





# ALCDSB 2023 Catholic Education Week Award Recipients

*“We, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members, one of another.”  
Romans 12:5*

Award	Archbishop Francis J. Spence Catholic Teacher of the Year	Excellence in Supporting Catholic Education	Contribution to Catholic Education	Katharine	Adult Volunteer	Secondary Student Volunteer	Elementary Student Volunteer
Description	Exemplifying the spirit of the ALCDSB Mission Statement, meritorious service, commitment to Catholic education and to the teachings of the Catholic Church.	Demonstrating workplace excellence and supporting faith-based education, community service, social justice initiatives, workplace, community involvement, and personal accomplishment.	Making a significant visible contribution to the school system, particularly to staff and students.	Honouring the spirit of giving of the late Katharine Splinter consistent with the character of the system.	Providing exemplary volunteer services to the benefit of staff and students.	Providing exemplary volunteer services to the benefit of staff and students.	Providing exemplary volunteer services to the benefit of staff and students.
Recipient	<b>Lori McCaw</b>	<b>Lisa Amey</b>	<b>Dara Beaubien</b>	<b>Darlene Storey</b>	<b>Barry Niles</b>	<b>Sara Della Civita</b>	<b>Colton O'Brien</b>
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Site	ALCDSB Office	Our Lady of Mount Carmel CS	Our Lady of Mount Carmel CS	Our Lady of Mercy CS	St. Francis of Assisi CS	St. Paul CSS	Our Lady of Mount Carmel CS
Achievements	Lori's strong personal belief in the dignity of all persons is evident in her tireless efforts to ensure that every staff member and student is equipped to reach their potential. She strives to meet every learner where they are and inspires educators to build up God's kingdom in their classrooms. Lori's humility, integrity, compassion, and love glorify the Lord each day. <a href="#">Click for full description.</a>	Lisa is a lifelong learner, she loves her job as an Early Childhood Educator, and she truly believes in her vocation. She makes every face visible each day in her classroom. She teaches the Catholic virtues in a way that our youngest learners can understand. She is a role model each and every year and an excellent mentor to many placement students. <a href="#">Click for full description.</a>	Dara is always a positive presence in the school, and is rarely seen without a smile on her face. She is a true team player and is always looking out for the best interests of her students. Dara values relationships and is truly the caring adult for many students in the school. She treats all students at OLMC as though they are beloved children of God, and sincerely loves each child. <a href="#">Click for full description.</a>	Darlene is being recognized posthumously for her dedication to the students and staff at Our Lady of Mercy over the many years where she served as caretaker. Darlene passed away this past December but is remembered for having provided exemplary service to our Catholic Schools throughout her career. She was a "good and faithful servant" who strove to serve others in Christ. <a href="#">Click for full description.</a>	Barry has been a volunteer at St. Francis since the school opened its doors. During this time, he has built many positive relationships with staff and students. Barry is a regular volunteer in the school. As a volunteer, he has helped students learn to read, write and develop regulation strategies, by being a calming presence and a safe and caring adult. <a href="#">Click for full description.</a>	Sara is completely dedicated to her school community, her parish, and is a role model to all. She gives huge amounts of time and energy to extracurriculars and is a committed, longstanding member of student council. Sara is encouraging, kind and helpful – and everyone feels the positivity of her presence. She is truly a bright light in the St. Paul Community. <a href="#">Click for full description.</a>	Colton is an exemplary student who greets all staff and peers with a warm hello and "have a great day". He goes out of his way to ask how he can be of service to others. He is the voice of the daily announcements, organizes hot lunches, and is a lector at school Mass. He supports many fundraising initiatives and is committed to ensuring their success in the school community. <a href="#">Click for full description.</a>