### St. Alphonsus School

81 Henderson Street East, Yorkton, Saskatchewan, S3N 0A8 Telephone: (306) 783-4121 Fax: (306) 782-3077 9 Website: http://stalphonsus.christtheteacher.ca/ E-mail: saint.alphonsus@cttcs.ca Principal: Mr. M. Cristo

E-mail: michael.cristo@cttcs.ca

CHRIST THE TEACHER CATHOLIC SCHOOL DIVISION



#### APRIL 2022 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents/Guardians:

During our Lenten journey, our students and staff have observed the Stations of the Cross as led by our grade 7 students. The object of the Stations is to help us make, in spirit, a pilgrimage to the chief scenes of Christ's sufferings and death. There are fourteen Stations: Christ condemned to death...The cross is laid upon him...His first fall...He meets his blessed mother...Simon is made to carry the cross...Christ's face is wiped by Veronica...His second fall...He meets the women of Jerusalem...His third fall...He is stripped of His garments...His crucifixion...His death on the cross...His body is removed from the cross...He is laid in the tomb. These images create a mini pilgrimage to holy places and a time for us to reengage our faith.

Our students have also been collecting food for the Brothers and Sisters Keepers charity group in Yorkton. We will collect baby supplies and non-perishable food items until April 13<sup>th</sup>. Our grade 4 class is also selling raffle tickets next week in support of the war efforts in the Ukraine. Tickets are 1 for \$1.00 or 3 for \$2.00.

As we celebrate the Holy Easter season, let us remember that life is more powerful than death, that Jesus who rose from the dead is our inspiration and our hope.

On behalf of the St. Alphonsus School staff, we wish you and your family a blessed Easter season. May your lives be filled with the love, peace and joy that Jesus promises us through His Resurrection.

Mr. Cristo

Mr. Hartman



### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 15	NO SCHOOL - Good Friday
April 15-22	NO SCHOOL – Easter Break
April 25	Classes Resume



## Pre-K & Kindergarten Registration 2022~2023

Start the journey into learning with us!



### Christ the Teacher Catholic Schools

#### Prekindergarten

Children who will be 3 or 4 years of age during the 2022-2023 school year are eligible to apply. PreK selection is based on Ministry of Education criteria



#### Kindergarten

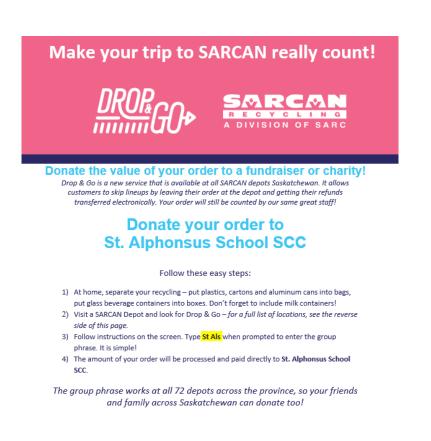
Children who were born in 2017 can register today



Visit <u>www.christtheteacher.ca</u> for registration information or call 306-783-8787

### **Band News**

- Congratulations to our Grade 7/8 band who participated in the virtual Yorkton Music Festival 85% 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- **Band Camp**! For those who have been in band for at least 1 year. \$100 discount for Yorkton area students attending the Yorkton Band Camp (July 17- 22) + \$25 early- bird discount! (Additional financial assistance is also available if you apply early.) <u>https://www.saskband.org/SBA-Band-Camps</u>
- Fri. June 10: Gr. 5 Band trip to Regina
- Thurs. June 16<sup>th</sup>: Final Band concert (SHHS gym)





Please let us know if your child will be late or absent. Call 306 783 4121 - Text Only 306 641 9901

# A little Bit of what we were up to this March....

























## A free program for parents/caregivers of children age 0 to 10

Parents will receive support to help manage their children's behaviour and prevent the kinds of problems that make family life stressful.

We start with developing good relationship for parents to have with their child, then share ideas how we can encourage the behaviour we like, teach new skills and behaviours, and finally how to manage children's misbehaviour.

# Online 6:30 to 8:30 pm

April 28, May 5, 12, 19, June 8

Application deadline: April 25

Login information will be provided to registered participants by email.

Registration is limited to 8 persons. Adequate Internet service must be available and participants must have video and audio turned on at all times. We encourage parents to use a computer, laptop or tablet and not a phone to participate in this program.

Parents must commit to all sessions. The seven-week program consists of five online sessions and two sessions conducted by phone.





Registration is required for all sessions. Call 306-783-3080 Text 306-621-3084 Message on Facebook @yorktontriplep Email triplep@signyorkton.ca

# Discussion Groups

For parents/caregivers of children age 0 to 10

Is this your child... one who melts down in the supermarket? Who won't go to bed without a fight? Who's often disobedient, or bites, hits or fights?

If your child fits any of these descriptions, Discussion Groups can help.

Triple P Discussion Groups are short, small group sessions that offer parents practical advice for tackling specific problem behaviour.





# Online 6:30 to 8:30 pm

April 12: Dealing with Disobedience

May 10: Hassle-free Mealtimes with Children

June 7: Managing Fighting and Aggression

Login information will be provided to registered participants by email.

The programs are free.

Registration is required for all sessions. Call 306-783-3080 Text 306-621-3084 Message on Facebook @yorktontriplep Email triplep@signyorkton.ca

# **Fear-Less Full Day Workshop**

For parents/caregivers of children age 6 to 14 with significant anxiety concerns

Parents will learn how to use positive parenting strategies that can help children overcome their anxiety.

This program teaches parents about the causes of anxiety and how their response as a parent can influence children's anxiety.

We will also cover how to develop realistic expectations to manage anxiety.



A service of Good Neighbours

# Yorkton In-person May 14

Triple P Learning Centre 345 Broadway St. West Yorkton

### Application deadline: May 11

- Registration is limited to 6 persons.
- Specific criteria must be met to attend. Please inquire.
- Parents must commit to attend the full day from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.
- Refreshments and lunch are provided.
- Babysitting is not provided and children may not attend.

# This is a free program

Registration is required for all sessions. Call 306-783-3080 Text 306-621-3084 Message on Facebook @yorktontriplep Email triplep@signyorkton.ca