

Holy Spirit Catholic Elementary School

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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

Congratulations to our Dace Team who won the Virtue Award at the 'For Love of Dance Showcase. We are very proud of their commitment and effort!

This upcoming week is Catholic Education Week. We are looking forward to a number of activities taking place at our school including our STREAM Challenge Showcase.

Please see the information below for the week of Monday, May 1st, 2023 at Holy Spirit CES.



Monday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023: When We See

- A PowerPoint with Catholic Education Week Activities will be shared with our parent community (please see email)
- Collection of Washcloths begins for the Luke 4:18 Symposium (see below)
- Big Crunch Healthy Snack Event
  - Students will be provided with an apple as part of our healthy snack initiative

Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023: When We Listen

 Catholic Education Week Liturgy (10:00 am in our gym) which will be led by members of our Luke 4:18 Committee

Wednesday, May 3rd, 2023: When We Reflect

- You are invited to virtually join His Eminence Archbishop Frank Leo, who will be celebrating Catholic Education Week Mass at 1:30 pm today.
- Please use the following link to join the Mass at the scheduled time: <u>https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/</u>
- Classes will be celebrating the Mass together in the gym

Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023: When We Learn

- Students have been working diligently on their STREAM Challenge Showcase
- Parents are invited to the school from 6:30 pm 7:30 pm to walk around our hallways and view their fantastic work
- We hope you can join us

Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023: When We Act

- Students will be watching a play courtesy of the generous offerings of the Aurora Cultural Centre
- The musical play is entitled Mary Jane Mosquito and features puppets
- It is performed by the Carousel Players and focuses on issues like bullying, feeling like an outsider or different when moving to a new place



## Luke 4:18 Washcloth Drive

As part of the Luke 4:18 Symposium this year, students attending the symposium will be compiling Health Kits to be delivered to Canadian Food for Children and other local charities. In order to prepare for this activity, Holy Spirit is asking families to donate washcloths. Luke 4:18 Committees have been assigned one specific health kit item. If you are able to donate, please send them in with your child and a Luke 4:18 member will come around to collect them each morning.

## Spirit Wear Is Available!

Our school spirit wear is available for purchase. If you are interested please visit our virtual store: <u>https://stores.inksoft.com/holy\_spirit/shop/home</u>

Yours in Catholic Education,

Mr. A. Modica

Principal

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## Important Dates:

Mon. May 1st	Hot Lunch: Delicious Greek
Wed. May 3rd	Hot Lunch: Pizza
Thurs. May 4 <sup>th</sup>	<ul> <li>STREAM Challenge Showcase</li> <li>6:30 pm – 7:30 pm</li> </ul>
Fri. May 5th	Hot Lunch: A & W