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## Virtue of the Month: Stewardship

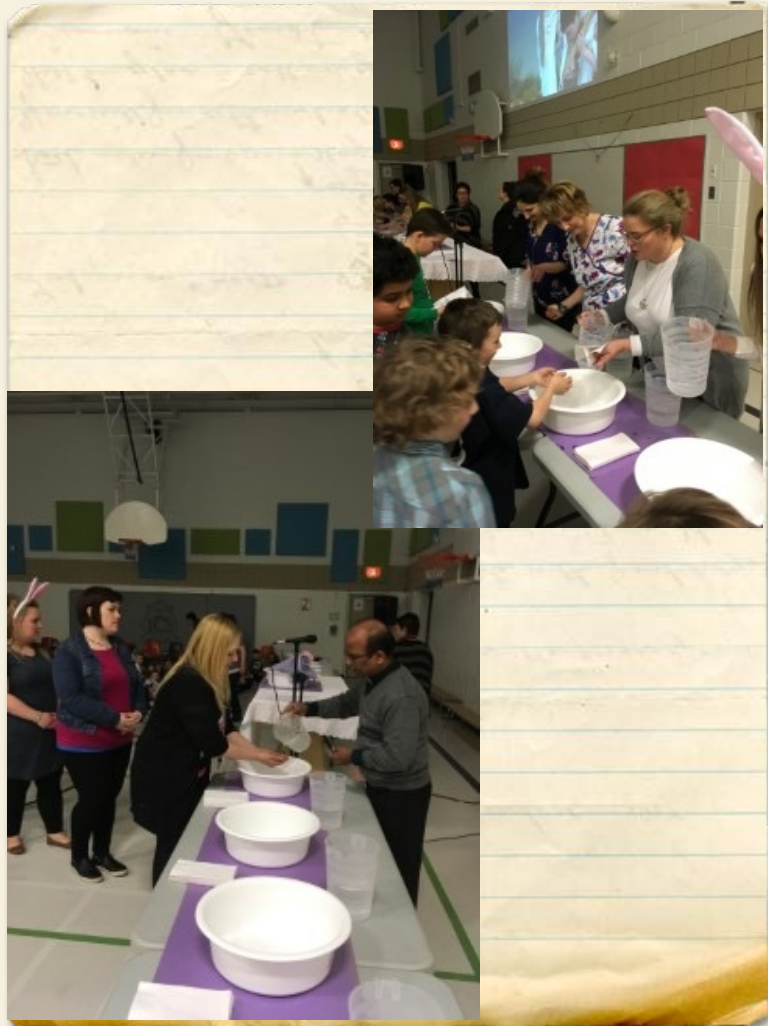
DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL, OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS CELEBRATE THE VIRTUE OF STEWARDSHIP.

AS CATHOLICS, WE ARE ENCOURAGED TO SHARE WHAT WE HAVE WITH OTHERS, RESPECT OUR NEIGHBOURS AS OURSELVES AND ASSIST THOSE LESS FORTUNATE. BY SHARING OF OURSELVES AND HELPING THOSE AROUND US, WE ARE, IN ESSENCE, PRACTICING CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP.

### **Catholic Education Week (May 7 to May 11, 2018) Renewing the Promise**

This year, our CEW combines the themes of reconciliation, solidarity, love, justice and ecology. The five sub-themes are: Monday - Remembering the Promise; Tuesday - The Promise is Within You; Wednesday - Praying the Promise; Thursday, Living the Promise and Friday, Proclaiming the Promise. Please refer to the May school calendar for activities during CEW.

**Washing of the Hands Service:** Holy Thursday is the Christian **holy** day falling on the **Thursday** before Easter. It commemorates the **Maundy** and Last Supper of Jesus Christ with the Apostles as described in the Canonical gospels. The staff marked this special day by washing their students hands as Jesus washed his Apostles' feet.





MME MARTIN AND HER GRADE 1/2 FI CLASS ALONG WITH FATHER JACKSON LED THE EASTER MASS CELEBRATION . WHAT A BEAUTIFUL SERVICE.

THE STAFF AND STUDENTS WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND A WARM THANK YOU TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS WHO EITHER SIT ON SCHOOL COUNCIL, WHO RUN OUR FRUITS AND VEGETABLES PROGRAM, WHO COME INTO OUR CLASSROOMS TO SHARE THEIR GIFTS SUCH AS LEADING ART ACTIVITIES, WHO ATTEND SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS AND WHO RUN OUR ART CLUB. YOU ALL MAKE A DIFFERENCE AT IMMACULATE AND WE SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOU AND YOUR TIME. THANK YOU!!!

THANK YOU TO MME MARTIN FOR ORGANIZING AND COORDINATING THE WHOLE SCHOOL BINGO AND TO ALL OF THE PARENTS WHO DONATED PRIZES FOR THE STUDENTS. IT WAS A HUGE SUCCESS AND WE MADE A PROFIT OF \$515.00.