St. Anthony's School Council

September 10, 2025 Agenda

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- 1. Welcome and Introductions
- 2. Opening Prayer, Land Acknowledgement, Mission Statement
- 3. Presentation School Council Engagement Celeste Schrock
- **4. School Update** Celeste Schrock
 - New Staff
 - Enrollment update
 - Considerations for class configurations
 - Priorities for the Year
 - Feedback Fee for HS Math Booklets
 - Request for funds Alien In-Line Skating
- 5. Update from Chair Veronique Ram

Selection of parent representatives

- i. Chair Veronique Ram
- ii. Vice Chair Julia MacDermid
- iii. Secretary -
- iv. Treasurer Rithesh Ram
- v. Teacher Rep -
- vi. Student Rep -
- vii. Parish Rep -
- viii. Div One Rep -
- ix. Div Two Rep -
- x. Div Three Rep -
- xi. Div Four Rep -
- **6. Financial Update** *Rithesh Ram*
- 7. News from the Parish Susan Currie / Betina Gross
- **8. Update for School Trustee** *Mark Chung*
- 9. Topics for Discussion Next Meeting
 - Aspects of school life we want to financially support this year?

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10. Closing Prayer

Next meeting date - October 8, 7:00 pm

Opening Prayer

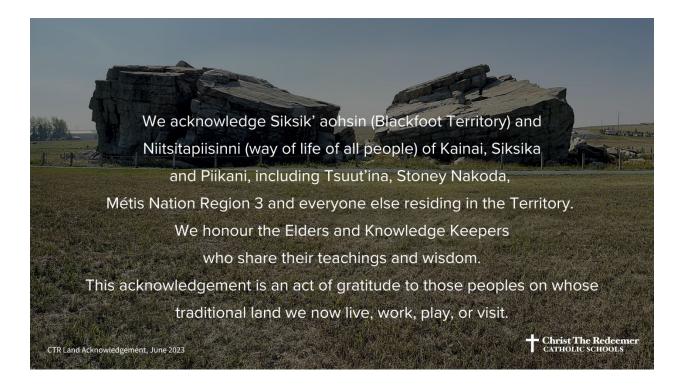
Let us be still for a moment as we draw near to worship God. Take just a few seconds to remind yourself why we are gathered together today....

Listen, God speaks even through the background noise of the world around us.....

Lord God, in this short time together, open our ears and our eyes to see your vision for his place and our part within it.

Teach us, hear our prayers and enable us for service wherever you might take us, to your praise and glory.

Amen



Mission Statement

All: Guided by the Holy Spirit, St. Anthony's School Council supports and promotes the faith life and educational journey of the school community.

School Councils: Advising The Principal

School council may, at its discretion, advise the principal on matters relating to the school. Some of the more common topics for discussion include:

- school's overall mission, philosophy, policies, rules and goals
- school's improvement planning, including three-year plans
- school division policies
- school council policies
- school volunteers
- provincial achievement test results and diploma exam results
- guidelines and principles for the school resource allocations
- fundraising
- training and/or information needs of school council members
- school policy on use of facilities by the larger community
- school budget

- student attendance procedures, standards of student conduct and bullying issues
- services for students to improve learning, such as assistance from reading specialists and guidance counsellors
- school calendar and adjustments in school hours
- graduation and other school celebrations
- facility renovations
- ways of reporting achievement results to parents and public
- methods of communicating with parents and the public
- promotion of the school in the community
- programs offered in the school
- extracurricular activities offered in the school

Question:

What topics are you interested in **hearing more information** about and **providing feedback**?



Closing Prayer

Lord of Day and Night, of beginnings and endings, as we prepare to conclude this meeting, we once again lift up our hearts to You, the Divine Source of all life.

We thank you for the gifts that have been present within this act of service to community.

For the gifts of fellowship and understanding, of mutual respect and shared vision, we are grateful for the gifts of perseverance and insight into the common concerns we share, for these and all other graces, we are thankful.

As you have blessed our coming together, now bless our departure and journeys homeward.

May your blessings be upon us, in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Amen.