



CHRISTIAN

SCHOOL FOUNDATION

ANNUAL REPORT **2020**



Dear Christian School Supporter,
Christian schools are a powerful means for influencing our culture for Christ. Working together with your fellow Christians, you have had an especially important impact working through the Christian School Foundation.

The Foundation, owned by a group of nearly 80 member schools, has been able to support these schools with over \$1M in grants and bursaries for tuition assistance, support for students with disabilities and for professional development. This is in addition to nearly \$1M in disbursements from our pooled long-term assets. We are tremendously grateful to you, our supporters, and primarily to God for this opportunity.

2020 has seen challenge after challenge. Our schools are doing their best to meet these challenges. If you are in a position to support the important work of Christian schools in a special way as the year draws to a close, we invite you to do that through the Foundation. If one of our initiatives is especially close to your heart, we invite you to direct your support in that way. If you prefer to support our overall efforts, please consider a General Donation.

More and more Christian schools are joining together – we now stretch from PEI and Nova Scotia to Alberta and B.C.! The important work of bringing the light of Christ's love to our culture carries on – and our graduates carry that light into every corner of God's Kingdom.

Would you join us, and make that kind of difference?



Tony Kamphuis
President & CEO



EMERGENCY BRIDGE BURSARY

How working together makes us stronger

In stormy weather, it helps to have a solid Foundation. When the great COVID-19 disruption caused March Break to be extended, there was a great deal of uncertainty. What would be the economic impact? Who might lose their job? Who would be unable to meet the tuition obligations needed to keep their children enrolled in their Christian school?

Schools that were part of the Christian School Foundation witnessed first-hand the benefits of working together.

First, the Foundation's diversified and balanced investment strategy meant that school funds ended the year in positive territory, despite the tumultuous times in the markets.

Second, the Foundation was able to allocate 5% to those schools whose funds were not locked away in permanent endowments.

Third, schools who had accessible funds given them by supporters, often years before there was anything called COVID-19, had a fallback fund that was ready to provide security for unforeseen circumstances.

Finally – and almost immediately – schools were able to apply for the Foundation's rapidly implemented Emergency Bridge Bursary, which saw \$160,000 sent out to 58 schools in support of 115 families. This bursary kept those families connected to their local Christian schools until the dust settled and the school year drew to a close. The funds for this Bursary were provided by donors both past and current who stepped forward to address this very pressing need!

There is a great deal that remains unsettled as the ripples of the pandemic continue to cause disruption. But to this point, one thing did shine through with clarity: we are stronger together as partners in the Christian School Foundation. ✝

BELONGING BURSARY

Strengthening Communities of Belonging

What is the Belonging Bursary?
We believe that Christian schools are strongest when they are authentic, complete representations of the Kingdom of God; places where all children feel welcome and have a sense of belonging, no matter their level of ability or disability. The Belonging Bursary helps schools build a stronger learning Community of Belonging.

Here is some of the feedback we have received from those awarded the Belonging Bursary.

Schools are grateful for the Belonging Bursary and how it helps create a place for everyone.



“We are very excited about the opportunity to make our school more accessible to all students by utilizing the Belonging Bursary.... God is blessing our school, and we are seeing growth and excitement in the school body and staff.”



“The body is a unit, though it is made up of many parts; and though all its parts are many, they form one body.”

Schools love the blessing and impact of diversity within the student body, and how everyone benefits.

“Jeremy* is such a blessing to our school community.... His parents have shared the joy they feel knowing their son truly belongs in our school.”

“Her classmates were blessed to know someone within their own learning community that helped them understand ability, safety, care, and including in new ways at their tender young ages.”



Schools are grateful they can serve all the children in the families attending their school.

“We’ve been so blessed to receive the Belonging Bursary last year and were able to see just how much of an impact it is to be able to support a family, including all of their siblings.”



BELONGING BURSARY *Continued*

Schools are appreciative of how becoming a Community of Belonging is changing their school.



“We took some time to reflect. Our primary motivation is to represent Christ and serve others through Him.... As a school we want to break down attitudinal and structural barriers so that all feel valued and respected.”

