



## ST. PATRICK FINE ARTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

80 RIVERGREEN ROAD W. LETHBRIDGE, ALBERTA T1K 7Y1  
403-327-4386 [www.spfa.holyspirit.ab.ca](http://www.spfa.holyspirit.ab.ca) Social Media: @spfaschool, #hs4  
PRINCIPAL - Kathy Jones-Husch ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL - Carla Ferrari

UNITING THE ARTS AND GOSPEL VALUES FOR OVER 30 YEARS

February 23, 2026

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Grade six students will participate in a student retreat on **Wednesday, March 5, 2026**, at **St. Martha's Parish** from **9:00 - 2:30 pm**. Students will participate in Mass and then be led through several activities and experiences by parish leader, AJ Burrows (*Family Life Coordinator*), Fr. Valentine Suum, and their teachers. Students are to dress comfortably as there will be some physical activity and games. This retreat is a great fit for all grade 6 students, not only those who are practicing Catholics.

A nut-free snack will be provided by the church, and students are asked to bring their own lunch (no warm-ups). Students with specific allergies or dietary concerns may wish to bring their own snacks for this day. Students will ride a Southland school bus to and from the church, leaving at 8:45 am and returning at 2:30 pm. We need a few parent volunteers for this event, so if you can participate, even for a portion of the day, please reach out to your child's teacher.

Sincerely,

Derek Lidstone and Carolyn Davey

---

**Please return this portion to the school by Friday, March 27, 2026**

I give \_\_\_\_\_ (your child's name) permission to attend the Grade six Retreat on Wednesday, March 5, 2026, at St. Martha's Parish from 9:00 - 2:30 pm.

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

The following is a list of my child's medical conditions (including allergies, conditions requiring medication, etc.), a list of medication that my child must take, and any special instructions regarding medication storage and administration:

---

---

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_