



MEMORANDUM

TO: Pastors of Schools and School Administrators in the Diocese of Joliet

FROM: Most Reverend Richard E. Pates + REP

DATE: August 14, 2020

RE: School Openings Next Week

Thank you ever so much for going the extra mile in preparation for the opening of our schools next week. I know you have greatly extended yourselves.

I am also very grateful to Superintendent, Dr. Michael Boyle and the Catholic Schools Office Staff who are providing leadership and guidance.

SAFETY at this crucial time, as you are well aware is our number one priority.

- All need to wear face masks
- Maintain six-foot social distancing
- Wash hands and sanitize frequently

Be assured of my heartfelt prayers and support.