Is this the kind of change you want to encourage in our schools? Consider supporting the Belonging Bursary and you will be creating a more authentic, more complete representation of the Kingdom of God in our Christian schools. ✝



FINANCIAL LITERACY COURSE

From local idea to larger reality

When Kevin and Karen Antonides noticed a need for a robust financial literacy curriculum at their local Christian school, they discovered this was a need that went beyond just their area schools. Not only was their local Christian school looking to create something new, but many Christian schools saw this need, and in fact their provincial government had committed to creating a new financial literacy course of study. It was an idea whose time had come, and the Antonides' turned to the Christian School Foundation to see if we could help make this happen.

In partnership with the Edvance Christian Schools Association, the Foundation was able to take Kevin and Karen's generous gift and address the need they had recognized. Edvance Director of Learning Justin Cook took the lead on coordinating this effort by collaborating with Anneke Gretton (a recent John Rozema Teaching Excellence Award winner) as she crafted and tested the new course's components. The Foundation provided the resources and some networking – most notably with Kevin McCarthy of Enriched Academy, who is also a board member at Burlington Christian Academy, a Foundation member school.

The result is a flexible series of course modules that teach financial literacy from a Christian perspective. These can be implemented in various places across a school's curriculum. They are modules that work very well when taught online, in a hybrid setting, or in-person.

This kind of collaborative effort among partners who work well together can accomplish many things that strengthen Christian schools! If you have an idea, or you would like to learn of some of the ideas our school leaders are keen to develop, do as the Antonides' did – give us a call at the Foundation.

We help make innovative ideas a reality, to the glory of God! †

A NOTE OF THANKS

Finding stability in the midst of uncertainty

Dear friends at the Christian School Foundation,
Our family is one of the many that your Foundation's tuition support programs have blessed over the past few years. Your support made it possible for us to join our Christian school a few years ago. It also kept us going, as we get our financial feet under us. We were looking forward to the time when we would no longer need the support and could leave that for others.

And then COVID-19 hit.

As our employment became uncertain last spring, we tried hard to push back the fear of having to withdraw our children. This had become their school, and they were flourishing. What a relief to hear from our Principal that the Foundation was making an Emergency Bridge Bursary available, to help folks like us get to the end of the 2019-2020 school year! Our Christian school went above and beyond all expectations in the way they provided for the academic and social/emotional needs of our children. What a blessing!

Now, we are moving forward in faith. We have re-enrolled our children, and even though this may mean an extra year of relying on your tuition support programs, we know this Christian school is where God wants our children to be.

It is our prayer that God will work in the hearts of your supporters to enable you to meet the needs that are sure to grow for this school year.

— Bursary Recipient Family †



Christian schools have a tremendous impact on the students and families they serve.

Would you please help us expand the number and diversity of families who are able to receive the blessing of Christian education? We need your help to make this important difference in the lives of many.

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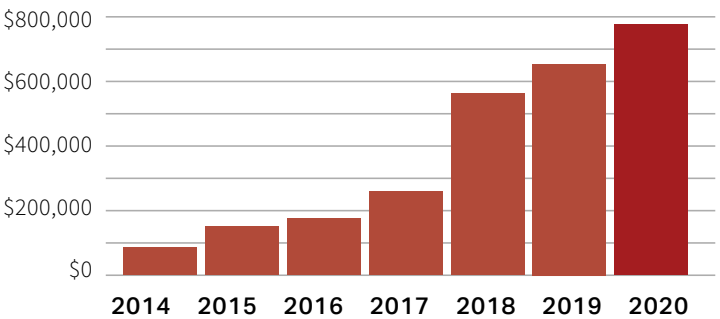
EVERY YEAR, the Christian School Foundation supports many schools, families, and students through the Partnership, Recruitment, and Bridge Bursaries.

THIS YEAR, we supported more families than ever as Christian schools navigated the public health crisis:

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SCHOOLS SUPPORTED FAMILIES SUPPORTED STUDENTS SUPPORTED

AMOUNT DISBURSED

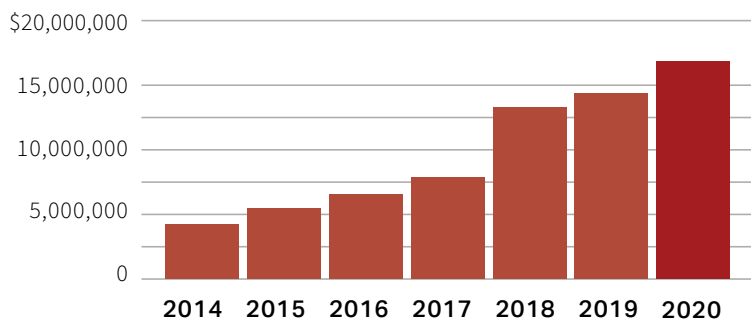


2014: \$87,000 2015: \$152,000 2016: \$178,000 2017: \$263,000
2018: \$570,000 2019: \$662,000 2020: \$786,000



