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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I hope this letter finds you well and that you are enjoying a wonderful Spring. Our baseball, softball, and track seasons are in full swing! Thank you to everyone who was able to attend the 60th Anniversary Mass and celebration. We raised over \$18,000 with the Super 50/50. We are about thirty school days from the end of the year, and know there are still many things that have to be accomplished before June 12.

As you are aware, we are in the midst of our third round of MAP Testing for the 2023-2024 school year. Traditionally, we send MAP scores home with report cards at the end of the year. If your child currently receives services from the commission for Compensatory Education or Supplemental Education, new 407-1 forms are required to be signed and returned so that services can be planned for the coming school year. Those forms will come home prior to the end of the school year. Those services are based on test scores. Students with scores below the 40% qualify for additional services. If you want your child to receive those services, then sign and return the form. If you don't want your child to receive the services, then simply write declined on the top of the form and return it to school.

Last week, all students received a dark green t-shirt with the school's crest on it. If you recall the artifacts that we bring to the altar during Catholic Schools Week, we hope to have a similar photograph of students on the 60th anniversary. We took a large group photo on Friday as a part of the celebration of our 60th Anniversary. Because many students were absent, we are going to take a similar photo next September. Students will be asked to wear those shirts again, so please don't lose them!

The excitement is building for the drama club's production of *The Descendants*. Students who purchased a drama club t-shirt will have their dress down day on Friday, May 17 to support the drama club. The performances of the play will be on May 17 and 18 at 7pm. If you haven't purchased tickets yet, there is still time! Please see the school website for information.

Here are a few dates that you need to be aware of:

May 6 - 17 MAP Testing for grades 1-8
May 7-9 - Book Fair
May 8-12 - Teacher Appreciation Week

*The mission of St. Bartholomew School is to love, educate and inspire
our children to live the teachings of Jesus Christ.*

May 17 & 18 - St. Bart's Drama Club Presents - *The Descendants*

June 4 - Field Day

June 5 - PreK4 - Step Up @ 9:30 AM

June 6 - PreK3 - Step Up @ 9:30 AM

June 7 - Kindergarten Step Up @ 9:00 AM

June 7-11 - Early dismissal at 11:30 AM

June 11 - Early dismissal at 11:30 AM & last day of aftercare

June 12 - Last day of school (11:30 AM dismissal)

Thank you for your continued support of our wonderful school.

Wishing you a wonderful week,

Mrs. Theresa Craig, M.Ed.

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