

CATHOLIC EDUCATION



Those who hope in the
LORD will renew their
Strength.
Isaiah 40:31

Catholic Education Week - May 10-14, 2021

May 13, 2021 - World Catholic Education Day

WEAR BLUE TO SUPPORT CATHOLIC EDUCATION

The Alberta Catholic School Trustees' Association represents Catholic trustees in Alberta, Northwest Territories and Yukon.

ACSTA is committed to celebrating, preserving, promoting, and enhancing Catholic education. By providing spiritual and political leadership, we strive to advocate for publicly funded Catholic education with a unified voice.

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Catholic Education Week in Alberta May 10-14

Catholic Education Week in Alberta arrives as all students have been moved to at-home learning. We invite you to extend an invitation and information to all teachers, families and stakeholders to join in provincial prayer; more important at this time than ever. May God bless our Catholic schools.

Social media celebrations: 5 Marks in 5 Days.

School districts are asked to focus on one mark each day and post pictures related to each mark on the appropriate day.

Monday	Mark 1 Created in the Image of God
Tuesday	Mark 2 Catholic Worldview
Wednesday	Mark 3 Faith Permeation
Thursday	Mark 4 Witness
Friday	Mark 5 Community

Attached : Poster of the 5 Marks created by CCSD.

Thursday, May 13

Alberta's Catholic schools have been under tremendous strain as they strive to provide excellent, faith-based Catholic education to every student. Challenges have been multiple. Fatigue is evident. Our communities embrace our schools, their students, educators, staff and families during these difficult and trying times.

Provincial Day of Prayer for Alberta's Catholic Schools

Thursday, May 13 has been designated by Alberta's Bishops as a provincial day of prayer for Catholic Schools. Consecrated religious, clergy and all stakeholders in Catholic Education are invited to pray for Alberta's Catholic schools especially on this day. Post your plans and prayers on social media to spread your support.

Thursday, May 13 is World Catholic Education Day. ALL are invited to wear blue in support of Catholic Education.

Prayer Intentions for Catholic Education Week

- That our Catholic schools may be blessed with courage and energy to continue to live out their invaluable role in our society.
- We pray for all educators, administrators and staff who dedicate themselves daily to authentic Catholic education
- We pray for all students, for their safety and their learning, that they may know the love of God
- We pray for all families, that they may grow in faith and unite in their prayers

Daily prayers for Catholic Education created by Red Deer Catholic Schools
[Prayers for Catholic Education Week](#)

Provincial Prayer with Alberta's Bishops

Provincial prayer with the Bishops of Alberta. Hosted by Catholic school districts and shared virtually at 11:00 AM each day. The focus will be on a devotion to St Joseph. **The mass will be conducted in both French and English.**

May 14, Consecration of Alberta's Catholic Schools to St Joseph. Prayers attached.

		Bishop	School District
Monday, May 10	Liturgy	Bishop David Motuk Eparchy of Edmonton	Edmonton Catholic
Tuesday, May 11	Seven Sorrows and Seven Joys of St. Joseph	Archbishop Pettipas Archdiocese Grouard-McLennan	Grande Prairie Catholic
Wednesday, May 12	French and English Holy Mass	Archbishop Smith Archdiocese of Edmonton	Edmonton Archdiocese
Thursday, May 13	Liturgy World Catholic Education Day	Bishop Terrio Diocese of St Paul	Calgary Catholic
Friday, May 14	Liturgy Consecration to Joseph	Bishop McGrattan Calgary Diocese	Calgary Catholic

Monday May 10	Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85191840999?pwd=Sk5JeHZvQmhxRXRrekxoMGJaRTFPUT09 Meeting ID: 851 9184 0999 Passcode: 103446
Tuesday May 11	Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86991504909?pwd=SkxqdHBSbkd0K0k1Yko5bU1KSmVBZz09s Meeting ID: 869 9150 4909 Passcode: GPCSD
Wednesday May 12	YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qOjMsQci4EM Facebook video link for sharing (will appear on this page at 10:55am) https://m.facebook.com/archedmonton/live/
Thursday May 13	Join Zoom Meeting https://zoom.us/j/98213029174?pwd=ZIZ3UzBzUXAveTB0NEpGelU3RmFrdz09#success Meeting ID: 982 1302 9174 Passcode: ss8L2Z
Friday May 14	Join Zoom Meeting https://zoom.us/j/99274799089?pwd=VGMyL3NaUWlmSFg3d3VrSjJxaFJlZz09 Meeting ID: 992 7479 9089 Passcode: 1drDm3

Zoom and Facebook links for Catholic Education Week

11:00 AM Prayer