FINANCIALS

ASSETS (as of June 30, 2020)



2014: \$3,750,000 2015: \$5,050,000 2016: \$6,025,000 2017: \$7,400,000
2018: \$13,000,000 2019: \$14,747,652 2020: \$17,142,088

COMMUNAL INVESTING

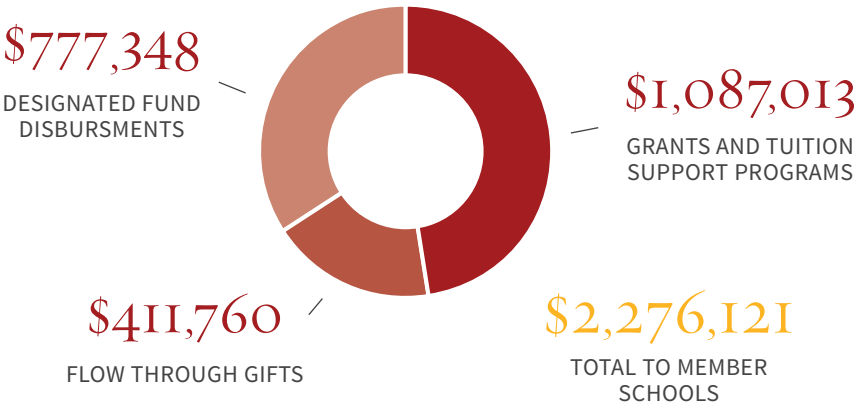


Many Christian schools have been blessed with medium and long-term gifts. Being a good steward of these gifts can be a challenge for an individual school, but together, we can strategically invest our communal long-term assets and gain access to better investment options. This means that money given for your school will only ever be used for your school, but your school gains the benefits of having professionally managed and diverse funds.

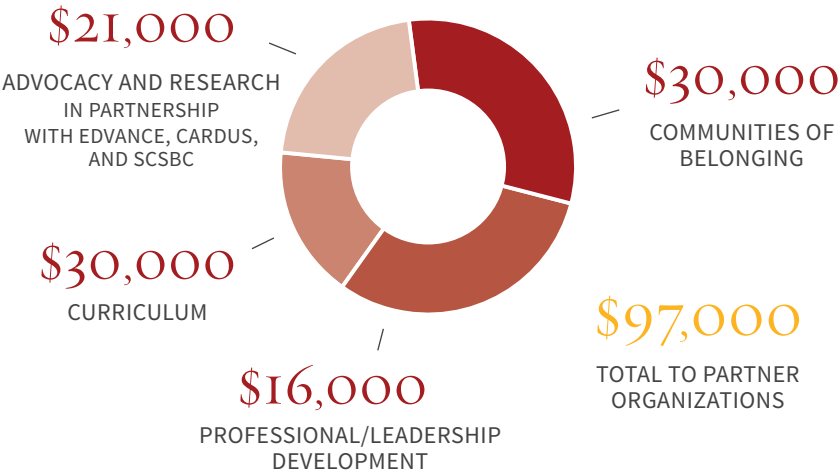
Specific to our past fiscal year, the Foundation’s diversified investment strategy meant that school funds ended the June 30th fiscal year in positive territory, despite turbulence created by the pandemic. And for schools where their long-term assets were not locked away in permanent endowments, the Foundation was able to gift them a net return of 5%.



DISTRIBUTION TO MEMBER SCHOOLS



DISTRIBUTION TO PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS



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CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION (CANADA) INC.

CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

As of June 30, 2020

BALANCE SHEET

	2020	2019
Assets		
Investments	15,307,327	14,436,326
Capital assets	1,493,036	2,603
Other assets	341,725	308,723
Total	\$17,142,088	\$14,747,652

Liabilities and Equity Funds

Accounts payable	184,520	405,724
Net Assets		
Unrestricted fund	235,632	215,128
Internally restricted funds	617,073	330,096
Capital Asset Fund	1,493,036	2,603
Externally restricted funds	11,074,350	10,828,804
Endowment funds	3,537,477	2,965,297
	16,957,568	14,341,928
Total	\$17,142,088	\$14,747,652

