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Coach's Corner – Footprints in the Sand

As we enter this new stage of the pandemic (hopefully the last!), I'm sure many of us have a range of feelings. Some may feel exhausted, frustrated, confused, a sense of relief that the kids are going back to school. Wherever you may fall on the spectrum of emotions right now, one thing is certain, it is truly a crazy time in our lives!

What is comforting to me is that one thing remains the same, God's love for us. I thought I'd share with you today my favorite poem.

Footprints in the Sand

One night I dreamed a dream.

As I was walking along the beach with my Lord.

Across the dark sky flashed scenes from my life.

For each scene, I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand,

One belonging to me and one to my Lord.

After the last scene of my life flashed before me,

I looked back at the footprints in the sand.

I noticed that at many times along the path of my life,

especially at the very lowest and saddest times,

there was only one set of footprints.

This really troubled me, so I asked the Lord about it.

"Lord, you said once I decided to follow you,

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You'd walk with me all the way.

But I noticed that during the saddest and most troublesome times of my life,

there was only one set of footprints.

I don't understand why, when I needed You the most, You would leave me."

He whispered, "My precious child, I love you and will never leave you

Never, ever, during your trials and testings.

When you saw only one set of footprints,

It was then that I carried you."

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Please keep an eye out for an email tomorrow about our return to school on Monday.

Blessings,

Mr. Martin

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Virtual Wednesday Chapel

Chapel time led by the
Grade 8 class

Next Week- **Pastor Hans Ostrem**

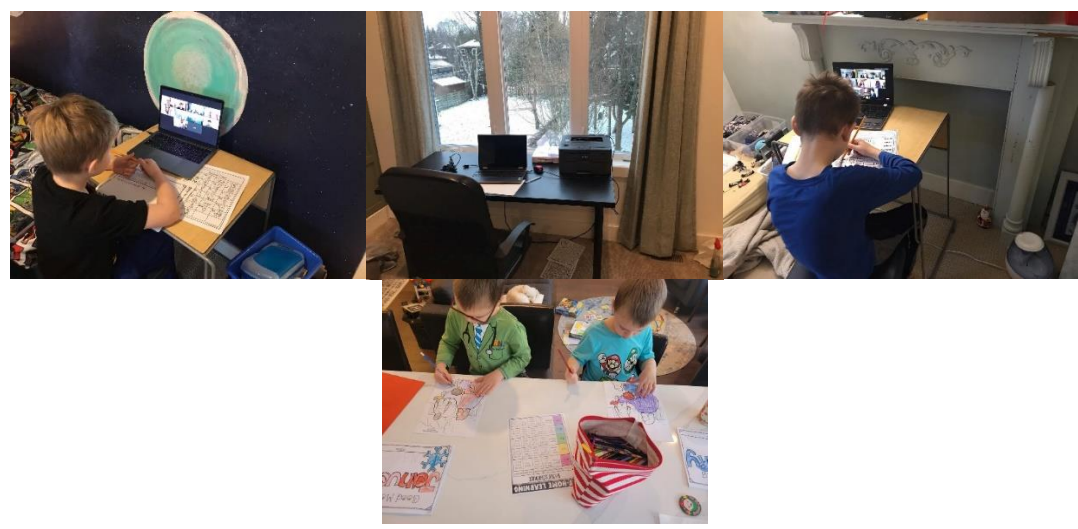
Friday Chapel with
Mr. Danielson.

Notable announcements: **January**

All Lunch programs (Pita, Pizza & Lunchbox) will resume the week of January 17. Credit will be applied and adjusted as needed. Please check your email for Lunchbox order information.

- 17 School resumes!
- 27 Virtual Kindergarten Open House
- 28 PA Day (**No School**)

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Homeschooling workstations



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