



APRIL 2026

We rise to meet Christ's challenge.

▶ IMPORTANT DATES

April 1- Crazy Hair Day

April 2- Holy Thursday

- Wear Blue for
- National Autism Awareness Day

April 3- **NO SCHOOL** Good Friday.



April 6-10- No School-Easter Break

April 13- Back to School

April 15- Monthly Mass

April 16- Dress as a teacher day

- **Connect 2-4 Begins**



School Mass: 9am at St. Catherine Parish, led by Grade 7 class. All are welcome.



April 20- Communi-Tea

April 21- Canteen Grade 1

April 22- EPIC Day- Grade 9 Field trip.

April 23-Connect 2-4 lunch program

April 23-25= **SCPB School Play**



Tickets: \$10

April 23: 7pm

April 24: 7pm

April 25: 2pm

April 27-Communi-Tea

April 28-Canteen Grade 6

April 29-Hotdog hot lunch

April 30- - Kindergarten Grad pictures

-Connect 2-4 at Lunch

May 1- Gospel/ Saint of the Month



CONNECT 2-4

▶ **COME "CONNECT" WITH YOUR PEERS.**

- **GRADE 2,3,4**

- **THURSDAY'S LUNCH PROGRAM**

Led by

Mr. Jordan



**STARTS
APRIL 16**





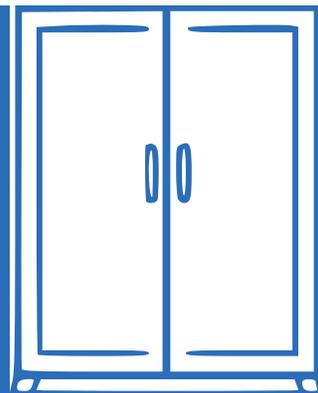
Picture Butte is celebrating 100 years!

On April 15 at Picture Butte town hall there will be ceremonies at 11am to commemorate our 100 years, led by Terry Kirkhoff.

A banner of St Catherine was made, this project was headed by Mr Gokarn. It will displayed in townhall for a month and then it will be placed into a time capsule.

You may experience more missed calls, or automated calls home in regards to attendance, as the office staff continue to navigate the new safety procedures.

Thank you for your continued patience and understanding- Miss Sarah



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Typecast

by Amanda Murray

Cutalo



This Years School Production is "Type Cast" a comedic ensemble play about... a school play! Our Grades 6-9 have been cast and we look forward to seeing the fruition of this production in the spring.

"The auditions for an upcoming production of Cinder White are underway, the drama teacher is greeted by a small group of students, easily characterized as the "diva," the "quiet girl," the "nice girl," to name a few. Casting this show seems like a no-brainer. However when the gym teacher, needs to step in and direct the show instead. The obvious casting roles get flipped on their head- the "nice girl" is now the villain, the diva only has 2 minutes onstage, and the quiet, almost inaudible, "ensemble" girl is now playing a leading role with actual lines! As these characters awkwardly venture into unknown territory, they are forced to see themselves as more than their "type" and learn to "play the roles they're all totally wrong for."

UPDATE Registration forms

You will need to register your student for the upcoming 2026-2027 School year. This includes if your student will not be attending St Catherine. Registrtrtion forms are accessed through Powerschool/SchoolEngage.

To access Powerschool you can go to our website.

On the home page click Registration



Then choose



▼ **Current Active Family Registration**



When you scroll down it will prompt you here.

To Access the Registration Update Form

You will need to already have a *SchoolEngage Account*, which can be accessed by first logging into *PowerSchool*.

To log into Powerschool you will need your username and Password. The username is *usually* firstname.lastname

If you need help getting your username or are in need of a password reset, please contact the office at scpboffice@holyspirit.ab.ca.

After you log in, scroll on the left hand side down to School Engage



You will see your students names on the **left side**. Click the student and on the right you will see the option for **2026-2027 Update Registration Form**.

Follow the prompts and complete the registration form.

After completing one students information, you will have prompted options **“copy previous application”**

- This can be used for addresses, contacts, emergency, etc
- This check box below each title sequence helps to make registrations go by faster.
- Registration numbers for the school impact many areas, and help staff to plan accordingly for the school year.
- You will begin to receive calls, and more emails if you have not completed registrations by April 30.

