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ST. PATRICK'S STUDENTS ARE THE 'HANDS AND FEET OF CHRIST' AS THEY SERVE AT THE INN OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

About 150 Grade 9 students enrolled in Religion class will prepare and serve an Easter dinner at the Inn of the Good Shepherd.

“Our students are putting their learning into action,” says teacher Danielle Kells. “This is about stewardship and human dignity. The students are learning what it means to be the ‘hands and feet of Christ’ as we serve and care for those among us who need our help.”

Myles Vanni, the Executive Director of the Inn of the Good Shepherd has been a guest speaker in class, to help the students understand the impact of poverty in Sarnia and its primary causes.

The students have been raising funds to pay for the dinner and are involved in planning the menu and serving the food and are also working with the school's foods program to prepare the dinner.

“Our students will be doing further research on this important topic,” says Ms. Kells. “It's important that their discipleship doesn't end with the dinner; rather, that this experience instills in them a desire to serve the poor and vulnerable that they will carry into their adult lives.”

***A photo opportunity with students preparing food for the Easter dinner is available on
Wednesday, April 10, 2019 from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Inn of the Good
Shepherd, 115 John Street, Sarnia.***

Members of the media are welcome.