what appears may happen.

I hope that amidst the unprecedented change in our routine life style, you have taken time to thank the Lord for the good things, especially time with your family, that this event has provided. This pandemic was a shock to us, but no surprise to the Lord and He will be glorified through this, as He has been throughout all of history.

As soon as you get a chance, I would love for you to click on this link and add your special prayer requests to this google doc. At the end of the newsletter, I will share the requests which have been shared so far.

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1yBEebpQWCixUrJlsw9bsSh8_0N8zEifodb2ileTEB7I/edit?usp=sharing

I featured this link last week, but I don't think our school families knew that they also could add their prayer requests. I would love it if you, our school families, would add new requests so that we can all pray for each other.

I appreciate so much the feedback a handful of you have given to help us best communicate and stay organized as students work at home. Hopefully by now, you and your family have established a routine, because all the research I have been able to gather indicates that a daily routine is best for student learning, even though students are currently at home.

We still have a few devices at school that you could borrow if that will help you. Simply email me with your request. In addition I am making our google test calendar available for viewing and have asked teachers to also put their Zoom meetings on the calendar to try to minimize conflicts, especially for those of you who are juggling both elementary students and upper level students. Although we are using a variety of resources (lower elementary, SeeSaw; most others classes, Google Classroom), I still want each student to go to FACTS each day to check assignments and link from there to other platforms. This will also help both parents and students to see the day at a glance.

<https://calendar.google.com/calendar?cid=ZDUxOGM4czZxcGxra2xzYWxqaXZoc2NsdTBAZ3JvdXAuY2FsZW5kYXluZ29vZ2xlLmNvbQ>

We are praying for your family, trusting God for His provision for you, and encourage you to keep your eyes focused on Him, not just during this challenging time, but as a way of life.

Stay encouraged and reach out if we may help you.

Dr. C

Chapel:

Since we are unable to host a live chapel this week, this recorded chapel is by Pastor Kevin Williams.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gX6HnzIOULc>

Senior High 1st Place GACS Winners

The following students represented BBCS exceptionally well at GACS on March 13. We are extremely proud of the hard work and discipline of each student and, more importantly, the Christ-like spirit they demonstrated, doing “all to the glory of God” on a day when they knew they would not be able to advance to AACCS National Competition. We hope this GACS experience reminds them of a fun and productive year in Fine Arts. We also pray that the talents developed and lessons learned will motivate them to use their talents for the Lord in the future.

Acrylic Painting: Elizabeth Hill

Monochromatic Drawing: Kyla Black

Biological Science Project: Reagan Trotter

Physical Science Project: Joshua Pass

Political Science Test: Luke Page

Spanish Test: Gwynneth Hernandez

Old Testament Test: Griffin Davis

Woodwind Solo: Holly Taylor

String Solo: Holly Taylor

Sacred Piano Solo: Leeanne Starr

Classical Piano Solo: Luke Page

Oral Interpretation of Scripture: Leeanne Starr

Oral Interpretation of Poetry: Luke Page

Bells of Praise Ensemble: Kyla Black, Gwynneth Hernandez, Elizabeth Hill, Leeanne Starr, Holly Taylor, Reagan Trotter

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Concert Choir: Zaylan Ahmed, Kyla Black, Kelly Chance, Christian Chavous, Griffin Davis, Ramiyah Durden, Carleigh Ethridge, Katelyn Harris, Jonathan Henry, Vicky Li, Daniel Macouzet, Manuel Mathieu, Delaney Nething, Kyle Page, Luke Page, Joshua Pass, Ethan Roye, Briana Spencer, Leeanne Starr, Paulina Torres, Braden Trotter, Reagan Trotter, Vienna Xing, Godwill Yawli

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1. **Go to your ParentsWeb.**
2. **Click on Apply/Enroll.**
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4. **Click Open Online Enrollment.**
5. **Click Start Enrollment Packet.**

Mr. and Mrs. Aikens	Mr. Aikens is having to work many hours since he works for Kroger, stocking shelves, he is still not completely well from his surgery. Please pray for strength for him. Mrs. Aikens hurt her back, and is going to a chiropractor.
Aubri Barber's Mom	Mother is having difficulty finding a sitter. Hers is sick right now.
Kelly Chance	Kelly is struggling being stressed with all that is going on.
Mrs. Diokpara	Is on the front lines of risk in working with the public in her job. Please pray for protection for her.
Mrs. Evans	Was supposed to have surgery to have her gallbladder removed. They put it on hold because of the virus. She is in a lot of pain.
Amaya's mother	Has a lot of contact with people with her job. She asked that we pray for protection for her and her family.
Katelyn Harris	Continued prayer for healing of her ankle.
Heather Roye	Said that her sister and family are in isolation right now and asked if we would keep them in our prayers.
Mrs. Waldrip	Sounded pretty weak when I spoke with her.
Cassie Taylor (graduate)	Will not be returning to China. Doing online school.
Mrs. Mathieu	Asked if we could pray about her job. She was unsure if she would still have one for very long.
Mrs. McClure	Is concerned about her job. She is a realtor. She said things have been very quiet and they have to work from home.
Mrs. Stith	Said she is having some health issues, tumor or kidney (not cancerous), and nodules on her breast. Asked if we would pray for her.
Mrs. Strickland	Her Dad just lost his job. Prayer needed