



St. Clair Catholic District School Board 2019-2020 Pastoral Plan Caring for our Common Home

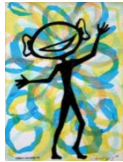
We live our values every day...

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| Respect rooted in love | Excellence for all | Accountability to God, self and others | Engagement in our work | Called to serve our world |
| By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another John 13:35 | I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me; Philippians 4:13 | Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, I tell you, you did it to me. Matthew 25:40 | Whatever your task, put yourselves into it, as done for the Lord Colossians 3:23 | God saw everything that He had made, and behold it was very good Genesis 1:31 |

as each of us becomes...



A Discerning Believer



An Effective Communicator



A Reflective, Creative & Holistic Thinker



A Self-directed, Responsible, Life-Long Learner



A Collaborative Contributor



A Caring Family Member



A Responsible Citizen

Care for our Common Home Prayer

*All-powerful God,
You are present in the whole universe
and in the smallest of Your creatures.
Pour out upon us
the power of Your love,
that we may protect life and beauty.
Fill us with peace, that we may live,
as brothers and sisters, harming no one.
O God of the poor,
help us to rescue
the abandoned and forgotten
of this earth,
so precious in Your eyes.
Teach us
to discover the worth of each thing,
to be filled with awe and contemplation,
and to recognize
that we are profoundly united
with every creature.
Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle
for justice, love and peace. AMEN.*

Excerpts from A Prayer for the Earth from Laudato Si

Year One: Key Actions

- Communicate **PASTORAL PLAN** with key stakeholders.
- Learn, pray, dialogue and reflect on **Laudato Si': On Care for Our Common Home** as a St. Clair community.
- Engage schools in Development and Peace campaigns (i.e. **A FUTURE FOR THE AMAZON; A FUTURE FOR ALL, Share Lent.**)
- Support London Diocese Year of Prayer encouraging **INTENTIONAL DISCIPLESHIP** i.e. morning prayer, system mass, *Dare to be Different Contest*, Catholic Education Week.
- Provide **Adult Faith Formation** through Advent and Lent Art/Theology nights, staff retreats, NTIP, Administration and teacher training.
- Explore "**Caring for our Common Home**" in various initiatives i.e. Grade 8 faith days, system Faith Day, Deanery days, OCSGE connections.
- Promote the **GROWING IN FAITH GROWING IN CHRIST** Student Home Website to strengthen partnerships with parents.
- Increase use of the **Living Our Faith** resources on the SCCDSB website/Google Site.