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Glory be to Jesus Christ!

Dear Principal:

Re: A contest for Alberta Youth

All Christians are called to preach the Good News. Part of the Church's response to this call is iWitness, an online contest meant to engage all youth (from kindergarten to grade 12) and help them encounter Christ.

Some of the students in your school may have already taken part in the first iWitness contest—iPray which took place in the fall of 2012. The second contest is iRespect—which encourages children and youth to witness how they respect their own bodies and the bodies of others. The closing date for submissions is June 20th. Winning students will receive a monetary prize for their class, and a personal prize.

We encourage you to introduce this program to your teachers by showing them a step-by-step instruction video from the "School & Parish Resources" section on the iWitness website. In this section of the website, you can also find pdf versions of "letters to teachers," "letters to parents," "posters," and "handbills" for your school, or for parents of your students. One of these could be placed in your school newsletter (or printed and given to parents or teachers) (iwitness.edmontoneparchy.com).

Included in this package are letters for your teachers, posters that may be put up around the school, handbills for students, and of a letter for parents.

For more information about the iWitness program, or for your comments and feedback, please contact Tobias Underwood at the Chancery Office Eparchy of Edmonton at 780-424-5496 or by email at youth@edmontoneparchy.com

Glory be Forever!

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