

# **ANGEL ANNOUNCEMENTS** SAINT GABRIEL ANGELS ARE MESSENGERS OF GOD



#### **ANGEL INFORMATION**

We are currently in our third and final NWEA MAP Testing window for this 2023-2024 Academic Year. This testing window is from **Monday, April 22, 2024 to Friday, May 10, 2024.** 

Saint Gabriel School will be represented in the Windsor Shad Derby on **Saturday, May 18, 2024**. We will be taking part in the parade, as well as having a booth/table at the Shad Derby. The Sign up genius will be sent out on Monday.

Mid-Term Progress Reports will be going home with your students today. You are also able to check their grades at any time through the Educonnect Family Portal.

Saturday, May 4, 2024 at 10:00 AM, a few of our Grade 2 students will be making their First Holy Communion.

On Tuesday, May 7, 2024, we will have an EARLY DISMISSAL for Teacher/Staff Professional Development.

Shout out to Mr. Conlin for all his hard work with the yearbook committee on creating a beautiful 2023-2024 yearbook!

### UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- 5/4/2024: First Holy Communion, St. Gabriel Church at 10:00 AM
  5/7/2024: EARLY DISMISSAL, Teacher P.D.
  5/9/2024: Ascension Thursday Mass at 9:00 AM, St. Gabriel School
  5/11/2024: Preschool Open House 9:00-10:30AM
  5/13/2024: May Crowning Ceremony, 10:00 AM, St. Gabriel School Gym
  5/15/2024: Spring Concert at 6:00 PM
  5/21/2024: K-8 Open House, 6:00 PM 7:30 PM More information to follow
  5/22/2024: Project Oceanology, 7th Grade
  5/23/2024: High Meadow 9:00 AM 4:00 PM
  5/24/2024: Capitol Trip, 4th & 5th Grade, 9:30 AM 1:00 PM
  5/27/2024: 8th grade Boston Trip
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## **PRINCIPAL'S POCKET OF PEACE**

MRS. AMY LAQUERRE

Heavenly Father,

As we embark on a new month, let us take a moment to pause and offer a prayer for guidance, wisdom, and strength.

May the light of knowledge illuminate our path, leading us towards understanding and compassion. May our classrooms be filled with curiosity and discovery, and may our hearts be open to learning and growth.

Let us be mindful of the blessings that surround us, and may we always strive to make a positive difference in the lives of others.

May this month be a time of unity, resilience, and achievement for our school community.

Amen.

### **RE-ENROLLMENT INFORMATION**

**Re-Enrollment is LIVE!!** All current Saint Gabriel Families are able to officially re-enroll your student for the 2024- 2025 Academic Year. Emails were sent out with re-enrollment information earlier this week. If you did not receive this email, please contact the main office. **Please note:** When you go to set up a FACTS Management Portal account, you will be asked to enter a district code. **This code is STG-CT**. Please reach out to the main office with any additional questions or concerns regarding this process.



We would like to thank the Windsor Knights of Columbus for coming by last weekend to clean up our building grounds, making it ready for Spring! They did an amazing job!



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## WEEKLY ANGEL HIGHLIGHTS

**Pre-K 3:** Pre-K 3 made pig puppets to act out the nursery rhyme: <u>This Little Piggy</u>. In Religion, we are celebrating Mary for the month of May. We are grateful she is the mother of Jesus and we are grateful for our own moms at home. Pictures of our moms will be posted in our window with sentences of something special about them.

**Pre-K 4:** Pre-K 4 worked with their grade 4 buddies to read and write about books! How fun! **Kindergarten:** Kindergarten started practicing telling time on an analog clock this week. Very exciting learning!

Grade 1: In Art, grade 1 started a clay bird project.

**Grade 2:** This week we started a fun unit on measurement! We are using paper clips as a non-standard unit of measurement. We are also painting watercolor coffee filter flowers for Spring!

**Grade 3:** Our grade 3 students spent time this week building their own zoo! They were using measurement, multiplication and area & graphing them all together to begin their projects! **Grade 4:** This week Grade 4 explored rocks and minerals with Grade 5, and played Jeopardy! to review fractions.

**Grade 5:** Grade 5, along with our 4th graders, played math Jeopardy! for math fractions review!! **Grade 6:** Students took their NWEA MAP test in Reading.

**Grade 7:** In Religion, students read St. Matthew's Gospel Chapters 5-7 and pondered the teachings in Christ's Sermon on the Mount.

Grade 8: Students took their NWEA MAP tests in Language Usage and Reading.

