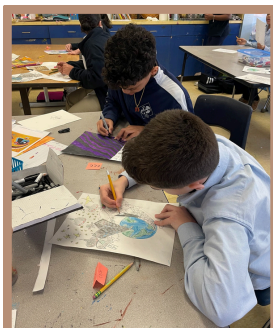




# ANGEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## ANGEL INFORMATION

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 is here for you:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4AA5AF28A7FAC70-49553922-shad>

Tomorrow, **Saturday, May 11, 2024**, we will be having our Pre-K open house from 9:00-10:30AM.

**Monday, May 13, 2024** at 10:00AM we will be having our May Crowning Ceremony in the gymnasium.

Lifetouch will be assisting with photographing the following upcoming events:

- **May Crowning Ceremony - May 13, 2024**
- **Graduation - May 31, 2024**

Using the unique QR code below, you will be able to view and/or purchase any pictures from these events. The QR code is the same for both events. When you scan the code, you will be directed to a text link, with a code to send. From there, you will be sent to a portal/website that has all the pictures for you to view and choose from. The QR code will remain below in our newsletters from now until the end of the school year.

Our Spring Concert will take place on **Wednesday, May 15, 2024**. Students in K-5 are to be in their classrooms by 5:45PM. Their teachers will remain with them until it is their time to head upstairs. Students may wear their Sunday best or they can dress up as any Disney character from the movie/show they are singing the song from!

Special thank you to Home & School for providing a lunch on Tuesday for all our faculty & staff in celebration of Teacher's Appreciation Week!

We will have our first safety committee meeting on **Tuesday, May 28, 2024** at 5:30PM in the cafeteria. All members of our school community who would like to be part of this committee are welcome to attend!

## UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- 5/11/2024:** Preschool Open House 9:00-10:30 AM
- 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
- 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:** **NO SCHOOL** - Memorial Day
- 5/28/2024:** 8th grade Boston Trip
- 5/28/2024:** Safety Committee Meeting, 6:00 PM, Cafeteria
- 5/29/2024:** Grade 8 Retreat - Holy Family
- 5/30/2024:** Old Sturbridge Village Trip, 4th & 5th Grade, 8:45 AM - 4:00 PM
- 5/30/2024:** Class Night, 6:00 PM at St. Gabriel Church Hall

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## PRINCIPAL'S POCKET OF PEACE

MRS. AMY LAQUERRE

Heavenly Father,

We gather in thanksgiving for the gift of our teachers, who embody the spirit of excellence in education. They are the guiding lights in our students' lives, instilling knowledge, igniting curiosity, and nurturing growth each and every day.

During this special week of recognition, we lift our hearts in prayer for our teachers. May they feel the depth of our appreciation for their tireless efforts, their unwavering support, and their boundless compassion. Grant them strength to overcome challenges, wisdom to inspire minds, and grace to sow seeds of kindness and understanding.

May your love shine brightly through our teachers, illuminating the path of learning for our students and inspiring them to reach for the stars. May they know the profound impact they have on shaping the future generation and feel cherished for their invaluable contributions to our school community.

Amen.

## RE-ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

**Re-Enrollment is LIVE!!** All current Saint Gabriel Families are able to officially re-enroll their student for the 2024- 2025 Academic Year. 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.





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## WEEKLY ANGEL HIGHLIGHTS

**Pre-K 3:** Pre-K 3 learned about body parts in Italian this week and colored a paper with matching words. We also colored pictures to give our grandmothers with our 5th grade Guardian Angels!

**Pre-K 4:** PreK 4 had fun learning about the characters and setting in a story. In Italian they learned the days of the week in Italian. They also had fun talking about their Super Moms with their Guardian angels and making Mother's Day cards for them.

**Kindergarten:** In addition to our usual studies, kindergarten has been preparing Mother's Day gifts this week, which include cards to include with the plants they grew from seeds over the last month. They have also watched scenes from the film Mary Poppins and practiced the songs from the movie that they are singing in the upcoming concert.

**Grade 1:** Grade 1 spent part of the week in science learning all about caterpillars and are observing the stages they go through that eventually evolve them into a butterfly!

**Grade 2:** This has been an exciting week! Grade 2 has presented their "inventions". They were amazing and used such creativity! They have been practicing with the 8th grade students to prepare for the Crowning of Mary next Monday.

**Grade 3:** Grade 3 is continuing on building their zoo projects. This week, we made our own "Feeding Schedule" using elapsed time!

**Grade 4:** Grade 4 made projects for Mothers' Day with the preschool Buddies, and have been working on creating pamphlets for States Day.

**Grade 5:** Grade 5 had an excellent start to their unit on decimals in math class this week!

**Grade 6:** In Mrs. Schloat's classroom, students studied The Declaration of Independence and The Gettysburg Address as works of Literature, finding rhetorical devices in both. In particular they explored the ways that the two documents are linked by Allusion.

**Grade 7:** In Religion, students presented PowerPoints on single-use plastic and paper products, connecting these wasteful items to what Pope Francis has written regarding the "throwaway culture".

**Grade 8:** In Literature, students continued to read George Orwell's 1984 and find connections to other dystopic novels, including The Giver and The Hunger Games.