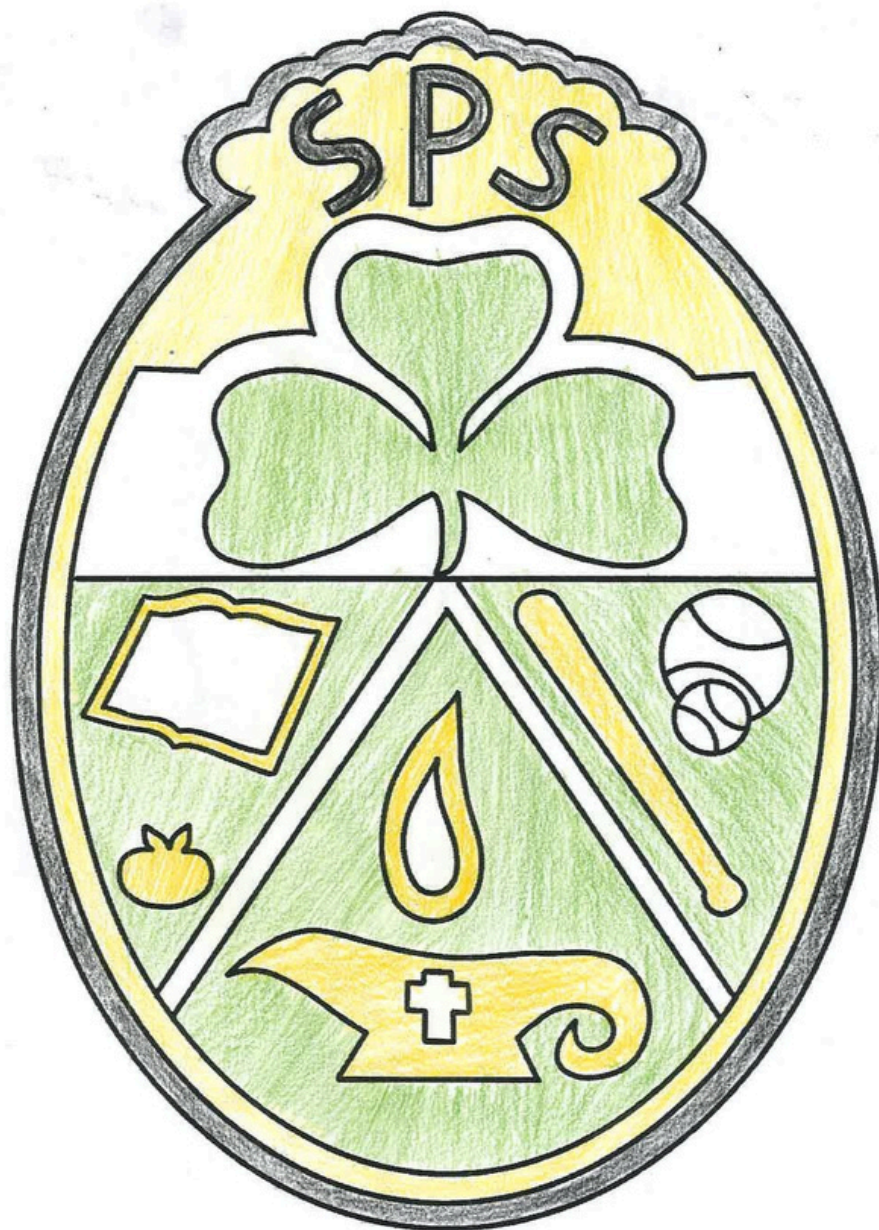


# Catholic Schools' Week



**St. Patrick's Elementary School**  
**Vancouver**



Living,  
**CELEBRATING,**  
and Proclaiming  
**OUR FAITH**



School Name

St Patrick's  
Elementary School

My School



DIOCESE OF

St Patrick's Parish

Pastor's name:

Father  
Yarek



2024 - 2025

My school motto is... **One is a celtic always celtic**

UNITED

FAITH

COMMUNITY

year school opened

1922

Patron: St. Patrick

Our school colors are  
green and yellow



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# Kindergarten





# 10 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. We go to church

2. We learn  
about God

3. We wait  
for Jesus's  
birth

4. We pray  
TOGETHER

5. Our school  
is named  
after a  
saint

8. Learn  
prayers

6. We wear  
uniforms

7. We sing  
songs about  
Jesus

9. Everyone is  
friendly

10. We are  
one family

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# Kindergarten



# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK



## Reflection

What is Catholic Schools Week?

