

March 4 2022

Ash Wednesday Mass was attended and celebrated by all SJ students and staff together with Fr. Peter. **Ash Wednesday** is the beginning of the Lenten Season of Almsgiving, Pray and Fasting.

BIG shout out to both the SJS Boys and Girls Basketball teams! Both teams had a tremendous season of success, camaraderie and sportsmanship.

The **Grade One class** was gifted a wonderful assortment of scrapbooking paper for art projects. Thanks to Peyton who shared these materials with her class, they were able to create these very special **Woven Wonders**.







News from the Office:

2022/2023 ReRegistration and Kindergarten Registration:

Thank you to the many families who have returned their registration. **Gentle reminder** to ensure enrollment, please return your reregistration by March 18 2022.

Kindergarten registration is being accepted for 2022/2023. Registration packages are available on our website https://www.stjamesvernon.com/ or can be picked up at the school office.

Word of mouth is the number one way we attract new families to our school. During the pandemic we are gathering less in shared spaces and so the ability to share our experiences with others is significantly hampered. We would be most grateful if you could actively share your experience at SJS with others and encourage them to join our school community. Thank you.

Liturgical Dance is back - Grade 4 - 7

Students in **Grades 4 - 7** are invited to join our **St. James Liturgical Dance Team**.

Consent forms are available from Ms. Dressler, in grade 4. **Signed consent forms are due by March 11**. The team will practice **Thursdays** in the gym from **2:45 - 3:45 beginning April 7 and ending May 27** with a **school-wide performance** during the first week in June! We will also provide a video link so that our entire SJS community can enjoy the performance.

Mar 7 - Mar 11 School Events

- ➤ Mar 7
 - o 2:45pm 3:45pm Gr 5/6/7 Girls Basketball wind up
- > March 8
 - 12:30pm 12:55pm Ukulele Club Gr 4&5

March 9

- 8:40am School Assembly
- o 1:30pm Staff vs Student Basketball game
- 2:45pm 3:40pm Gr 5/6/7 Art Club
- > March 10
 - o 12:30pm 12:55pm Choir
- ➤ March 11
 - Consent forms due for Liturgical Dance

News from Parent Support Group:

Easter and Mother's Day Fundraisers. See attached information sheet for details.

Purdy's chocolates and Spring Flowers from Growing Smiles are available.

News from our Church:

Stations of the Cross tonight, March 4 2022 St. James Church @ 7:00pm

Upcoming events:

Mar 15 - Uniform sale new and gently used

Mar 17 - St. Patrick's Day - Spirit Day wear green

Mar 18 - **NOON Dismissal** - (Supervision until 12:30pm)

Mar 21 - Apr 1 Spring Break

Attachments:

PSG Easter and Mother's Day fundraiser THS March menu