# St.Nicholas Weekly News

May 8th-12th, 2023

# Dear Families,

May is the month of Mary. Mary has a unique role in God's plan of salvation and in the Church. She consented to the coming of the Savior and cooperated in developing His mission. She brought Him into the world, raised Him and lovingly stood by His side. She cooperated in His work, even uniting her own suffering with



that of her Son, standing at the foot of His cross. She trusted in God completely and lived by His grace. She is our model of true discipleship and of complete faith. We wish all our mothers, past and present, as well as mother figures in our lives, a Happy Mother's Day on May 14.

May is also a time when we celebrate Catholic Education in Alberta. From May 15-19, we will be celebrating this gift. As Catholics we believe that each person is created in the image of God, and we celebrate the gifts and talents of everyone. Catholic schools have an academic curriculum that integrates a vision of faith within learner outcomes and teacher strategies. God Bless,

Peter Rachmistruk

Principal

## **Upcoming Important Dates**

- May 14 Mother's Day
- May 19 No School
- May 22 Victoria Day (no school)
- May 18 Wear blue in support of Catholic education
- May 26 Spring Dance (Save the date!) more information to follow

## **Information**

• Central Learning Services (EICS - district office) will be hosting a K-4 Math Family games night. Please see poster for more details ????????

# Ukrainian Families (громадян України)

Дві можливості літнього табору для дітей:

- Є ще кілька вільних місць для громадян України, які прибули після лютого 2022 року. Будь ласка, надішліть повідомлення на <u>stsophiadaycamp@gmail.com</u>, якщо ви зацікавлені. <u>Ukrainian DayCamp .png</u>
- Табір Оселя- Camp Oselia 2023 postcard Ukrainian.pdf

### **OLPH Parish News**

• OLPH Parish is hosting Vacation Bible School day camp this summer, open to children currently in Kindergarten to grade 5. Please see attached poster for more information -Vacation Bible Camp.png

#### **Faith Reflection**

Father, I pray that You fill me with the joy of the Lord, that overwhelming joy. Your joy is unlike anything this world has to offer. It brings peace, trust and hope and with that a rest because I know You are in control. Your Word says in Nehemiah 8:10 "Don't be dejected and sad, for the joy of the Lord is your strength!" I will lift my eyes to the hills, Lord, In Jesus' name, Amen



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"Our Catholic School Family, embracing both English and Ukrainian Bilingual programs is dedicated to providing the best opportunities for learning while nurturing in our students' continuous personal growth."



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