

# St. Martin of Tours Catholic School

## Newsletter

### March 30, 2021



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#### Featured Student of the Week March 15 - 19

**Payton**  
**'St. Patrick's Day'**



On March 17<sup>th</sup>, it was St. Patrick's Day. I had an awesome day. Our class did a lot of fun activities. We participated in an Irish History and Culture Escape Room. We made shamrocks and we wrote what we were lucky for. I wrote "I am lucky for my family and friends."

#### Resurrection Gardens



We are very excited for the virtual Resurrection Garden Workshop tonight! Students will bring home all materials for the Workshop today. If you registered to participate you should have received a Teams Meeting invite link to join at 6:30p.m. See you there! Please call 613-334-1989 if you have any troubles.

#### Featured Student of The Week March 22 - 26

**Chris**  
**"Art Gallery of Ontario"**



Last week we got to watch four live presentations from the Art Gallery of Ontario. The presenters changed every day and they would talk about different pieces of art. We were able to ask and answer questions. My favourite part was when we were asked to draw our own mythical animal. We all drew an animal that looked like a deer with different animal parts. It was cool to see how everyone drew it differently.

#### Twin Day!



Students are reminded that Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> is Twin Day! We are excited to see what everyone has in store for this fun day! Let's Get Creative!!



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## Stations of the Cross

Since we are not able to gather together for our Stations of the Cross presentation like we have for so many years, we have decided to put together a small video for our families and community to be able to view. This is a special time in our Catholic Faith when during Lent we remember how Jesus suffered and sacrificed himself to free us from sin.



## Literacy



The students have started a “Word Study” unit in Literacy. Please be aware that they will be given a spelling test on Fridays. The words to study will be in the students’ Literacy duotangs and available in D2L as well.

## Agendas



We have begun using agendas again so please check your child’s agenda daily.

## OFIP – Tutoring Program



We have received some responses expressing interest in this program, if you are interested and have not heard from us, please contact the office.

## Rainbow Science

Kindergarten to Grade 6 students enjoyed exploring a couple of different “Rainbow Science” activities in honour of St. Patrick’s Day and spring!



## Canada in Lights

Students watched a virtual presentation of a light show on the Parliament buildings from 2019 that showed the History of Canada in Light. They used elements from what they were watching to create their own pieces of art using pastels.



## Mental Health Hour

Students enjoyed special activities that they had picked out for themselves for Mental Health Hour last week. It is wonderful seeing the students in their element.

