



ST LEO SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

233 MEMORIAL DRIVE, BRANTFORD ON, N3R 5T2

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Dear St. Leo's Families,

November is here and the cold weather is just around the corner. Our students are working diligently to develop academically, spiritually and socially. I am witness to some of the most amazing acts of kindness and good people as I spend time with your children. November is set aside as the month of remembrance for those who have given us the freedoms that we enjoy and we are thankful for their sacrifices. During the month of November, we also honour all the Saints of our faith and pray for the faithfully departed, and our loved ones who have died. Let us remember our family members who have gone to their eternal rest with Jesus.

First term Progress Reports are going home on November 5th. These reports are a preliminary indication of how your child is achieving across the curriculum and equally important, how they are progressing in their learning skills. Interviews will be scheduled through the Teams app *Bookings*, this year. You will receive instructions over the next week to guide you in accessing this feature. This will also give you access to speak with your child's Prep. Teacher, English Literacy Teacher, Core French Teacher and/or SERT.

Friday, November 17th is a PA Day. Students do not attend classes – teachers are conducting parent-teacher interviews (morning) and involved in professional development activities (afternoon).

Our amazing students continue to serve our community through their Faith Ambassadors, Safety Patrollers, Announcement Crew, Collection Crew and some upcoming social justice initiatives. We encourage our students to continue to be positive role models in our school, at home and in the community. At St. Leo School, everything you do...MATTERS!

Principal

Mrs. Szoke

BELL TIMES

Morning Bell 8:45am

First Nutrition Break 10:25am-11:05am

Second Nutrition Break 12:45pm-1:25pm

Dismissal 3:05pm

If your child will be absent from school please [Email](#) or Phone: 519-759-3314.

QUICK LINKS

- [COVID Screening Tool](#)
- [Bussing Updates](#)
- [School Calendar](#)
- Inclement Weather Announcements

Twitter: [@stleocatholic](https://www.instagram.com/stleocatholic)

Board Website: www.bhncdsb.ca

School Website: www.stleobrantford.ca

Local Radio Station CKPC LITE 92.1 FM



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ST LEO EVENTS CALENDAR

NOV 2 | 'Crunch Day'

NOV 6 | Progress Reports go Home

NOV 11 | Remembrance Day

NOV 17 | PA DAY school closed | Parent & Teacher Interviews

NOV 23 | Chocolate Bar Fundraiser begins until Dec 7

DEC 13 | SAVE THE DATE Christmas Open House & Artisan Market



**Remember to
Dress for Success!
Warm coats, Boots,
Mitts & Hats**



EARLY PICK UP TIMES AND SPECIAL DISMISSAL INFORMATION

- EMAIL your child's teacher and include the secretary in the email.

BUS FAMILIES

- Visit mychipmunkapp.com for Bus Tracker information

Strong Start Reading Program Volunteers are needed . Please contact the office for more info.

Grade 8 Trip Fundraiser—Fridays Popcorn Sales \$2

St Pius Brantford Church Website [HERE](#)

Parent Volunteer Information [HERE](#)



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First Holy Communion & First Reconciliation at St Pius Parish – Registration Open!

December 11th, 2023

January 16th, 2024 @ 6:30pm

January 30th, 2024 @ 6:30pm

February 3rd/4th, 2024

February 13th, 2024 @ 6:30pm

Late February 2024

March 5th, 2024 @ 6:30pm

March 19th, 2024 @ 6:30pm

April 9th, 2024 @ 6:30pm

April 28th, 2024 @ 2:00pm

May 5th, 2024 @ 2:00pm

Registrations Close

Initial Parent/Child Preparation Session

Reconciliation Preparation Session

Enrollment at all Weekend Masses

First Reconciliation Practice Session

First Reconciliation

Church Tour (Option 1)

Church Tour (Option 2)

First Communion Preparation Session

First Communion Mass (Option 1)

First Communion Mass (Option 2)

The registration form, and a full schedule with details, is available at:

stpiusbrantford.ca/first-communion/

It is important that the parent **and** child attend each session.



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St. Pius X Catholic Women's League

Annual Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 18th, 2023

9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

9 Waverly Street

Grand Draw at 1:30 p.m.

GRAND DRAW

ITALIAN DELI (EAT IN OR TAKE OUT)

ATTIC TREASURES

BAKE SALE AND PRESERVE TABLE

CHANCE TABLE

KNITTING AND CRAFTS

QUILT

GROCERY BASKET DRAW

BOOKS, DVD AND GAMES

JEWELRY TABLE

PLANT TABLE

FACE PAINTING



Bazaar Co-Conveners – Eva Evans (519)753-4034 - Pat McDougall (519)756-3272.

Please contact anytime for questions or concerns