

Family Day Message

Family Day reminds us all to focus our thoughts, energies and time to those closest to us—the members of our own families. Throughout our busy lives filled with learning, teaching and working, it is easy to allow ourselves to lose sight of what should always be most important—our children, parents, spouses, siblings and other loved ones. It is also easy to lose sight of the important role we play within the family of God—in our own parish families.



Family Day gives us an opportunity to reconnect with our families: to re-energize, refocus and share some quality time together.

The Toronto Catholic District School Board family—our students, parents, staff and trustees—have enjoyed many successes during the school year, thanks to your continued dedication to Catholic education and the well being of the students who are entrusted to our care.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees and senior staff of the Toronto Catholic District School Board, we wish all of you and the members of your families a happy, memorable, restful and safe Family Day.

Sincerely,

Bruce Rodrigues, *Director of Education*

Ann Andrachuk, *Chair of the Board*

“Peace and war begin at home.

If we truly want peace in the world, let us begin by loving one another in our own families.

If we want to spread joy, we need for every family to have joy.” --Mother Teresa