

REFLECTIONS & ANNOUNCEMENTS NOVEMBER 16, 2022

SUBMITTED BY	ANNOUNCEMENT-SCHOOL RELATED
Albano	Drama Club members, meeting today after school. “Don’t Trust Anyone’ Anyone Actors. Rehearsals will be today and Friday afterschool.
Krzyzanowska	Attention all Grade 11 and 12 students. If you did not write or were unsuccessful in the Literacy test, you MUST write this year. The test will take place on November 24th. Please contact Mr. Adusei, Mrs. Ahana, or Ms. Krzyzanowski to let them know that you will be writing. All Grade 10 students will be writing with their English class.
Hecimovic	All students enrolled in the 4 credit or 2 credit co-op next semester. Dual Credit courses are now posted on the Co-op Information Board. If you are interested in applying for a dual credit course, please make sure you connect with your co-op teacher ASAP . These courses are filled on first come first served basis. Hospital Placements with Trillium Health Partners and Brampton William Osler Health Systems Hospitals are now available for those interested. Visit the Co-op info board for specific placement options.

DAILY REFLECTION

In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen

A reading from the Gospel of Luke

“Jesus went on to tell the parable of the slave who returned the pound given to him by the noblemen, ‘Lord, here is your pound. I wrapped it up in a piece of cloth, for I was afraid of you, because you are a harsh man; you take what you did not deposit, and reap what you did not sow.’”



If I asked you, name the teacher who is the hardest marker in the school, who would it be? Have the teacher in mind, now think you are in the class, and you know either a test or assignment is due? Do you work hard and study to get ready for the test or work hard to hand in the assignment, or do you do nothing? I hope you work hard and try your best, but to those who do nothing, you are in the slave's situation in the parable today. Given knowledge and time, did nothing with. See, the lesson in the parable is not that the slave was lazy but was fearful of failure. Fearful of not trusting in their ability and grace given to them.

At some point, this is all of us. We are fearful that God has equipped us with every talent and grace need to succeed in this world that we choose to do nothing. We choose to let our self-doubt and fear of not being good enough to hold us back from doing. However, Jesus reminds us, God gives you what you need. You need to cultivate and nurture those gifts to share and change the world. You have everything, cultivate what God gave you, and offer it to the Lord in prayer.

I pray you take whatever gift God gives you and become good at it. May you see that even if you face those obstacles, you can overcome them. Keep at it. Trust in God and you will find something better

than greatness awaits you. Let us keep in our prayers all who are fighting for what is right and just in our community, and in every corner of the world, especially in Afghanistan, Syria, Iran and Ukraine. Let us never forget the words of Jesus at the Ascension, remember I am with you always. Amen. In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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