



*From the Desk of
the Principal
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Dear Friends,

As spring begins to happen all around us, my attention is drawn to the beauty and peacefulness in nature and I recall the Gospel of Matthew 5:9-10:

"We are called to be peacemakers. Blessed are the peacemakers: they shall be recognized as children of God"

Jesus tried to make peace with all people through the love he showed them. He was crucified. Ghandi and Martin Luther King, Jr. led nonviolent revolutions. They were shot. Peacemaking is no easy task, but it is sorely needed in our world today. Nations wage war with one another, and so do people. Sometimes the whole world seems loud with the sounds of shooting, if not by gunfire, then at best by words that pierce and deeds that crush.

May is a month of celebrating and commemorating many special people in a number of ways. We traditionally dedicate the month of May to honor all mothers on their special day. On May 1 all Americans commemorate the dedication and contributions of all workers.