

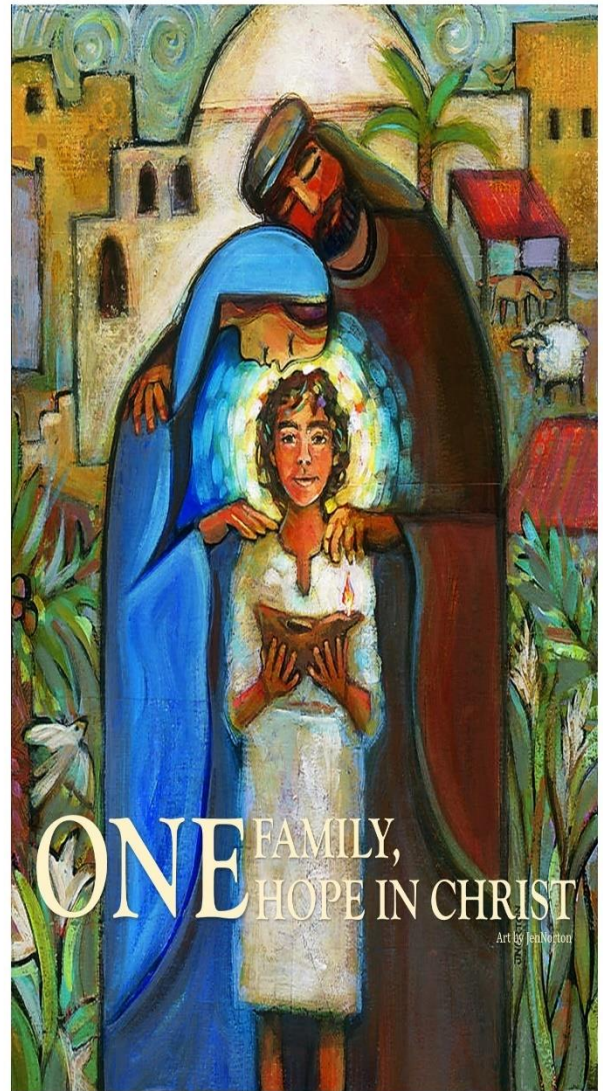
June 2022



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## Mission Statement

*St. John Paul II Catholic School is a diverse and Inclusive faith-based learning community rooted in Scripture and the traditions of the Church. Our mission is to provide a safe and loving environment, which enables each child to develop spiritually, emotionally, socially, physically, intellectually, and artistically. We are called to celebrate and nurture the God-given talents of each student as we serve with excellence in the light of Christ.*



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**Principal's Message**



Wishing everyone a safe and happy summer vacation! God bless our grade 7's as they leave our school for high school. May your light continue to shine in the days ahead! Our door is always open!

As you may know, Mrs. Andersen will be leaving ICS effective June 30, 2022. We thank her for her years of dedication and service and wish her the best of luck in her future endeavours!



A HUGE thank you once again to our parents, students and staff, for another awesome year, despite the challenges that the year presented. We are all looking forward to a new beginning come

September. We pray for continued love, peace and unity to surround our school and we ask the Holy Spirit to protect us and guide us.

A peek at next year's theme:



Together in Hope,  
Mrs. Warman

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## **JULY & AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

### **Celebrating Birthdays this July are:**

**Luke, Emily L., Dylan S., Felicity, Evan, Jean, Drayden, Benjamin A., Kyle, Sadie, Mrs. Benson, Bani and Elliott.**

**May God bless you on your special day!**

### **Celebrating Birthdays this August are:**

**Ava, Ethan E., Landon, Lenore and Colt.**

**May God Bless you on your special day!**

## **Holy Mackerels**

Holy Mackerels are special certificates which are presented to students who “have been caught doing good.” A copy of their certificate is then entered into our special fishing net. Six names are pulled each week at assembly and then those students are invited to pick a prize from the prize basket. It’s great fun and another way to celebrate our students’ kindness. The following students were awarded Holy Mackerels since our last newsletter. Ikjot, Kaiden, Aliviah x2, Harmony, Oskar, Sadie, Emily L., Eugene, Parker D. x2, Drayden, Danikah, Owen, Jameson, Veera, Foster, Abigail, Zoe, Matthew A., Dylan S. x2, Elliott x2, Fisher, Isaiah, Griffin x2, Manjot x2, Kane, Landon, Rain, Chase and Elaena. Well Done!



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## **SAVE THE DATES**

### **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL**

**June 29, 2022**

**Early Dismissal at Noon**

**Wishing all our families a joyful and safe Summer!**

### **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**

**Tuesday, Sept. 6, 2022**

**9:00 – 10:00 am**

**Welcome Back Assembly**

### **FIRST FULL DAY OF SCHOOL**

**Wednesday, Sept. 7, 2022**

**8:40 am – 3:00 pm**

**Kindergarten students will have a gradual entry schedule.**

Wed., June 29	Early Dismissal at Noon – Report Cards Sent Home
Wed., June 29	Happy Summer Holidays
Thurs., June 30	Admin. Day
Fri., July 1	Canada Day – SCHOOL CLOSED
Fri., July 8	Last day for Admin./Office Staff
Mon., July 11	School Office Closed
Mon., Aug. 22	School Office Re-Opens
Tues., Sept. 6	First Day of School – 9:00 -10:00 am Welcome Back
Tues., Sept. 6	PSG Meet & Greet 9:00 – 10:00 am All Parents Welcome



# **Good News Call of the Day!**

We acknowledge our students for positive behaviour with a "Good News Call" from the principal to you the parents. Staff have recognized our top 10 values that we would like to focus on at St. John Paul II. These are: showing **love**, **teamwork**, **well-being** of others and/or self, respecting **diversity**, demonstrating **excellence**, building **community**, being **creative**, demonstrating positive **relationships**, making a difference, and being **faithful**. Congratulations to Isha, Parker D, Drayden, and Eugene!



