

# Around the School

## Religious Events

- ❖ We have had school assemblies about All Saints and Remembrance Day
- ❖ During Advent, classes will each take one day per week to attend the 8:00 a.m. Mass
- ❖ Some classes are attending Eucharistic adoration on First Fridays

## In the Classroom

- ❖ Teachers will be implementing lessons from the Canucks Autism Network between now and April
- ❖ The interactive white boards are up and running in Grades Two and Five, and are getting a lot of use. Thank you!
- ❖ Recent field trips: Grades One and Two visited the pumpkin patch and the Grade Fives went to the Vancouver Airport
- ❖ The NSTEP ladies with student leaders gave a healthy “Snack Attack” yesterday
- ❖ The Grade Fours are practicing writing computer code on [www.code.org](http://www.code.org)

## Extra-Curricular/Co-Curricular

- ❖ The Grade 4 & 5 Boys wrapped up the inaugural soccer season at St. Matthew's
- ❖ The Gr. 5 Girls' Volleyball team had a very successful season; they finished in first place in our zone (Zone 7) and eighth among all CISVA schools
- ❖ Basketball will officially begin in December, but some training will begin this month

## Staff News

- ❖ Staff will be attending a professional development day on November 17 to learn about the re-designed curriculum