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UPPER SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTEND MARCH FOR LIFE

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This year's March for Life was a truly moving experience. There were a couple obstacles along the way which could have prevented MRA from going on this annual trip. One of these obstacles which could have prevented MRA from going on the trip was the lack of people attending this pilgrimage. The second obstacle was a lack of money for the trip. However, God provided for the marchers through various generous benefactors and MRA attended its second pilgrimage to Washington D.C. as a school.

This year we had dedicated marchers returning from past pilgrimages and we had a few willing newbies joining to experience the pilgrimage to D.C. for the first time. All, whether returning or new, attended the trip for one reason: to make theirs and the unheard voices of abortion or euthanasia victims heard. We were united in defending each person's right to human dignity and life.

One of our returning marchers, Audrey Wallace, said this about her experience on the trip: "I feel uplifted that I can take part in helping save the future generations."

Miss T.G. Fitzgerald, one of MRA's upper school teachers, was one of the new marchers that joined us on the pilgrimage this year. She said of her experience on the March for Life: "It was fantastic to be involved with young people who are so passionate about bettering the country they live in. It was inspiring to be around so many high school and college students trying to make a difference."

The trip was a very powerful and moving journey for all who attended and for those who were there in spirit.

Congratulations to Kindergarten student Brennan Walsh, who won the lower school Catholic Schools Week spelling bee!



Mrs. Heath's class went on a field trip to the Sunapee Harbor ice rink a few weeks ago. This field trip was a reward for filling their classroom jar of good deeds with stones. Good job, Kindergarten!

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