



# 2 WEEK AT A GLANCE UPDATE

Our Lady of Victories Jun 16-25

## Message from Admin

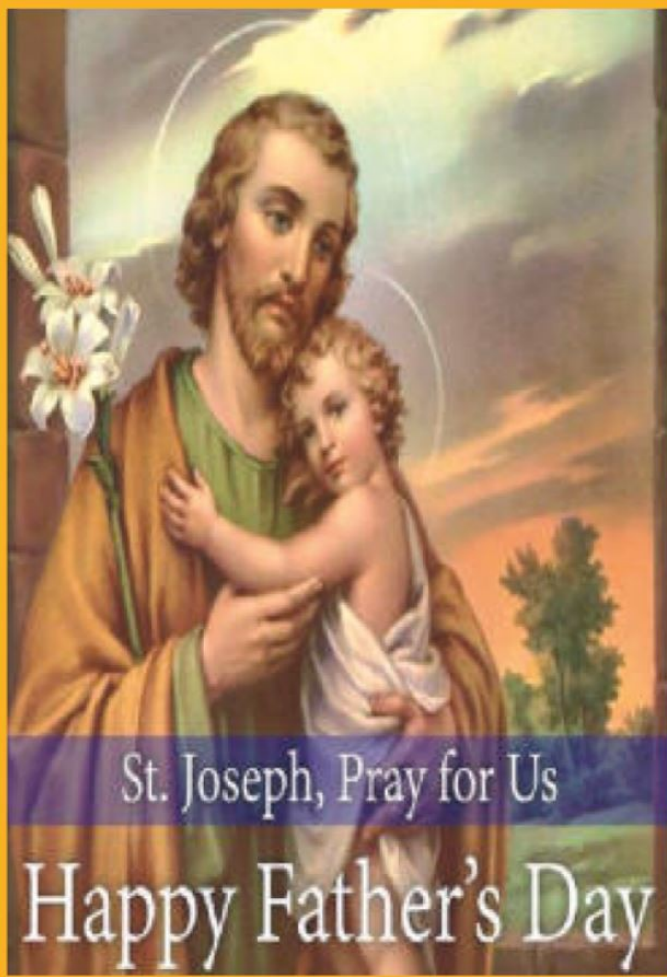
Hello Our Lady of Victories families!

Wrapping up each school year comes with so many mixed emotions! We celebrate countless successes stories, and have had the privilege of witnessing so much growth in our students and we are proud of their efforts and achievements. Even more, we are grateful that you have entrusted us with the care of your child(ren) and the opportunity to learn alongside them on their education journey. Yet it is also sad as we say goodbye to staff and students, who are moving on to a new chapter.

We wish all of you a safe and restful summer, and that God continues to keep you in His care.

Yours in faith,  
Pat & Rebecca

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### **Father's Day Prayer**

*Heavenly Father,  
You entrusted Your Son Jesus, the  
Child of Mary, to the care of Joseph,  
an earthly Father. Bless all Fathers  
as they care for their families.  
Give them strength and wisdom,  
tenderness and patience; support  
them in the work they have to do,  
protecting those who look to them,  
as we look to You for love  
and salvation, through Jesus Christ,  
our Rock and Defender,  
in union with the Holy Spirit,  
one God, forever and ever.  
St. Joseph,  
Pray for all of our Fathers.  
Amen.*

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## **Talent Show**



OLOV's Got Talent! On Wed Jun 18, we will be hosting a Talent Show in the gym, starting at 1:30pm. Families are welcome to join us! Thank you to Mrs. Fugleberg for organizing this event.

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## **Family Picnic**

We would like to invite our families to bring their lunches, picnic blankets, and lawn chairs for a school Family Picnic following dismissal on Thursday June 19. If the weather and/or air quality is poor, we will have the picnic in the gym.





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## Year End Celebration & Grade 6 Farewell

On Mon Jun 23, we will have our final Liturgy of the Word Celebration at 1:30pm. Families are welcome to join us! Following this Celebration, we will have our Gr 6 Farewell. Grade 6 students will also be treated to a special lunch on this day sponsored by our SAC.

