

# OUR LADY OF FATIMA NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER  
2023

## CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Our Christmas Concert will  
be held at the Courtland  
Community Centre  
Wednesday, December 20  
6:30 pm



Students to arrive  
by 6:15 pm



## TURKEY BINGO

Thank you to the Turkey Bingo Committee, to all the volunteers and to all the people who came out to support our Turkey Bingo. After a 3 year hiatus due to covid we were happy to be able to run our biggest fundraiser of the year again. We raised over \$6000 and are so grateful for everyone's support. See you all again next year!

## ATHLETICS [AT] OLOF

BASKETBALL WILL BE  
STARTING IN DECEMBER.  
TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD  
JANUARY 30 [AT] HOLY TRINITY.



*Wishing a very  
Merry  
Christmas to all  
our wonderful  
students, staff &  
families!*



## Christmas Giving Campaign

This year Our Lady of Fatima School will be sponsoring 3 families in need.

Items from the families' wish list are hanging on the school's Christmas tree. We ask our school families to take one item from the tree, purchase it for the families and place under the tree before Dec. 15 in a gift bag.

For those who do not want to buy a gift, cash donations can be made on School Cash Online until December 15.

We thank you for your continued sponsoring of those in need in our community!



# Upcoming Events

- 1-15 Christmas Giving Campaign - take a tag from the tree and purchase a gift for 1 of the 3 families we are sponsoring
- 4 Last Day to Order Poinsettia's on School Cash Online
- 8 Advent Mass 9:30 am and Confessions at O'LOF/Santa Hat Day
- 11 Candy Cane Sales Begin daily until Dec. 19 - 50 cents each - Xmas Socks Day
- 12 Poinsettia Pick Up 12-3:30 pm/Xmas Hat Day
- 14 Christmas Dinner 12:30 pm. Thank you to our Parent Council!! Grinch Day
- 15 Christmas Giving Campaign Ends/Santa Hat Day
- 18 January Lunch Orders Due/Elf Day
- 19 Ugly Christmas Sweater Day
- 20 Christmas Concert @ Courtland Community Centre 6:30pm  
Admission: 1 canned good/Red-Green Day
- 21 Movie/Popcorn Day and Christmas PJ Day  
9am - 10:25 - Grade 3 to 6  
11:05 - 12:45 - K to Grade 2  
1:35 - 3:10 - Grade 7 to 8
- 22 Santa Hat Day
- 23 Christmas Holidays begin.  
Back to school January 8



Kelsey's Days - Dec. 5, 12 and 19

Pizza Days - Dec. 7, 15 and 21 - **Pizza changed from Dec. 14 to Dec. 15**







# Compassionate Crew/ Student's Council



The Compassionate Crew will be hosting a variety of Christmas activities as we prepare for the coming of Christ during the Advent Season! Our December virtue is CHARITY. Let us remember those who are in need this holiday season and give to those to make their Christmas memorable. Charity not only comes in the form of giving food, clothing and monetary donations, but also by charitable acts of kindness and caring. Beginning Monday, December 11, Student Council will be selling candy canes for 50 cents. each. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to show an act of charity by giving a candy cane to someone special or someone who might need a little Christmas 'pick-me-up'. As well, we will be celebrating "The Twelve 'Spirit' Days of Christmas" showing our Christmas spirit. See our calendar for these festive spirit days. And lastly, on Thursday, December 21, each class will have the opportunity to celebrate a Christmas movie in the gym! Popcorn will be sold by Student Council for 50 cents a bag! There's 'Snowplace Like Our Fatima Home' for the holidays! MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM THE COMPASSIONATE CREW!



**Holy Trinity Catholic High School**

**FUTURE GRADE 9  
STUDENT & PARENT  
OPEN HOUSE**

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 18 | 6:30 - 8:00 PM**

Join us for our student-led tours, discover our departments and extracurriculars, and experience what it is like to be a Holy Trinity Titan!

**MORE COURSES + MORE OPTIONS = MORE PREPARED**



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# kindergarten

## ONLINE KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

JAN 8 - FEB 23

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