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Dear Parents / Guardians,

At this time of year it is worthwhile for us to take the time to celebrate our successful year together as a Christ centered school community. We kept our eyes on Christ, leaned in for understanding, and never forgot our division faith theme, "Be Strong, Be Brave, Be Fearless. You are Never Alone". As a school based Admin team, we reflect fondly on all of our faith celebrations where we grew together as a community in Christ. We are extremely thankful for the opportunities that we were provided as restrictions were lifted to return to many of our past practices that allow us to gather in community. The month of June also brings Indigenous History Month, an important topic to share and discuss. We continue to encourage and learn about ways to create a more loving and accepting school community and to recognize the history, heritage and diversity of First Nations, Inuit and Metis peoples in Canada.

Thank you for a great year of teaching and learning. All of our staff appreciate your support, your understanding and your kindness. We are grateful for the work of our School Council to support year end field trips for our students and for supporting our staff with the preparation of our school wide Shrove Tuesday breakfast.

Our recent parent survey resulted in a clear response to support a continuation of staggered entry for our students to begin the 2022-2023 school year. As a result, half of our students will attend their first day of school on Thursday, September 1st and the other half will attend on Friday, September 2nd. All students will attend school on Tuesday, September 6th. We will provide you with more details regarding school start-up in late August.

Wishing you and your families a safe, restful and rejuvenating summer. It was a privilege and a blessing to serve you and your children this year.

May God Bless you and keep you,

Ian Stang
Principal

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Vice-Principal

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