



Chair's Monthly Report

June 2024

Highlights from **June** include:

- Along with the Director, welcoming and delivering greetings at the Culminating Celebration and Launch of our **new three-year Pastoral Plan for 2024-2027, IN GOD'S IMAGE: Growing in Knowledge, with Justice and Hope.**
- Along with the Director, Vice Chair, and Superintendent Cifelli delivered greetings to recognize the beginning of **Accessibility Week** to the students and staff at Dante Alighieri. Guest speaker and Ambassador, Oda, from the Rick Hansen Foundation shared his experience and increased our understanding of accessibility.
- Participating in the **Canadian Catholic School Trustees Annual General Meeting** in Calgary, Alberta, along with the Director and Trustees Lubinski, Morrison, Rizzo, and Tanuan. Guest speakers were excellent, the unity and solidarity of Catholic School Trustees throughout Canada was palpable, and the spiritual nourishment was strengthening.
- Attending and delivering remarks at the **St. Luigi Catholic Elementary School's 50th Anniversary Mass and blessing** of the newly restored school garden.
- Vice Chair de Domenico attending and delivering greetings from the Chair and Board of Trustees while attending **St. Ignatius of Loyola Catholic Elementary School's 50th School Anniversary and the Filipino Heritage Mass and Cultural Expose**
- Delivering greetings at the **Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program (OYAP) Celebration Dinner** for graduating students.
- Along with Vice Chair de Domenico, participating in **First Friday Mass** at the CEC and in the presentation of the **Exemplary Practice Award** to the Team, led by Vicki McCrae, who created, produced, and distributed the **Welcome Benches** throughout the Board.

- Attending along with Associate Director Della Mora the **2024 Museum Grand Opening**. Along with the Director attending and delivering greetings at the **Alpha Celebration Gala Dinner**. ALPHA Education's mission is a commitment to humanity and global peace. This commitment is achieved through four strategic directions: engaging students and educators, empowering youth, supporting research, and connecting with communities - Founded in 1997, ALPHA Education's mission is a commitment to humanity and global peace. This commitment is achieved through four strategic directions: engaging students and educators, empowering youth, supporting research, and connecting with communities.
- Delivering remarks at the **Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus – Celebration of the Eucharist ~livestream**. We continue to pray for peace in the world and celebrate the Eucharist as we recognize the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.
- Delivering remarks at **St. Agatha Catholic Elementary School's 60th Anniversary and St. Barnabas Catholic Elementary School's 50th School Anniversary**.
- Delivering greetings at the **TCDSB and Angel Foundation Annual Year-End Mass and Awards Event** – recognizing student recipients of the Angel Foundation Tom Leon Bursary Award and Catherine Templeton Award.
- Participating in Board Committee meetings in the role of Ex-Officio including the Governance and Policy Committee.