A week when  
we celebrate  
Catholic Schools!



Who are the people who  
make our school a better  
place to be?

- Mrs. Sorochuk
  - Mrs. Evans
  - Teachers
  - EA's
- and of course...

the  
**STUDENTS!**

What values do they share  
with others

- Kindness
- Patience
- Gratitude
- Love



What can I do to make my  
school a better place?

- Help our friends
- Always try our best
- Be friendly to others
- Include everyone!



MADE BY:

**Grade One**



# 10 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. We pray! ♥

2. Recess

3. We go  
to church  
together  
+

4. P.E.  
CLASS

5. We  
have nice  
books in  
the library.

6. Nice staff  
😊

7. MATH

8. We  
share.

9. We have a Halloween  
Parade and a Christmas  
Concert.

10. We get  
to play  
Centres!

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## Grade One



# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK



## Parish

Who are the people who work in our Parish?

- + Priests/deacons
- archbishop
- church volunteers
- ushers
- + God
- teachers
- office people
- altar servers
- monks/nuns
- readers

What are some of the things that they do?

- teach Gospel and perform mass
- leader
- decorate church and help with functions
- collect money and help people find a seat
- the reason we have a parish
- help children learn
- organize church things
- help the priest
- pray and serve
- do readings for Mass



What values do they share  
- being with others?

- Being connected to God
- showing their love and devotion to God
- going to church
- practicing their faith
- building a relationship with Jesus
- selfless/giving time to community
- helping others
- leading Sunday school
- encouraging others to build faith



How can I be more like them?

- Follow their example
- go to church
- pray
- have compassion
- serve God
- have an open heart
- listen to God
- contribute to the parish



MADE BY:

Grade Two



# 10 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. We have lots of friends.



2. We learn about God.



3. We get to wear nice uniforms.

God



4. Our schools are named after saints.



5. We have lots of kind teachers.



6. We have a big church.



7. We have fun events.



8. We have beautiful prayer corners.  
Amen.



9. We enjoy our sports.



fan



doggy ball



10.

We have supportive priests.





# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK



## Students

Some of the students in my class are...

- \* helpful
- \* kind
- \* funny
- \* smart
- \* artistic
- \* inclusive
- \* athletic
- \* musical
- \* brave
- \* special
- \* unique
- \* talented
- \* caring
- \* gentle
- \* playful

What are some of the good things that they do?

- \* help when their pencil cases fall.
- \* invite others to play.
- \* listen to each other.
- \* say please + thank you.
- \* practice prayers.
- \* tell the teacher when someone is hurt or upset.

What values do they share with others?

- \* we follow Jesus.
- \* we think about each other and care for each other.
- \* we go to mass.
- \* we follow our "Golden Rules."



Together, how can we be more like Jesus?

- \* forgive each other.
- \* confess our sins.
- \* include those especially who are struggling.
- \* pray more.
- \* talk to God more.
- \* always keep trying to show kindness and love.



MADE BY:

Grade Three



# 10 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. St. Patrick's Church.

2. Our decorated and colourful walls.

3. All the fun and important learning we get to do!

4. Playing with our friends and including everyone.

5. How welcoming everyone is to new people.

8. God + Jesus are at our School's centre.

7. Library

6. All the Field Trips!

9. All the extra-curricular activities and sports.

10. How kind, caring and helpful the staff are.

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## Grade Three



# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

## Staff & Volunteers



Who are the people who work or volunteer in our school?

Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Parents \_\_\_\_\_

Our principal: Mrs. Sorochuk

Our vice principal: Mrs. Pineda

EAs \_\_\_\_\_ Highschool volunteers \_\_\_\_\_

Our receptionist: Mrs. Evans

Our caretaker: Mr. Fernando

Our librarian: Mrs. Gasper

What are some of the things that they do?

