



# St. Gerard School

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## April 2026 Newsletter

### *Principal's Message*

*Christ has risen! Happy Easter.*



This is a joyful time when we remember the Resurrection of Jesus Christ and the message of hope, love, and new life.

As we celebrate this special season, let us be reminded to show kindness, forgiveness, and care for one another, just as Jesus taught us. May this Easter fill your hearts with peace and happiness. Just like spring brings fresh flowers and sunshine, Easter reminds us to be kind, caring and full of positivity.

Wishing you and your families a blessed and joyful Easter Season!

**God Bless!**

**Miss Gilbert**

Principal



### Basketball News

Congratulations to our  
Boys and Girls Basketball Teams who  
won the championship!

Tier 1 Division for Girls  
Tier 2 Division for Boys

### 2026/2027 Uniform Fitting & Ordering

Friday, April 24, 2026

(11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

Orders must be placed online by  
April 30, 2026.

Full details included in Newsletter

**Canadian Catholic Schools Trustees  
Association (CCSTA)**

***Toonies for Tuition Day***

Thursday, April 30, 2026

The CCSTA provides tuition assistance to families attending Catholic Schools. Some of our families have had assistance from this organization. We are doing a Toonie Fundraiser on April 30<sup>th</sup>.

Bring in a minimum \$2.00 donation and receive a N.U.T. Day.

Thanks for your support.

**Hot Lunch**

St. Gerard will continue with Pizza every Friday that we are at school.

**Lunches must be  
pre-ordered on  
Wednesday – no  
exceptions**

Daily milk sales will also continue – white or chocolate at \$1.25 cash or a book of 10 tickets for \$12.50

**Parent Association News**

**Family Bingo**

Friday, April 24, 2026

***Doors open @ 6:30 p.m.***

***Bingo @ 7:00 p.m.***

Letter with information was sent home. *(Youngest or Only)*



*As snow & rain season doesn't seem to want to leave us yet, please send a dry pair of socks and mitts/gloves in your child's backpack.*

**PARKING NEWS**



When dropping off and/or picking up your children on Foster Street, make sure you are parked on the correct side of the road.  
(And not in the bus spot)

**THANK YOU.**

**Save the Date**

Volunteer Appreciation Day  
Thursday, May 21, 2026

More Information to Follow



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## 2026/2027 - UNIFORM FITTING (Order due date – **APRIL 30 , 2026**)

We will be holding a uniform fitting on **Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>** from 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the school gym. Sample garments will be available for try-on if you require a fitting for your child(ren). Please call the school office at (204)667-4862 if you would like us to measure your student and send the information home. If you are unable to attend you can email [uniforms@promosave.com](mailto:uniforms@promosave.com) for assistance.

Go to <https://envisionuniforms.ca> to place your order online. If you are a new visitor, you will need to create an account to see our school catalogue (St. Gerard School). Email [uniforms@promosave.com](mailto:uniforms@promosave.com) if you have any questions about logging into the uniform website.

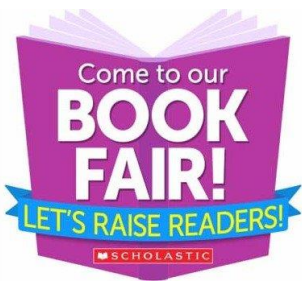
Uniform inventory is ordered once a year – placing your order now will secure stock for your child for the upcoming school year. Orders received after the deadline will be filled from a limited amount of on-hand stock and on a first serve basis. Uniform orders are due **April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026** for the new school year. All orders placed in April will be delivered to the school in June, prior to the last day of school.

Exchange and return requests will be processed until **August 14, 2026**, with a second drop off day scheduled prior to the first day of school.

**Any orders or requests received after August 14<sup>th</sup> will not be delivered to the school until September 14<sup>th</sup>.**

As per the St. Gerard School Uniform Policy all St. Gerard logo clothing – polo shirts, polo dresses, gym shirts (**Grade 4** and up) and hooded sweaters **must** be ordered through Envision. Families are also now able to order navy pants, shorts and skirts; as well as black gym shorts (**Grade 4** and up) if needed. However, you can still purchase these items through a local retail store.

If you have any questions regarding the uniform fitting day, please call the school office (204)667-4862. Questions about uniform ordering, please email [uniforms@promosave.com](mailto:uniforms@promosave.com) or call (204)925-4600.



## Scholastic Book Fair – April 27<sup>th</sup> to May 1<sup>st</sup>

**Looking for a way to finish your volunteer hours? Look no further!**

The Scholastic Book Fair will be coming to St. Gerard and we are looking for volunteers! Scholastic Book Fairs give our school the opportunity to bring families, teachers, students and books together. It's the ultimate book event! Additionally, a portion of the sales benefits our school. It's the best way to raise funds while encouraging our kids to read. It's also a great way to earn your volunteer hours!

If you would like to volunteer for this event, please fill out and return the slip at the bottom of this page with your preferred date and time by Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.

More information will be sent home with students as we get closer to the date of the book fair.

Thank you in advance for helping to make our students lifelong readers - we couldn't do it without your participation.

Book Fair Committee - Mrs. Shade and Mrs. Francisco

### Scholastic Book Fair Volunteer Form

Volunteer name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Student grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Mon., April 27	Tues., April 28	Wed., April 29	Thurs., April 30	Fri., May 1
<input type="checkbox"/> 8:30 - 12:00	<input type="checkbox"/> 8:30 - 12:00	<input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 - 12:00	<input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 - 12:00	<input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 - 12:00
<input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 - 4:00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 - 4:00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 - 4:00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 - 4:00	(Take down/ clean up)
<input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 - 4:00	<input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 - 4:30	<input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 - 4:30	<input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 - 4:30	

**Return by Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>**