



# St. Charles Catholic School

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome back to another exciting year at St. Charles Catholic School! I hope you had a restful and enjoyable summer with your families. The staff of St. Charles has been hard at work getting ready for September 6 and preparing a warm and inviting learning environment for all of our students.

Thank you to all of our teachers who have been preparing their classrooms, to our custodians, Ms. Yakymets and Mr. Picco for ensuring that our school is fresh and sparkling and ready for our students, and to Mrs. Fusaro for setting up our office for the upcoming school year and getting us into tip top shape!

### **First Day of School:**

The first day of school for all students in grades SK – Gr. 8 is **Tuesday September 6**. All students in SK - Gr. 8 will gather on the pavement to the south of the school (the primary tarmac) grouped according to grade. There will be signs along the wall indicating where each grade will gather together. Once the bell rings, teachers will proceed as a class into the school. In the event of rain, this process will take place in the school gym.

### **Balanced Day Schedule:**

Beginning September 2016, our school day schedule will change to a Balanced School Day. Notices were sent home in June regarding changes to bus pick up and drop off times. If you do not have this information, please don't hesitate to call the school.

### ***Beginning September 6, our school day schedule will be as follows:***

8:30 am	Yard Supervision Begins
8:45 am	Entry Bell, Classes Begin
10:45 am – 11:05 am	Nutrition Break (Snack)
11:05 am – 11:25 am	Morning Recess
1:05 pm – 1:25 pm	Nutrition Break (Lunch)
1:25 pm – 1:45 pm	Lunch Recess
3:05 pm	Dismissal

I hope this summer was filled with wonderful memories, laughter and many blessings! We at St. Charles are looking forward to another wonderful year together and eagerly look forward to September 6!

Sincerely,

*Cassandra Medve-Racine*

Principal, St. Charles Catholic School