



College of Mount St. Joseph Informs Students and Faculty of Emergency Closings and Delays Using CommunitySafe

Client Overview

The College of Mount St. Joseph is a private Catholic college located in Cincinnati, Ohio. Founded in 1920, enrollment in the Mount has grown to nearly 2,300 students. There are 36 undergraduate majors and five graduate degree programs.

College Specifics

The Mount prides itself on its small class size and encourages close interaction between faculty and students. The student to faculty ratio is 12:1. There are 38 student clubs and organizations including Student Government Association, the Black Student Union and Campus Activities Board.

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The College of Mount St. Joseph began using CommunitySafe in September 2007 as a tool to address emergency weather closings and delays, and other crisis situations. Initially, the College of Mount St. Joseph chose CommunitySafe because of its low cost, and its pairing with Cincinnati Bell.

Mr. Weber explains, "The training and support have been wonderful. The individuals at CommunitySafe are easy to work with and very responsive. They have been GREAT!"

With over 240 faculty members and 2,300 students enrolled in the Mount, school administrators needed a way to communicate to all of these people in the event of an emergency. CommunitySafe has acted as the perfect resource to disperse crucial information when minutes count.

Since implementing this system, the College of Mount St. Joseph has been primarily sending voice and text messages to relay information. School administrators have received encouraging feedback from faculty and students.

"Our faculty is very appreciative of a system like CommunitySafe. Tools like these can only make life easier for people with already busy lives."

Most recently, the College of Mount St. Joseph used CommunitySafe to alert students, staff and faculty of a power outage that caused campus to close. 51% of residential students and 24% of commuter students have opted in to the receive notifications through CommunitySafe.

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