Outstanding fees like basketball, option classes etc need to be paid ASAP.

What fees have already been used?

- ✔ School Retreat, Jr high and Elementary have been done.
- ✔ First Aid (bandaids, ice packs etc.)
- ✔ Online technology subscriptions (used daily/weekly)
- ✔ Field trips: Most locations require fees paid upon booking.

Extra Curricular Fee's (students that participate)

- ✔ Options Classes- Materials they use during the class.
- ✔ Sports- Equipment, tournament fees etc.
- ✔ School Play- License, props, printing, set construction etc.



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DAY OF PLAY

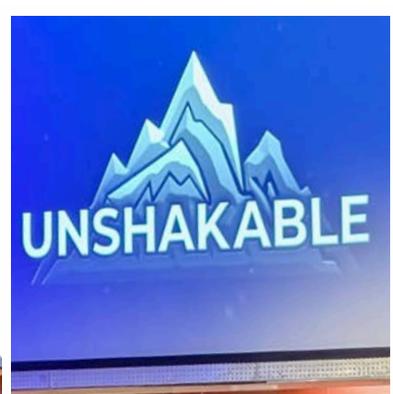
Family Dance



HAPPY 100TH DAY OF SCHOOL



HAPPY SAINT PATRICK'S DAY



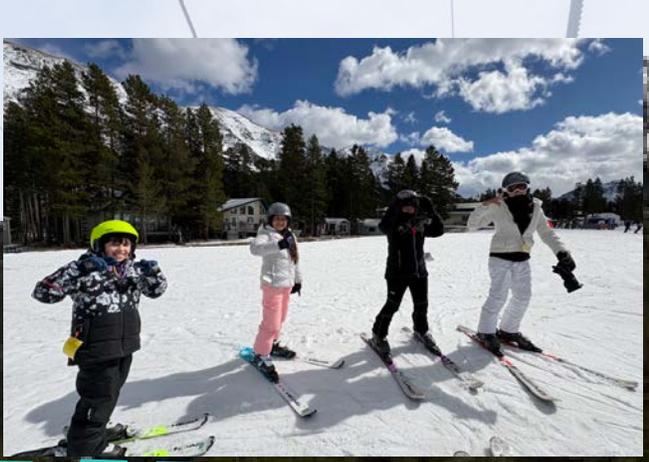
ELEMENTARY RETREAT



FOODS CLASS



Let it SNOW



SKI TRIP



March madness

HOME	8:00	GUESTS
19		18
	period 3	
fouls	player	fouls
0		0
won	game	won



SV Girls and Boys VS ST Catherine STAFF



2026 U13 D Provincial Hosts



HOME AND SCHOOL



Home & School

HOT DOG HOTLUNCH ON APRIL 29



NEXT MEETING: APRIL 22 @ 6PM

SCHOOL COUNCIL

MINUTES OVERVIEW

- Grade 4/5 Basketball/Volleyball:
 - very little parent help-are we committed to continue it?
- Kindergarten Coffee: Tuesday March 31@10:30am
- ASCE Grant: Evening Art classes? Parent materials?
 - Some money will be spent to attend the ASCA Spring Symposium
- Full time K and Pre-K: Mr. V will send out another pre-k and Kinder parents survey regarding 2 days, and 4 half days for the 26-27 school year.
- Safety Plan Discussion: Letter was sent on Feb 27 to parents informing them of a new procedure.
 - Holy Spirit Schools are conducting an audit of equipment and practices and will be seeking consistency and upgrades.
 - Dan is part of a lockdown committee within the school board.
 - Parents can send letters to the Holy Spirit school board about what they would like to happen security wise as division policy. Individuals are welcome to meet together to create a letter signed by others.
- School Photographers:
- Feedback on Lifetouch
 - 3 year contract is over
 - Overall consensus is to find someone else
- Thoughts on Mountain West proposal
 - Yes, prices seem to be the same or slightly lower

▶ NEXT MEETING

April 22th at 6:30pm in the School Library.



