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# Holy Rosary Newsletter

## Virtue of the Month



### Compassion

Jesus saw her weeping...his heart was touched, and he was deeply moved.

John 11:33

May 2015



*Thanks to Mr. Jones and the senior concert band for their beautiful performance at the TCDSB Music Festival at St. Thomas Aquinas on April 15.*

## Sacraments

We congratulate our grade 2 students who will receive their First Holy Communion on May 3 and our grade 8 students who will celebrate Confirmation on May 20. The blessings and prayers of the Holy Rosary community are with you.



## **SOUTH DIVISION CHAMPS!**

*Congrats to our junior girls' volleyball team who won their division championship.*

*Thanks to our coaching team:*

*Mrs. Holman,*

*Mrs. Stasya*



## Parents' Math Corner

[Mathies.ca](http://mathies.ca)

Mathies.ca, hosted by Ontario Association for Mathematics Education (OAME), is designed for Ontario K - 12 students and parents.

This website includes games, learning tools, activities, and additional supports for students to explore, build and enhance their mathematical thinking. A parent 'Frequently Asked Questions' section includes: "How can I help with the learning of mathematics?", "What mathematics activities can we do together?", "What digital supports are available?" and "What additional support is available?"

<http://oame.on.ca/mathies/>

*Ideas brought to you from Edugains, the Ministry of Education website supporting excellence in teaching and learning*



## Building Teams and Leadership



Magic Magnets



Lemonade Shack



Sweet Treats



Salsa Verde



Books & Bookmarks



Perfect Pastries

## ENTREPRENEURIAL ADVENTURE

The enterprising students in Ms Hille's grade 5 class hosted a very successful Small Business Day and raised over \$900 to support The Stop Community Food Centre. Each company created a business and product. Best wishes as the class moves on to the BMO Showcase as part of their project with The Learning Partnership.

Monday, May 25, 2015  
6:30 - 7:30 pm

Holy Rosary CS  
gymnasium

## SOCIAL MEDIA ZOMBIES

Join us for an examination of the importance of applying critical thinking during social media usage. We will explore these concerns from an Android and iOS perspective:

- Cyberbullying
- Willful self-exposure
- Unsecured confidential information

Risks, examples and most importantly, safeguards will be presented.



### About ...

**Steve Chapelle** has been providing social media behaviour education to Ontario schools and parents since 2006. Through this period he has also given information management best practices training to Canadian small business associations. Prior to this he spent 25 years in management and analyst roles across a range of technology. Steve has contributed to publications such as the Ontario Principals' Council's *OPC Register*, the Catholic Principals' Council of Ontario's *Principal Connections*, the *Lawyer's Weekly* and *The Bottom Line*. He has chaired a Toronto daycare, volunteered with Junior Achievement of Southern Ontario and is the father of two teenage children in Toronto.

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## BAG2SCHOOL

*Thanks to all families who supported our Bag2School campaign. We are thankful to St. Michael's college for providing some help on pick-up day and to Holy Rosary Parish for collecting donations.*

### From the Board

#### **TCDSB Launches New Three-Year Pastoral Plan: *Together with One Voice—Harmonizing Our Faith Through Family, Parish and School***

The celebration took place on April 22<sup>nd</sup>. Check out the photos as well as the video of the event, including the presentation by Cardinal Thomas Collins on the board's website: <https://www.tcdsb.org/board/nurturingourcatholiccommunity/news/2014-2015/pages/launch-of-new-pastoral-plan-2015-2018.aspx>



#### **Catholic Education Week May 3-8, 2015**

<https://www.tcdsb.org/Board/NurturingOurCatholicCommunity/CatholicEducationWeek/Pages/default.aspx>

#### **Children's Mental Health Awareness Week May 3-9, 2015**

<https://www.tcdsb.org/ProgramsServices/SpecialEducation/mhs/News/mhw/Pages/Childrens-Mental-Health-Awareness-Week.aspx>

## DANCE PARTY FRIDAY !

*We are moving and shaking, staying active and having fun! Each Friday afternoon the whole school is dancing together to promote healthy, active living in our community.*

