## Dear BCS Seniors and Parents,

It was wonderful seeing you all at Baccalaureate this past weekend. The combining of Baccalaureate and Senior Blessings affords the opportunity to make our 2020 BCS Graduation a true celebration. Graduation will be on Saturday, June 13 at 7:30pm at the BCS Athletic Field. There are a couple of instructional items below and after reading those instructions please complete this registration form: BCS 2020 Registration Form no later than Wednesday, June 3 by 5:00pm.

- State guidelines for graduation mandate an outdoor ceremony. This means we will be on the Athletic Field for the ceremony. When you register you will be asked to choose your seating preference. BCS will provide folding chairs or, you can bring your own chairs or, you can request seating in the bleachers, or you can come picnic style and bring a blanket. You will need to declare your seating preference so that the proper number of chairs can be placed and the allotment of space for social distancing marked off for those providing your own seating arrangements.
- Another state mandate limits attendance to family only. The registration will allow you to register parents, siblings, and grandparents. We will guarantee seating for these individuals. You can also request up to 4 additional attendees, again - family only, and we will accommodate as many as we can when we allocate seating. It will be a first come first assigned basis so please complete the registration as soon as possible. We will do our best to accommodate as many as possible and will communicate the final seating disposition no later than Monday, June 8.
- We will follow similar safety protocols to what you experienced at Baccalaureate. We will
  check temperatures and we will ask the COVID symptom questions and we will only
  allow entrance to those registered. We will also follow the same protocol for restroom
  usage.
- Finally, graduation will be a celebration. The Senior Blessings are a solemn event but since those have already occurred we will have a celebratory graduation. The school will have gifts for families to help you celebrate but please feel encouraged to come ready to celebrate with signs and balloons and noise makers (just please be considerate of your seat neighbors if you are thinking about buying that airhorn).

Thank you for registering and as graduation nears more information will be sent. These strange and unprecedented times are giving us the opportunity to do graduation very differently than what we have done before. I think this will be a ceremony and a celebration to remember.

Blessings, Jay Burcham President