

Holy Rosary Catholic School  
308 Tweedsmuir Avenue  
Toronto, ON  
M5P 2Y1  
T: 416.393.5225  
F: 416.397.6360  
E: holyrosary.info@tcdsb.org

# Holy Rosary Newsletter

October 2015

<http://holyrosary.tcdsb.org>

## Principal

Bianca Auciello

## Administrative Assistant

Lisa Lambert

## Superintendent

John Shanahan

416.222.8282 x 5371

## Trustee

Jo-Ann Davis

416.512.3409

[www.jo-anndavis.ca](http://www.jo-anndavis.ca)

## Parish

Holy Rosary Church

354 St. Clair Ave W

416.923.8471

<http://www.holyrosary.ca>

Holy Rosary is  
on Twitter!



@HolyRosaryTCDSB  
Follow us for news, reminders, information and fun!

## TORONTO CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEES 2015-2016

### Wards

1. Joseph Martino	416-512-3401
2. Ann Andrachuk	416-512-3402
3. Sal Piccininni	416-512-3403
4. Patrizia Bottoni	416-512-3404
5. Maria Rizzo	416-512-3405
6. Frank D'Amico	416-512-3406
7. Michael Del Grande, Chair	416-512-3407
8. Garry Tanuan	416-512-3408
9. Jo-Ann Davis	416-512-3409
10. Barbara Poplawski	416-512-3410
11. Angela Kennedy	416-512-3411
12. Nancy Crawford, Vice-Chair	416-512-3412
Karina Dubrovskaya, Student Trustee	416-512-3417
Allison Gacad, Student Trustee	416-512-3413

Fall is officially here and with it cooler temperatures! Please dress for the weather and wear hats and mitts to stay warm during outdoor play. Also please remember to bring indoor shoes for wet days to keep the school classrooms and hallways safe and dry.

Happy Thanksgiving 

The school website and Twitter feed are home to regular school news and updates. Follow us on Twitter @HolyRosaryTCDSB and check the school website often for school information. Please remember to return all forms and updated data cards to your teacher so that we have your correct contact information for all school communications.

✿ Our next Catholic School Parents' Council (CSPC) meeting is Tuesday, October 6 at 6:30 pm in the school library. Childcare will be provided!

✿ Please join us for our Gratitude Mass on October 22 at 9:30 am. This celebration will be followed by a family reception at the school—a wonderful chance to meet other parents and teachers.

✿ Our Nutrition Program begins on Monday, October 5. All students will be provided with a healthy snack each morning. Please see the attached letter for details on this month's menu and how to make a donation to this program. Menus for each month will be posted on the school website.

✿ The Institute for Catholic Education has coordinated with the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario to produce parent information and support materials for the revised Ontario Ministry of Education Health and Physical Education (HPE) curriculum, now in effect in all Ontario schools. Please visit <http://www.iceont.ca> for detailed information about the curriculum changes and how Catholic schools will be supported in delivering the curriculum. Parent resources for the Fully Alive program are found on the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario website at <http://www.acbo.on.ca/>

✿ Help us keep Holy Rosary healthy! Please do not send your child(ren) to school if they are ill.

✿ Spirit Wear is now available for purchase! Sample sizes are on display at the main office. All orders are due October 16. Cash only please.

✿ School Picture Day is October 20. Students are expected to wear dress code on picture day.

✿ Student art work will be on display in the Holy Rosary parish hall after all masses on the first weekend of each month.

✿ Grade 8 students from Ms Hille's class participated in an interview for a CBC Radio 1 Thanksgiving Special. Tune in to CBC radio, 99.1 on Monday, October 12 to hear the broadcast. We will also post a link to the interview on our website.

✿ Our first Student of the Month awards for Virtue of the Month, Healthy Active Living and Academic Effort were given out in September. We will be celebrating Star Students each month. All award winners and award criteria are posted on the school website and featured on our 'Students Shining Bright' bulletin board near the main office.

✿ TCDSB Parent Involvement Week is October 24 to 30. The TCDSB has partnered with the two parent organizations--the Catholic Parent Involvement Committee (CPIC) and the Ontario Association of Parents in Catholic Education (OAPCE - Toronto)--to co-host a number of events that highlight the important role of parents in our schools, as well as to provide opportunities for continued involvement, professional development and net-working. For more information: <https://www.tcdsb.org/forparents/parentinvolvement/news%20and%20events/pages/tcdsb-catholic-parent-involvement-week.aspx>

✿ The Newcomer Conference for families new to Canada is October 28 at 5:00 pm at the Catholic Education Centre. For information and to register, visit: <http://www.tcdsb.org/forcommunity/newcomers>