SAINTS SPORTS

BADMINTON SEASON

Practices: Tuesday and Thursday from 3:30pm-5:00pm

Important Dates



April 20th County Zones badminton tournament at various schools in Coaldale

April 25th Grade 7-9 zones tournament (for top county qualifiers only) in Medicine Hat

for badminton questions please contact Avin Gokarn at gokarna@holyspirit.ab.ca



The \$25 fee has been assigned, please check school cash online to pay.

TRACK AND FIELD

P.E will begin to focus on track and field events, there is a possibility of having after school practices if there is interest.

ST CATHERINE FAITH COMMUNITY

We rise to meet Christ's challenge.

Easter

CHRIST IS RISEN!

April 5 is Easter Sunday which begins the Easter Season! We sing Alleluia again, the colours at mass are white and gold, symbolizing the joy and resurrection of Christ! That's why we celebrate and **focus** on the resurrection for 50 days even though we **fasted** for 40. We are invited to feast at this time which **concludes** on Pentecost; the "Birthday" of the Church.

Divine Mercy Sunday April 12

On the second Sunday of Easter we focus specifically on the mercy of Christ. In this image you will see Christ pointing to his heart and see rays of red and blue come forth. This symbolizes the Blood and Water that flowed from His side while He was on the cross, revealing to us the never ending healing graces offered to us, do we accept it? Trusting in Jesus is important because it is our response to God's great mercy, and the sacrifice of Christ's death on the cross. Do we respond with trust?



Jesus I trust in you

"Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet." -Jesus

St Catherine Parish

762 Ave Crescent Ave, Picture Butte

Masses: 2nd / 4th Saturday 7pm

Sunday 11am

Week-Day Mass: Wed 9am, Fri 9am

Adoration: Wed 7pm,

First Friday of month 9:30am-11am

Reconciliation: Wed 7-8pm.

If you or your child have not received all the sacraments yet and want to, please contact Fr Iqbal at

pastor@stambroseparish.ca

Or the sacraments coordinator

Susan Trechka at

r-strcka@telusplanet.net

Join us for the GreenShirtDay FREE Family Skate!

**Wear
your
helmet**

**Wear
your
GREEN**

**Fun
Activities
to do**



**Learn
about
Logan
Boulet
and
Organ
Donation**

In Partnership with



BLOOD
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ORGANS
& TISSUES

Canada's Organ and Tissue Donation Community

April 7 Logan Boulet Arena

**302 9 Ave N, Lethbridge, AB T1H 1H3
4:30pm-6:30 pm**

FREE

COALDALE SPARTANS FOOTBALL PRESENTS

FOOTBALL

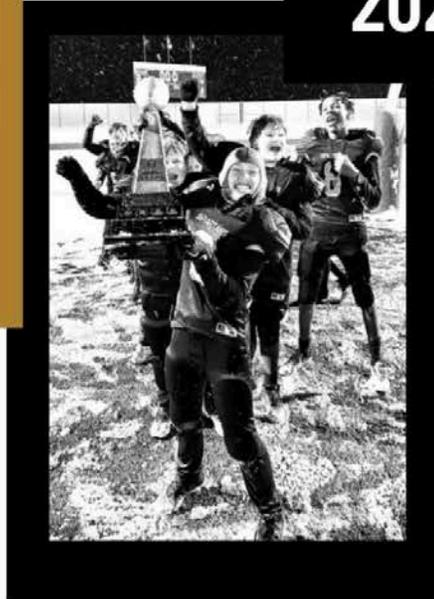
SPRING TRAINING

CAMP

FOR AGES 8-14



**23
MAY,
2026**



CAMP DAY DETAILS

Come on out and meet our coaches, practice with some great players and experience all the fun to be had and skills to be learned as a Coaldale Spartan!! Camp runs from **10:00-3:00** at Kate Andrew's field and will be flag format, no contact. Camp includes a **FREE** hotdog lunch! Water bottle, cleats (we have lots available to borrow) and mouth guard (available for purchase for \$5 if needed) required. Hope to see you all there!!

REGISTER NOW

SPARTANS@LETHBRIDGEMINORFOOTBALL.ORG