



## **\$7.4 Million in Capital Projects Identified for 2023-2024**

Each year, the St. Clair Catholic District School Board identifies priority capital projects, to upgrade, renew and maintain school facilities. The Ministry of Education provides annual funding allocations to support these expenditures.

School Condition Improvement (SCI) is a capital renewal program, which allows school boards to revitalize and renew aged building components that have exceeded, or will exceed, their life cycle.

The Ministry provides an additional School Renewal Allocation (SRA), which allows school boards to revitalize and renew aged building systems and components, including roof replacements, HVAC systems, building automation systems, air-conditioning systems and maintenance requirements, such as painting, roof patching and pavement/parking lot repairs.

The Board has budgeted \$7,400,000 under SCI and SRA allocations for the following projects. The Board of Trustees has approved these capital expenditures, as required due to the value of the projects, under *Sec. B. Policy – Purchasing*.

### **Renovations & Alterations**

Sacred Heart, Port Lambton – Interior Renovations Phase 2

St. Joseph, Corunna – Entrance Accessibility Upgrade

St. Patrick's High School – Enrolment Pressure Renovations (gymnasium and classroom)

### **Mechanical & Electrical Projects**

Sacred Heart, Port Lambton – Interior Renovations Phase 2 (included above)

### **Building Envelope Projects**

Holy Trinity – Partial Roof Replacement

### **Site Improvements**

St. Patrick's High School – Site Upgrades

In addition to the projects presented for approval, approximately 19 capital projects with budgets falling beneath the *Sec. B Policy – Purchasing* approval requirements are planned for 2023-24, with budgets totalling approximately \$1.24M. These projects include:

## **Renovations & Alterations**

Holy Family - Entrance Accessibility Upgrade  
Holy Trinity and St. Matthew – Basketball Backboard Replacement  
St. Joseph, Tilbury – Entrance Accessibility Upgrade  
St. Philip – Flooring Upgrade  
Ursuline College – Cafeteria Renovations

## **Mechanical & Electrical Projects**

Catholic Education Centre – Fire Alarm Panel Replacement  
St. Anne, Blenheim – Plumbing Upgrade  
St. Anne, Sarnia – Plumbing Upgrade

## **Building Envelope Projects**

St. Matthew – Canopy Roof Replacement

## **Site Improvements**

Holy Family – Outdoor Play Equipment  
Holy Trinity – Naturalized Play Space  
Monsignor Uyen – Naturalized Play Space  
St. Angela Merici – Naturalized Play Space  
St. Anne, Blenheim – Naturalized Play Space  
St. Elizabeth – Fence Upgrade  
St. Joseph, Tilbury – Outdoor Learning Space  
St. Michael, Bright's Grove – Outdoor Play Space  
St. Michael, Ridgetown – New Fence Installation, Monarch Way Station and Microforest

## **Temporary Accommodations**

Relocate Portables from Gregory A. Hogan (Hogan Drive location)

***For further information regarding this release, please contact:***

Catholic Education Centre  
420 Creek Street  
Wallaceburg, ON N8A 4C4  
[www.st-clair.net](http://www.st-clair.net)

Director of Education  
Scott Johnson  
519-627-6762, ext. 10241  
[media@st-clair.net](mailto:media@st-clair.net)

Chair of the Board  
John Van Heck  
519-627-5746

Supervisor – Communications  
and Community Relations  
Todd Lozon  
519-627-6762 Ext. 10243  
[todd.lozon@st-clair.net](mailto:todd.lozon@st-clair.net)