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

Donations	3,938,636	2,648,672
Fees from member schools	133,333	123,175
Investment income	702,003	754,962
	4,773,972	3,526,809
Net assets received from new member schools	367,830	134,444
Operating expenses	(626,301)	(675,470)
Donations to member schools	(1,899,861)	(1,838,478)
Other		
Excess of revenues over expenses	\$2,615,640	\$1,147,305
Fund balances - beginning of year	\$14,341,928	\$13,194,623
Fund balances - end of year	\$16,957,568	\$14,341,928

THE MUSTARD SEED SOCIETY

Growing strong school communities

We intend to identify and/or establish fifty planned gifts for each of our member schools. That is a significant goal! God is blessing our schools in many ways, and this is one way that will be of great encouragement to school leaders.

If you know someone whose name should be included here, please contact them and then connect with us, so that we can make this as complete a list as possible.

GENERAL GIFTS



G&J Antonides
J&J Bakelaar
H&J Beishuizen
F&C Berg
J&S Bergshoeff
L&T Blydorp
J&H Boers
A&A DeJong
J DeVries
R Feddema
J&A Gerritsen
T&H Horlings
H&W Kamphuis
T&R Kamphuis
H&J Koornneef
T&A Meester
D&J Nelson
P&L Wierenga
J&J Wamstecker
A&J Wiersma
Anonymous (47)

CREDO CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL, LANGLEY



JOHN CALVIN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, CHILLIWACK



WILLIAM OF ORANGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, SURREY



EBENEZER CANADIAN REFORMED SCHOOL, SMITHERS



MARITIME SCHOOLS

HALIFAX CHRISTIAN ACADEMY



BRITISH COLUMBIA SCHOOLS

CREDO CHRISTIAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, LANGLEY



IMMANUEL CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, CHARLOTTETOWN



ONTARIO SCHOOLS

ALLISTON COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



BEACON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, ST. CATHARINES



J&I Bezuyen
T&W Harris
P&E Heida
H Hunse
H&W Kamphuis
D&D Teeuwsen
T&M Van Geest
C&N Westerhoff
Anonymous (22)

BELLEVILLE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



D&E Botting
T&S Brunsting
Anonymous (2)

BRANTFORD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



Anonymous (8)

BURLINGTON CHRISTIAN ACADEMY



CAIRN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL SMITHVILLE, STONEY CREEK



P&A DeBruyne
P&S Dekker
H&W Kamphuis
T&R Kamphuis
A Klamer
T&A Meester
P&L Wierenga
A&J Wiersma
R&S Zwier
Anonymous (19)

CALVIN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, HAMILTON



F&A Bennink
H&N Van Dyke
Anonymous (21)

CAMBRIDGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



J Bos
A&J Bovenberg
A&L Dzelme
R&G Klein-Geltink
Anonymous (7)

CHATHAM CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



R&D Grootenboer
J&M Janssens
J&H Wiersma
Anonymous (13)

COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, DRAYTON



R&I Drost
G&M Duimering
Anonymous



COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, METCALFE



B&M Cooper
M&A Dominique
M&R Heuving
F&K Vedder
J&C Vedder
Anonymous (15)

HAMILTON DISTRICT
CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL



F&A Bennink
A&J Bovenberg
J&N Kraay
T&P Lobert
H&N Van Dyke
Anonymous (32)

DUNNVILLE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



Anonymous (6)

HERITAGE CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, LINDSAY



A Griffioen
Anonymous (5)

DURHAM CHRISTIAN HIGH
SCHOOL, BOWMANVILLE



C&G Alkema
J&T DeVries
A Griffioen
R&M Pypker
Anonymous (12)

HERITAGE COMMUNITY
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, ADDISON



A&J Oosterhof
H Weima
Anonymous (6)

GUELPH COMMUNITY
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



R&G Klein-Geltink
Anonymous (12)

HURON CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, CLINTON



F&M Bruinsma
A&M Uyl
B&K Van Wyk
Anonymous (17)

HALTON HILLS CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, GEORGETOWN



A&J Bovenberg
Anonymous (9)

IMMANUEL CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, ALYMER



K&A Cameron
Anonymous



IMMANUEL CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, WHITBY



C&G Alkema
Anonymous (6)

IMMANUEL CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, ST. THOMAS



Anonymous

JARVIS COMMUNITY
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



J&N Kraay
Anonymous (6)

