

ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Catholic Education Week

May 5th-May 10th

Each year the Catholic community of Ontario engages in a week-long celebration of the unique identity and distinctive contributions of Catholic Education. This year's theme is: "Living as Joyful Disciples". Your child's teacher will advise you of class activities.

Virtue of the Month

This month we celebrate the Catholic virtue of Empathy. Empathy makes one a more caring family member and helps to develop responsible citizenship. We understand empathy to mean the ability to identify with and feel other peoples' concerns.

EQAO Assessment

The students in grades 3 and 6 will be involved in the formal Provincial Assessment of Literacy and Numeracy from May 21 to May 30. We ask that appointments (doctor, dentist, etc.) please be scheduled outside these assessment dates.

Toonies for Tuition

As you are aware, Ontario is only one of three provinces and two territories in Canada that offers publicly funded Catholic education.

There are thousands of families who cannot afford to send their children to Catholic school. Once again, Sudbury Catholic would like to join in supporting the Canadian Catholic School Trustees' Association Toonies for Tuition Endowment Fund to help alleviate these costs. Thank you for your Toonies!

School Council Presents...

Family Literacy Night

On Thursday May 9th, come explore the wonders of Literacy with your children and leave with strategies and resources to work with! Free Pizza and Book Fair at 5:00-5:45pm.

Literacy Presentations at 5:45-7:15pm. Please return the flyer to the school if you are coming. All families welcome!

Canadian Cancer Society

Thank you for your donations during the month of April. We raised \$768.05 and watched our "classroom daffodil" gardens grow!

May is for Mother Mary

May is traditionally a month in which the Church honours Mary, the Mother of Jesus as Queen of Heaven.

Mary,

Our Blessed Mother, keep us on the path that leads to you. Fill us with courage to do what is best for the healing of our own hearts and the heart of the world. Accept our gratitude.



To all the mothers of the students of St. Paul the Apostle Catholic School May God continue to bless you for the wonderful work you do!