



## **EMERGENCY CLOSING/DELAYS/EARLY DISMISSAL**

It is the policy of Holy Trinity Catholic School to close or delay school whenever the Altoona Area Schools are closed due to severe weather conditions.

When it is necessary to close school, the announcement will be made by phone through PowerSchool Messenger, along with notification on the ACCESS channel and local TV stations. This procedure is also followed in case of delayed school openings or early dismissals due to road conditions.

Our school transportation comes from multiple school districts. We recognize that we may have families who have students in two buildings located in two different school districts. **Again, HTC will ONLY follow the decisions of the AASD.**

In the event that there is an early dismissal in any of our school districts due to weather, families of students who receive transportation from that district will be notified. It will be your decision as to whether your child goes home early. If you decide to allow your student to stay in school, you will be responsible to provide transportation home.

If a district calls off school and the AASD is in session, anyone who rides a bus or van from that district will also be responsible to provide their own transportation for the day.

There have been a few days in the past years when Altoona and Hollidaysburg have not been on the same weather delay or snow day schedule. Please listen and watch carefully to be informed.