JOHN KNOX CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, BRAMPTON



P&P Rodrigue
Anonymous (18)

JOHN KNOX CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, OAKVILLE



T&B Hollaar
J&E Nyholt
Anonymous (4)

JOHN KNOX CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, WYOMING



Anonymous (8)

KING CHRISTIAN SCHOOL,
HOLLAND MARSH



P&L VanderKooij
J&S Verkaik
Anonymous (5)

KINGSTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



Anonymous

KNOX CHRISTIAN SCHOOL,
BOWMANVILLE



J&T DeVries
H&S Reinsma
Anonymous (13)

LAURENTIAN HILLS CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, KITCHENER



R&C Jonker
P&D Joosse
J&C Lammers
Anonymous (7)

LISTOWEL CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



R&D Bakker
J&S Dreise
R&I Drost
A&M Uyl
Anonymous (5)

**LONDON CHRISTIAN
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**



R&H De Smit
J&D Kassies
Anonymous (6)

**LONDON CHRISTIAN
HIGH SCHOOL**



J&D Kassies
J&M Kingma
R&C Nienhuis
Anonymous (34)

**MARANATHA CHRISTIAN
ACADEMY, WINDSOR**



Anonymous

MILTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



R&G Klein-Geltink
Anonymous

**MUSKOKA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL,
UTTERSON**



**NORTHUMBERLAND CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, COBOURG**



Anonymous (6)

**OAK HILL CLASSICAL ACADEMY,
HAMILTON**



ORANGEVILLE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



K&F Oussoren
M&N Schaafsma
Anonymous (4)

ORILLIA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



A&M Uyl
Anonymous (2)

OTTAWA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



M&W Mudde
Anonymous (21)

**PROVIDENCE CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL, DUNDAS**



Anonymous (2)

**QUINTE CHRISTIAN HIGH
SCHOOL, BELLEVILLE**



T&S Brunsting
A&G Prinzen
Anonymous (11)

**REDEEMER CHRISTIAN
HIGH SCHOOL, OTTAWA**



B&M Cooper
M&R Heuvig
M&W Mudde
F&K Vedder
J&C Vedder
Anonymous (30)

**RHEMA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL,
PETERBOROUGH**



J&T DeVries
Anonymous (7)

**ST. TIMOTHY'S CLASSICAL
ACADEMY, OTTAWA**



Anonymous

SARNIA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



F&C Berg
Anonymous (2)

**STRATFORD & DISTRICT
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL**



Anonymous (9)

**SMITHVILLE CHRISTIAN
HIGH SCHOOL**



D&M Bergsma-Bonsma
J&I Bezuyen
P&S Dekker
T&W Harris
H&W Kamphuis
T&R Kamphuis
A Klamer
T&A Meester
P&L Wierenga
A&C Wiersma
R&S Zwier
Anonymous (15)

**STRATHROY COMMUNITY
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL**



J&M Kingma
C&P Speelman
Anonymous (13)

**TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL,
BARRIE**



P&E Heida
Anonymous (7)

**SONRISE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY,
PICTON**



A&G Prinzen
Anonymous (3)

**TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL,
ETOBICOKE**



**ST. THOMAS COMMUNITY
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL**



Y&G Bokestyn
Anonymous (7)

**TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL,
OWEN SOUND**



Anonymous (5)

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WILLIAMSBURG**



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TRENTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



A&G Prinzen
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BURLINGTON**



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Anonymous (9)

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BARRIE**



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**WALLACEBURG CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL**



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SCHOOL**



Anonymous (12)

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SCHOOL**



Anonymous (25)

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HIGH SCHOOL, BRESLAU**



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R&I Drost
G&M Duimering
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QUEBEC SCHOOLS

**EMMANUEL CHRISTIAN SCHOOL,
MONTREAL**



Anonymous

The mustard seed grows and
becomes the largest of all
garden plants, with such big
branches that the birds can
perch in its shade.

– Mark 4:32

HOW DO WE SUPPORT CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS AND DONORS?

Expertise

Our sole focus is supporting Christian education. We know how to make donors' gifts achieve maximum impact.

Versatility

We can help donors support one individual school, several different schools, specific funds, or the movement as a whole.

Continuity

We remain consistent with the purpose for which the Foundation was established, while adapting to the needs of donors and schools.

Integrity

We operate with professional integrity, avoiding financial grey areas with openness and transparency in all of our activities.





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expand the influence of Christ in our culture.