# 2 Week at a Glance Update

Our Lady of Victories Feb 17-28

# Message from Admin

Hello Our Lady of Victories families!

Even though we had true winter weather for our Winter Fun Day, and were inside all day, the students had a great time with all the activities. Thank you to our SAC and parent volunteers for the Timbits and hot chocolate that we enjoyed on this chilly afternoon!

We are able to keep the snowshoes that we borrowed from St. Francis of Assisi school a bit longer, and we are optimistic that we will have some warmer winter weather so that we get to play with them.

We wish all our families a safe and warm family day long weekend!

Yours in faith, Rebecca, Amber & Megan





## 25-26 Registrations

Planning and preparations for 2025-2026 have begun! As we begin the budget and staffing process in the coming weeks and months, it is imperative that we have accurate registration information.

If your child(ren) will be returning to OLOV, please ensure your pre-enrolment application is completed in PowerSchool by March 14. Thank you to our families that have already done this! <a href="https://www.ecsd.net/current-ecsd-student-registration">https://www.ecsd.net/current-ecsd-student-registration</a>

If you have a younger sibling that will be joining our school, please complete a new student registration online ASAP.

https://www.ecsd.net/new-student-registration

If you have any questions or need assistance with this process, please call the school office.



Especially as the weather warms up, please be mindful when parking in front of the school and the collective impact when several cars are idling. We ask that if you are parked for more than a couple of minutes, to please turn your vehicle off. Thank you for considering our staff and students that are outside, as well as our neighbours!

## February

- 17 NO SCHOOL (Family Day)
- 21 STEM Club (3:30-5pm)
- 25 Pink Shirt Day
- 26 NO SCHOOL (Faith Development Day)
- 27 NO SCHOOL (Teacher's Convention)
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## March

- 4 Shrove Tuesday
- 5 Ash Wednesday Liturgy @ 11am
- 7 Theatre field trip (gr 3-5)
- 7 Fun Lunch (McDonald's)
- 7 STEM Club (3:30-5pm)
- 12 Brain Waves presentation (gr 4-6)
- 12 SAC mtg @ 6:30pm
- 13 Demo of Learning 1-4:30pm, 5:30-7:30pm
- 20 FULL Day
- 21 HALF Day
- 24-28 NO SCHOOL (Spring Break)
- 31 Classes resume



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## Call for Volunteers

If you are interested and able to volunteer, please call the school office:



Thank you!

## School Advisory Council

Our SAC will be hosting it's next mtg on **Wed Mar 12 at 6:30pm** at the school. Joining the meeting online via Teams is also an option. A link will be shared through School Messenger. All parents/guardians are welcome!



**Upcoming Meeting Dates:** 

Wed Apr 9

Wed May 7

Wed Jun 11

2024-2025 School Advisory Council:

Chair - Larissa Chenier

Vice Chair - Chris Atkins

Treasurer - Jessica Feschuk

Secretary - Kelsey McWhirter

Fundraiser Rep - Landy Haltiner

Casino Chair - Farrah Dziwenka

## 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:

https://flipgive.app.link/teams/join?joincode=PQFRNK

Or enter this code: PQFRNK

Any questions, please ask any SAC members.



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mabelslabels.ca

## Healthy Hunger Fun Lunch

Our SAC has set up regular Fun Lunch opportunities (almost 1 per month) for our school. All orders are done online through: <a href="https://healthyhunger.ca/index.php">https://healthyhunger.ca/index.php</a>

Our next Fun Lunch is from McDonald's on Friday March 7. Orders due by Mar 2.



## Scholastic Book Orders

We have created a school account to maximize our rewards as a school. Please use class code: **RC616182** when ordering online: <a href="https://bookclubs.scholastic.ca/en/home">https://bookclubs.scholastic.ca/en/home</a>



Scholastic Book Clubs Parent Guide.pdf

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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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