The staff/volunteers of St. Patrick's:

- educate us
- care for us
- help us
- guide us
- welcome us
- calm us
- laugh with us

MADE BY:

**Grade Four**

What values do they share with others?

- Compassion
- Kindness
- Thoughtfulness
- Generosity
- Helpfulness
- Courageousness
- Understanding
- Gratefulness
- Loveable
- Welcoming
- Caring
- Greatness
- Trustful
- Gently
- Creative
- Amazing



How can I be more like them?

- I can help clean my classroom.
- I can help my teacher set up reading groups.
- I can remind my teacher about important things.
- I can change the helping hands every week.
- I can change the date for my teacher.
- I can keep my class promise.
- I can be a role-model to my buddies





# 10 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. God has looked after our school for over 100 years!!

2. School Mass together as a school community

3. Very kind and helpful teachers and staff,

4. Buddy class learning and activities.

5. A strong and talented sports culture. Go Celtics!!!

8. Book fair!!

6. Special visitors to our school.

7. our beautiful church

9. Music and choir.

10. Christmas concert and Christmas ADST Market.

## Grade Four



# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK



## Community

Who are the people who work in our local community?

The people that work in our community are:

- the priest
- teachers
- Shopkeeper
- Parent volunteer
- the principal
- the firefighters
- the police



What are some of the things that they do?

The priest blesses the people, the priest also blesses and gives out the body of Christ.

The teachers supervise, teach, and answer questions so that the students can have a nice time at school.

The parent volunteers give up their precious time to help the teachers supervise the students.



What values do they share with others?

- The firefighters - bravery
- Parent volunteer - usefulness
- Teachers - wisdom
- The priest - religion
- The principal - kindness
- The police - safety
- Shopkeeper - Expertise

MADE BY:  
**Grade 5**



How can I be more like them?

- firefighters - be brave and stand up for one another
- Teachers - treat everyone with kindness
- The Priest - Worship and teach us about God
- The police - stand up for justice, and tell people rights and wrongs





# 14 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. I really like the staff and how we have supervisors.



2. We have a church



3. I love the religion and catholic things!



4. We have a good community also priests.



5. We have a big play area



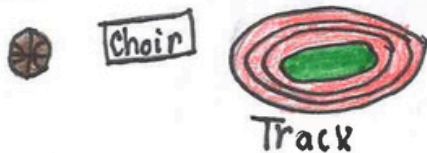
6. We have good school supplies.



7. All The good library books we have.



8. We have a lot of options of extra curriculum.



9. We have a lot of sports to do.



10. I like the teachers



11. The Kids and staff are kind!



12. I like making new friends



13. We have good technology.



14. Big gym



## Grade Five



# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS Week

## Families

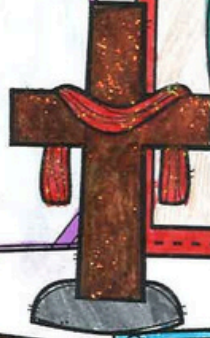


Who are the people that make up my family?

Mrs. Sorochuk  
Moms + Dads  
Staff



Mrs. Sorochuk



What are some of the things that they do?

They provide lunch and snacks to ensure we don't starve.



MADE BY:  
**Grade Six**

What values do they share with others?  
They both teach us to be  
KIND to Others



How can I be more like them?  
I can listen to what they are saying or teaching and put that in my daily life.



