

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



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AGENDA

Catholic School Council Meeting
Date: Wednesday, October 1, 2025
Time: 6:00 pm
Location: Library

A. Routine Matters

- 1. Call to Order and Attendance
- 2. Opening Prayer

Loving Lord, as I express my gratitude to you in prayer, may it be a pleasing, joyful sound to you. Thank you, Lord, for your love. It brings me acceptance and significance. Thank you, Lord, for your truth. It brings me guidance and direction. Thank you, Lord, for your mercy. It brings me help and comfort. Thank you, Lord for your faithfulness. It brings me stability and strength. Thank you, Lord, for your beauty displayed in the earth. It brings me joy and delight. Thank you, Lord, for your way of redemption-the cross. It brings me salvation and regeneration. Amen

3. Land Acknowledgement

We begin by acknowledging the land and our responsibility to care for and respect all that Creation gives to provide us with life. This land upon which we live, work and sustain ourselves is the ancestral and treaty lands of the Michizaagiig Anishinaabek also known today as the Mississaugas of the Credit, the rightful caretakers and titleholders of this land. We also recognize that this land is rich in pre-contact history and relationships, which includes the Anishinaabek and Onkwehonwe and since European contact has and continues to become home for Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples.

As a responsible community we believe all people are sacred and possess inherent and immeasurable worth and dignity. Colonialism displaced and dispossessed Indigenous Peoples of their ancestral lands and continues to deny their basic human rights, dignities and freedoms. We are committed to the sacrament of reconciliation, making reparations and fulfilling our treaty obligations, duties and responsibilities as outlined in the Gdoo-naaganinaa (Dish with One Spoon) wampum. This treaty governs and affirms that we actively maintain mutually beneficial relationships and collectively respect and care for the land, water, animals and each other in order to guarantee a good life for our future descendants.

- 4. Approval of Agenda
- **5.** Approval of Catholic School Council Minutes June 2025
 - a. Business Arising from the Minutes:
 - Monies promised for pickle ball nets

B. Elections

C. Standing Items

- 1. Chair/Treasurer's Report
- 2. Principal Report
- 3. Teacher Report
- 4. Parish Report

D. Information/Updates (if applicable)

- 1. Central Committee for Catholic School Councils (CCCSC) Report
- 2. Ontario Association of Parents in Catholic Education (OAPCE) Reports

E. Action Items

- a) Choose meeting dates for the year
- b) Chair's meeting October 23, 2025 at Cardinal Leger
- c) Homework: Fundraisers (Fall/Spring), Hot Dog Day, T-Shirts, Parent Engagement Evening, Year End BBQ

F. Future Meetings

TBD

G. Adjournment