## OUR MISSION

The Toronto Catholic District School Board is an inclusive learning community uniting home, parish and school and rooted in the love of Christ. We educate students to grow in grace and knowledge to lead lives of faith, hope and charity. OUR VISION At Toronto Catholic we transform the world through witness, faith, innovation and action.



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To: Regular Board Meeting, April 23, 2024

From: Markus de Domenico, Trustee Ward 2

Notice of Motion: Supporting Student Learning on the "Sacredness of Life"

**MOVED BY: Markus de Domenico**, Trustee Ward 2 and TCDSB Vice-Chair

SECONDED BY: Nancy Crawford, Trustee Ward 12 and TCDSB Chair

**WHEREAS**: The Board of Trustees is committed to the teachings of the Catholic Church and the sacredness of life;

**WHEREAS:** The Toronto Catholic District School Board (TCDSB) uses the Religion and Family Life Curriculum as developed by the Institute for Catholic Education and approved by the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario to instruct students appropriately at each grade level; and

**WHEREAS:** The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has proclaimed May 13<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024 "National Family and Life Week" where Catholics celebrate the joy and beauty of family life.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:** The TCDSB dedicate "National Family and Life Week" to the "Sacredness of Life"; and

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT**: The TCDSB Nurturing our Catholic Community provide additional supports, resources, and special activities for schools on the sacredness of life during the "National Family and Life Week" this May and every May following.

Markus de Domenico Trustee, Ward 2