

Parish Education Committee Teacher's Report
April, 2018

Religious Events

- ❖ We had a School Mass on Friday, April 13th.
- ❖ This week we are participating in the CISVA Week of Prayer for Vocations

In the Classroom

- ❖ Kindergarten: learning about the world - airport dramatic play centre is very popular
- ❖ Grade 1: growing potatoes; using a new typing program (this is the first year we have been using it)
- ❖ Grade 2: lots of time and energy being directed for First Holy Communion preparation
- ❖ Grade 3: Personal Projects: each child has to teach his/her peers how to do something (for example, one child taught how to draw flowers and shade them)
- ❖ Grade 4: planted vegetable seedlings in the classroom and have already transplanted them outside; using this as an opportunity to work on measurement in Math
- ❖ Grade 5: just had a field trip to City Hall, where they visited the Traffic Operations room
- ❖ Grade 6: Genius Hour every Friday, an explorations time that involved STEM (Science Technology Engineering Math)
- ❖ Grade 7: preparation for Confirmation, which included the overnight retreat at Loon Lake

Extra-Curricular

- ❖ Choir will be singing at the Chancellor Music Festival on Wednesday, May 9th
- ❖ Track and Field is in full swing - one track meet today, and several upcoming
- ❖ Catherine in Gr. 6 was the winner of the Spelling Bee - she will go on to the CISVA competition on May 8th
- ❖ The Spring Presentation last week was considered successful by all - kudos to Mrs. Fawcett for her excellent choices of selections which showcased a variety of musical skills
- ❖ The Yearbook is finished and was submitted last week