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# March, 2024

St. Augustine

**Proud member of the Notre Dame Family of Schools** 

Parish - St. Mary Church, 90 Griffith Street, Welland 905-734-3134







See our updates on Facebook and Instagram @gatorswelland



#### Journeying Together in Faith

In the month of March, we are called to journey together as both individuals and as a community. When the journey becomes difficult, insurmountable and distant, we can look for the help of our school family to help us along the way. Each day we see amazing ways our students are on their journeys of faith. We will continue to provide them opportunities to foster that faith each day.

Pope Francis reminds us that the essence of Christian living is to be able to get back up again, even after our mistakes, our sins, and our failures. He reminds us to keep our eyes on our goal, and not to become discouraged. We will continue our journey each day at St. Augustine Catholic, both individually and as a community, supporting one another and bringing the best out in every one of our students and staff.

We Thank You for your support in helping us do this each and every day.

# **March Prayer** -- In the month of March each day our students will pray

# The Glory Be

Glory Be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end

Amen



# **Parish Events**



# **Mass Times**

Sunday: Italian 09:00 English 11:00

Saturday: 5:00pm

Weekday Mass: 8:00 (Tuesday, Wednes-

day, Thursday)

Weekday Mass: 9:30 (Friday)

Don't forget the delicious pasta nights each month made by our pasta making angels. Help support our church

~~~ Mission Statement ~~~

"The Niagara Catholic District School Board, through the charisms of faith, social justice, support and leadership, nurtures an enriching Catholic learning community for all to reach their full potential and become living witnesses of Christ"

#### **March Break**

A reminder that March Break is March 11th to the 15th. We wish our Gator Family a restful and fun time with family and friends.

#### **Nutrition Program**

Each day we continue with our snack bin program where each class is given individually wrapped items that they can have for snacks throughout the day. We value our partnership and generosity that the Niagara Nutrition Partners have been providing our school. Their volunteers and staff continue to allow this great program to take place in schools where we directly see the benefits of students eating healthy snacks each day. Keeping our bodies fueled allow for our minds to focus on what is important, learning. We love to see students accessing these snacks each day and encourage everyone to take snacks and make good use of these resources so we can continue to see them in our schools.



# Online Registration

Parents who wish to register for the upcoming 2024-25 school year can do this at any time through the Niagara Catholic Website. If you require any assistance completing the online forms, don't hesitate to call the school and we will walk you through this process. We look forward to having you join our amazing Gator Family.



### **Daylight Savings Time**

Don't forget to set your clocks ahead on Sunday

March 10th as we begin

daylight savings time.



#### **Kids Helping Kids Thanks You**

Thank you for your generosity during our Kids Helping Kids Campaign. Through donations from our amazing community, we raised \$640 this goes directly to students in our area who are in need. Your generosity continues to make a difference in their lives each day.



#### Mark Your Calendars





On March 1st, our next Krispy Kreme Fundraiser will be available on school cash online. Like last time the limit we have to sell is 450 dozen. Once they are sold, we will not be able to take any more orders. The cost is \$14 per dozen and the delivery date will be Monday April 8th at the school.

Sell Sell Gators.

On Friday March 8th we will have our annual student appreciation day for our amazing students. Lunch, fun, activities and a day celebrating our awesome students is on the agenda. Can't wait to show them how amazing they are.