Wolverine



Fox



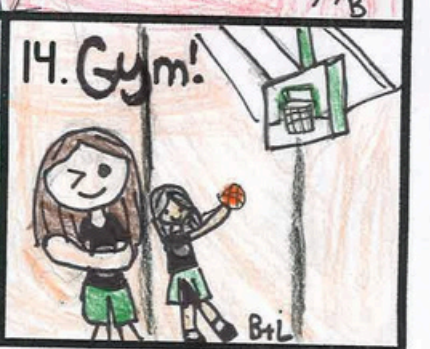
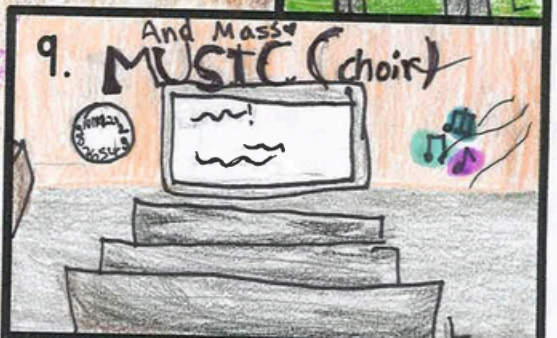
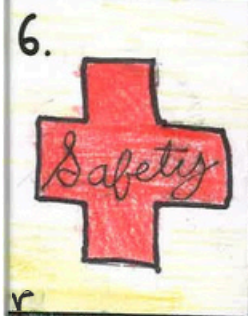
Moose

Polar Bear





# 14 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!



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## Grade Six



# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK



## Vocations

Who are the people who have given their life to serve God?

- Disciples.
- Priests (Father Yarek, Father Piotr and Father Joseph).
- Saints.
- Catholic school students.

What are some of the things that they do?

- They teach others how they can give their lives to serve God.
- They teach others how to connect with God.
- They teach stories about God



What values do they share with others?

- They share the knowledge they have about God and tell his stories.
- Showing our love of faith.

MADE BY:

**Grade Seven**



How can I be more like them?

- Going to church every Sunday to learn about God.
- Helping others who need help.
- Following the 10 Commandments.
- By being a role model for others.





# 14 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. CISVA Sports

2. Friends

3. Spirit Day

4. How I am treated

5. Fun activities

6. Camp Zajac

7. Walk-a-thon

8. Kind people that support me

9. Dedicated Staff

10. Kindness

11. Building my relationship with God

12. Learning about my religion

13. Helpful community and staff.

14. Spirit week

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## Grade Seven



# 10 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. It's a helpful school and  
lots of kind teachers.

2. I learn a lot of  
things in my school.



4. They make sure  
children are safe  
and sound

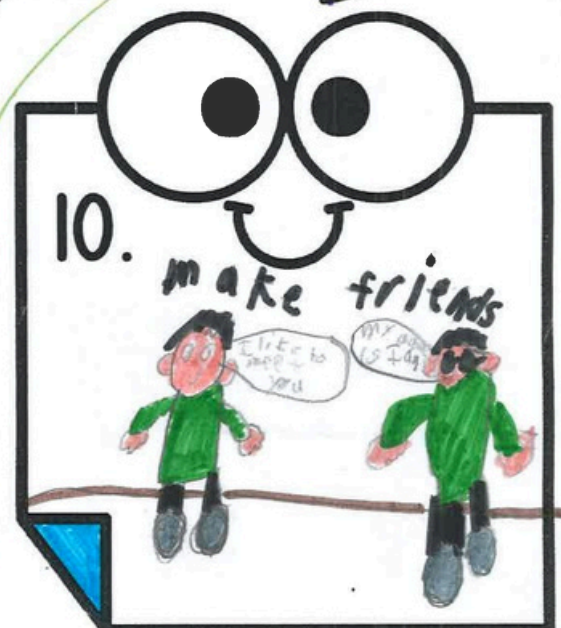
5. I like to  
make kind  
friends

8. I like that  
the teachers  
are so caring and  
funny and coaches.

6. I love to have  
so many things like  
christmas, movie day and  
games.

7. they have  
open gym  
so the  
can watch  
sports

9. I like my catholic  
because they have walkathon  
because you walk and talk  
and offer snacks when you





# 14 Things I LOVE About My Catholic School!

1. helpful



2. Gentle



3.



4.



kind

5.

library



6. Music



7.



Caring

8.



Church

9.



Christmas Market

10.



Friendships

11.



I feel safe

12.



being smart

13.



brave

14.



respect





Thank you for the gifts of  
Catholic education.

Help us to grow in the gifts you have  
given us and use them for your good.

Help us to live as  
one family, as pilgrims of hope.

Amen