

2022-2023 School Theme

St. Helen Catholic School is embracing the theme "Let Your Light Shine" for the upcoming 2022-2023 school year, drawing inspiration from Matthew 5:15-16: "Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead, they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven." This theme will be woven throughout the school's activities and curriculum, emphasizing the importance of sharing one's unique talents and virtues with the community.

Students will engage in various service initiatives to contribute positively to the local community. These projects will be designed to allow students to put their "light" into action by helping those in need and making a difference.

The school will celebrate and acknowledge students who exemplify the values of kindness, generosity, and integrity. This recognition will encourage students to continue shining brightly through their actions.

Teachers will integrate the theme into their lessons, encouraging students to reflect on how they can be a light in their own lives and the lives of others. Lessons will include discussions about personal strengths and the impact of positive behavior on others. Teachers will provide opportunities for students to take on leadership roles, whether through class projects, group work, or school events. Empowering students to lead helps them develop confidence and encourages them to shine as role models for their peers.

Special events, such as assemblies and community gatherings, will be organized to reinforce the theme and showcase how students and staff are living it out and sharing their gifts with others. .

Parents can create opportunities for their children to engage in acts of service and kindness within the family and the community. This will include volunteering together, helping neighbors, or supporting charitable causes. By maintaining open and supportive lines of communication, parents will help their children feel valued and understood. This environment will encourage children to express themselves and share their own light with others.

By embodying the theme of "Let Your Light Shine," students, teachers, and parents can create a positive and supportive environment that nurtures students' growth and encourages them to share their unique gifts with the world.