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**Holy Family/Notre Dame  
Mass Times**

**Saturdays at 5:00 pm  
Sundays at 10:00 am**



**Fr. Michael Tran**



**Joseph Yuson - Seminarian**



**Vision Statement**

**St. John Paul II Catholic School believes in educating the whole child within a loving environment. Our curriculum integrates the approved BC Ministry of Education learning outcomes with Christian values grounded in the Catholic faith. We provide opportunities for students to develop their potential in all areas. We encourage students to discover their passions and talents while reaching for high standards and developing self-discipline. We foster respect and love for all of God's creation. At St. John Paul II, we "learn, serve, lead and succeed".**

**Values**

**Awe are committed to sharing the values Jesus modelled.**

**As a Catholic learning community, we value:**

**Love, Excellence, Relationships, Teamwork, Community, Making a Difference, Well-being, Creativity, Faithfulness and Diversity.**

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# **FUNDRAISER RAFFLE**

## **ST. JOHN PAUL II & MINI MIRACLES PARENT SUPPORT GROUP FUNDRAISER**

**St. John Paul II & Mini Miracles Family Centre Raffle Baskets**  
**This year's Raffle Basket Winners are:**

**Relax with a Good Book- Aimee Anderson**

**Survival Kit Emergency Basket – Leila Ellwood**

**Life's Better at the Beach Basket – Lora Lee Van Rossum**

**Crazy for Camping Basket – Kirunn Sharma**

**Celebrate the Diversity of the Island Basket – Sharon Anderson**

**I'd Rather be Gardening Basket – Cindy Salmon**

**Thank you to everyone for your support of our school!**

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## **SPORTS**

### **2021-2022 District Track Meet Results**

**100 - Meter Dash Gr. 7 Girls** – Parker 2<sup>nd</sup>, Gr. 6 - Estrella 2<sup>nd</sup>, Estelle 4<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 5 - Felicity 7<sup>th</sup>

**100 – Meter Dash Gr. 6 Boys** – Cuan 8<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 5 – Dylan 8<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 4 – Grady 4<sup>th</sup>

**600 - Meter Dash Gr. 7 Girls** – Parker 8<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 5 – Aimee 1<sup>st</sup>, Gr. 4 – Zoey 4<sup>th</sup>

**600 - Meter Dash Gr. 7 Boys** – Caleb 8<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 6 – Cody 2<sup>nd</sup>, Elliott 7<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 5 – Trey 4<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 4 – Kyle 7<sup>th</sup>

**1000 – Meter Run Gr. 6 Girls** – Estelle 6<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 5 – Elena 1<sup>st</sup>

**1000 – Meter Run Gr. 7 Boys** – Rain 4<sup>th</sup>, Kane 6<sup>th</sup>

**400 Meter Relay Race Gr. 7 Girls** – Elaena, Halle, Gitanjali, Parker 3<sup>rd</sup>. Gr. 6 – Estelle, Chelsea, Felicity, Estelle 1<sup>st</sup>, Gr. 5 – Aimee, Olivia, Zoe, Elena 2<sup>nd</sup>, Gr. 4- Ariana, Emma, River, Zoey 5<sup>th</sup>

**400 Meter Relay Race Gr. 7 Boys** – Caleb, Brady, Landon, Rain 1<sup>st</sup>, Gr. 6 – Elliott, Cuan, Isaiah, Cody 1<sup>st</sup>, Gr. 5 – Hunter, Trey, Matthew, Jorgen 3<sup>rd</sup>, Gr. 4 – Kyle, Hadden, Mason, Grady 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Softball Throw Girls Gr. 5** – Sophie 1<sup>st</sup>, Gr. 4 – River 7<sup>th</sup>

**Softball Throw Boys Gr. 6** – Elliott 4<sup>th</sup>, Isaiah 8<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 5 – Trey 7<sup>th</sup>

**Long Jump Girls Gr. 7** – Parker 8<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 6 – Chelsea 5<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 5 – Elena 6<sup>th</sup>

**Long Jump Boys Gr. 6** – Cuan 2<sup>nd</sup>, Cody 4<sup>th</sup>, Gr. 4 – Grady 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Shot Put Girls Gr. 7** – Gitanjali 8<sup>th</sup>

**Shot Put Boys Gr. 6** – Griffin 3<sup>rd</sup>, Isaiah 4<sup>th</sup>

**Well done and Bravo St. John Paul II Athletes!!**

**Thank you to all our Volunteers and those who came out to support our Athletes!**

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**Congratulations to Our District Track Meet Athletes  
June 3, 2022. Well done!!**



**MEET-AND-GREET**

**St. John Paul II's Parent Support Group would like to invite and welcome all new and returning parents/guardians to their Meet and Greet on Tuesday, September 6, 2022 from 9:00 – 10:00 am in the school gym.**



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## **SCHOOL UNIFORMS**

**School Uniforms are ordered through Cambridge Uniforms. To order please go to [www.cambridgeuniforms.com](http://www.cambridgeuniforms.com) Our School code is RCF965.**



**For more great pictures go check us out on our Facebook page. You can locate us at John Paul II Catholic School, Mini Miracles Family Centre.**

**We would like to wish all our families a safe, healthy and enjoyable Summer Holiday! See you in September!**

**SCHOOL'S OUT FOR**

**SUMMER**