



**Our Lady of Perpetual Help School  
Dallas, Texas**

**A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL...**

August 17, 2018

## **Welcome back!**

Dear Parents/Guardians,

I am excited to see all of you back and want to welcome all our new students and their families. It is exciting to see all the smiling faces, all ready for a new school year. I look forward to a great year.

Thank you to all of you who attended the meeting last Thursday. It was great to see all of our students and families come together again. As I mentioned at the meeting we are excited about the new school year and some of the improvements that are taking place such as our new sidewalks and ramps, Thanks to the Catholic Foundation, the new gate at the entrance way on Anson Rd. 48 more lap top computers and new programs to enhance learning in the classroom. Many of these projects became possible because of the hard work of many people and OLPH families. So we thank you for that.

I would also like to thank the Home and School Committee and other parents who helped to get our school ready. Especially those that have been directing the carpool line in the morning and the afternoon. My priority is always the safety of the children. You should have already received your carpool sign, if you need to have extra ones for other cars please let Mrs. Arteaga know in the office and she will make them for you. To help the line run more efficiently and for safety purposes, please be sure you have your sign. Placing it on the dashboard **does not work** very well because it is hard to see it especially if it is a tall vehicle, so we ask that you place it on the **passenger window or you can clip it to the visor on the passenger side**. That will help us see it better. Parents that walk their children home must also have the sign. **No child will be released without a carpool sign**. We appreciate your cooperation with this.

A reminder that doors open at **7:15 a.m.** Students are to enter through the back doors of the school by the gym, (**Student Entrance**) and go directly to the cafeteria. Students are not allowed in the classrooms or bathrooms at any time. Breakfast is served from 7:15 a.m. to 7:40 a.m. Teachers meet their students in the cafeteria at 7:45. Students should be in the classrooms no later than 8:00 a.m. ready for the day. Morning Prayer begins at 8:00 a.m.

Important dates coming up in September:

- **September 3**                      **Labor Day- No school**
- **September 14**                     **Progress Reports**

