

“What is God’s plan? It is to make of us all a single family of his children, in which each person feels that God is close and feels loved by him...feels the warmth of being God’s family. The Church is rooted in this great plan.”

Pope Francis

Each year in May the Board hosts an evening to celebrate the students in our “board family” who have excelled this past year. We celebrated the students who demonstrated inclusion, those who completed amazing science fair projects or won Knights of Columbus contests for substance abuse posters and spelling bees. We saw the beautiful artwork that was used on our Board’s Christmas Card this year and the card that Saint Mary’s student Nathan DeCaro designed for a corporate Christmas card. We also celebrated staff like MMO’s Diane Baldwin who won the DECE Award of Excellence and principals who were awarded Principal of the Year Awards.

Our 2016 Outstanding Graduates included a member of the Parks Canada Underwater Archaeology team who discovered a long lost ship from Sir John Franklin’s expedition in the Canadian Arctic, two Juno-nominated musicians, a Special Olympics athlete, radio personality, and employees at Facebook and Apple. The Outstanding Graduate from St. Dominic is a magician who has traveled throughout the world performing. If you would like to read more, please visit www.outstandinggrads.ca.

Please keep us in your prayers this month as Trustees turn their minds to budget decisions. I look forward to seeing you at school celebrations and graduations throughout June. I hope that each of you have a safe and wonderful summer!

God Bless,
Carol Corriveau-Truchon