



Our Lady of Mount Pleasant Catholic School

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OLMP LENTEN FUNDRAISER 2019

At OLMP School we do a Lenten fundraiser annually to help an organization in the community and to remind us of the importance of giving up something for the good of others. This year our High School Leadership Students are working to raise funds for Valeda House and St. Francis Xavier Parish.

Valeda House is a ministry of Catholic Social Services, serving as a home for young women, who either have young children or are expecting; and acts as a support center offering programs and education to help these women take care of themselves and their new families. Valeda House runs entirely on donated support, and as part of a school division-wide initiative, we will be making a donation to their programs.

St. Francis Xavier is our local Roman Catholic Parish, which will be moving into its new building towards the end of this school year. The Parish is always looking for support for this project.

To aid in our fundraising efforts, we are asking each student at OLMP School to sell flower filled hanging baskets, patio planters, tomatoes, herb trays, or strawberry plants to family members, neighbours and friends. This can be a great Mother's Day gift! The class who fundraises the most will choose the part of the new St. Francis Xavier Parish building we will donate to, as well as be rewarded with an afternoon off of class to enjoy a movie and some snacks!

Orders will be due to your homeroom teachers no later than APRIL 15th. The plants will be available for pickup in the OLMP gym MAY 9th between 3:00 and 5:00pm (the Thursday before Mother's Day). Examples of the plants can be viewed below or on the OLMP School website or weekly SMORE newsletter. Please ensure each customer knows to come on this day to pick up their plants, as it will be a first-come-first-serve basis for certain colors. *Please note: if students have ordered some for themselves or their parents, alternate transportation will have to be arranged, as the flowers cannot be taken home on the bus.*

Thank you for your support this Lenten Season, and God Bless!
OLMP High School Leadership Students