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## Last Day of School

Wed Jun 25 is the last day of school, with June Summary Reports (Report Cards) available online through PowerSchool at 4pm. Students will be bringing all their supplies and materials home over the remaining days of school.

The tradition on the last day of school at OLOV has been to enjoy some time at the Rio Terrace Spray Park (an approx 15 min walk). Weather permitting, classes will head over shortly after morning recess, have a picnic lunch, and spend the afternoon enjoying the spray park.



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## Bug Spray & Sunscreen

ECSD staff have been given the following direction regarding bug spray and sunscreen:

- Prolonged exposure to bug spray is not recommended for elementary-age children (please do NOT apply bug spray prior to school).
  - Please send long pants and long-sleeved jackets with your child as it is much better for students to cover up when they are outside, rather than using bug spray.
  - Peak eating times for mosquitoes are dawn and dusk and these times are not during school hours, so by covering up, children should be okay outside.
  - Please apply sunscreen prior to coming to school.
  - Staff members should not be spraying insect repellent nor sunscreen on students.
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## Staff Farewells

We are blessed for the gifts these staff members have shared with our school community, and keep them in our prayers, as they begin a new chapter!

Samantha Greaves

Megan Fugleberg

Meleka Mastre  
Kailee Hauger  
Teresa Wourms  
SongHee Choi  
Shanelle Amyotte-Trach  
Elena Dodeva-Nedeva  
Nahed Hussein  
Jikulunu Jorgbo  
Epiphany Chaves

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## June

17 - Gr 6 Math part B PAT  
17 - epl presentations (K-6)  
18 - Gr 6 Social Studies PAT  
18 - Talent Show  
19 - Family Picnic  
20 - Indigenous Day  
23 - Oscars Day  
23 - Year End Celebration & Gr 6 Farewell  
23-25 - Indigenous Art Residency  
24 - Disney Day  
25 - Beach Day  
25 - Last Day of School



**2025-2026 Division Calendar.pdf**

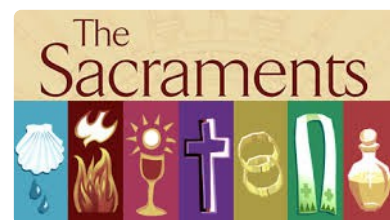
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## Sacraments

If your child(ren) celebrate a Holy Sacrament this year, we'd love to celebrate with them! You are invited to email Ms. Martini ([Rebecca.Martini@ecsd.net](mailto:Rebecca.Martini@ecsd.net)) a photo, and include:

- Student name
- Sacrament received
- Date
- Parish



We will include this in our morning announcements to acknowledge as a school community.

## SAC ongoing fundraisers:

Money raised through SAC fundraising initiatives supports a multitude of activities and supplies for our students throughout the school year, including technology, phys ed equipment, games for indoor recess, games to support curriculum, and supplies for learning activities on special days or events such as Our Lady of Victories feast day and year end fun.

### FlipGive

Fundraising for Our Lady of Victories Catholic Elementary School is easy with FlipGive, a free team/school funding app!

We earn cash back on every purchase we make all year long! All you have to do is shop anytime with the stores or brands you already love, like Home Depot, Walmart, Sport Chek, Indigo, Old Navy, Apple, Esso, and Loblaws. The School gets a percentage of the purchase donated to the school from the store/brand. It's completely online (you don't have to carry gift cards that you likely forgot at home). You can literally be in Walmart getting groceries, open the app, buy a gift card, walk to the checkout and redeem it on the spot. Easy-peasy.

Parents and caregivers can share the OLOV flipgive link with other family and friends in the Flipgive app using the Refer button.

Join our team now and you'll get a \$5 bonus the first time you shop:

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Any questions, please ask any SAC members.



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## Affiliated Parish

In staying true to the boundaries established between the Archdiocese and ECSD, our affiliated Parish is Annunciation. We look forward to establishing a relationship with Father Francis and the staff of Annunciation as we learn about and celebrate our faith together this year!



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