



St Andrew's Parish

CORPUS CHRISTI PRIMARY SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER 15 Wednesday 17th October 2018 WEEK 2, TERM 4

Available on our School App, Website, CC Parent Portal. Paper copies available in the Office

October is the month of the Rosary. Try to say the Rosary as a Family

Dear Parents/Carers,

A very warm welcome back is extended to everyone! We hope all families and children had an enjoyable and restful holiday and are ready for a busy and exciting Term 4.

We have had a very smooth start to the term with children and teachers settling back into routines very quickly and happily.

STAFF NEWS

It is with pleasure that I inform you that Mrs Sultana and her husband have announced the safe arrival of their daughter, Amelia Sultana, on 13th October. All family members are doing well!

CONGRATULATIONS

It is also with pleasure that I let you know that Mrs Gleeson and her husband have announced that they are expecting in the New Year. Mrs Gleeson plans to complete the year in Middle Orange and then take Maternity leave in 2019. We wish them all the best as they prepare for the birth of their child.

CORPUS CHRISTI COMMUNITY MASS AT ST ANDREW'S CHURCH

All our families are invited to celebrate mass in St. Andrew's Church on **Saturday the 10th November at 6:00pm**. We especially invite families of children who have received a sacrament this year: First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation to this special mass. Being part of the Corpus Christi community and as part of the St. Andrew's parish we hope for you all to attend. We would love to see many of our children and families there. Please return the purple slip given last week to indicate if you can attend.

SUNSMART 'NO HAT - NO PLAY' TERM 4

As a registered 'Sunsmart' school and as part of our Health and Safety Policy all children are required to wear a hat during recess times. We have a 'No hat - No play' policy, so children without a hat will be required to remain in the shade during recess and lunchtime. We thank you for your support. We also ask that you support us by continually reminding your children about expectations regarding behaviour and uniform etc. In this way we can remain on track to have a great final term of a wonderful school year!

SCHOOL UNIFORM - CHANGEOVER PERIOD

There is a changeover period for uniform at the beginning of Term 4, where we will allow another four week period for the changeover from Winter to Summer Uniform. This can be used at the discretion of the parent/carer depending on the weather conditions (ie. It may still be quite cold at the start of Term 4, therefore Winter Uniform can still be worn). The changeover period will extend to Friday 2nd November. A reminder that black school shoes need to be worn - not black runners - with the school uniform.

With kind regards, Linda

WITH THE HELP OF MARY

As Mary placed all her trust in God, we also pray to God with confidence and trust.

With the help of Mary we pray for all the people of God that we be a sign of love and hope for our world.

With the help of Mary we pray for those who feel their lives are unimportant. May they realise that God can do great things through seemingly ordinary people.

With the help of Mary we pray for those who most need God's help at this time. May they know God's loving presence.

With the help of Mary we pray for our own community. May we nurture one another in the love of our God by living as Jesus shows us.

With the help of Mary we pray for the needs we hold in our own hearts. May we be ever trusting in our God, like Mary was.

With the help of Mary, woman of faith, may we be confident in asking for what we need.

We ask this in the name of Jesus our Lord. Amen



SATURDAY 17th NOVEMBER 2018

Parish Raffle Tickets—For Early Bird Prize Tickets

Due back to School by **Friday 26th October 2018**

Final date for return of ticket books to school is

Friday 2nd November 2018

STUDENT ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL

A reminder for all Parents/Carers to ensure that the school
is notified of any absence from school by 9:30am.

This can be done via email at ccschooloffice@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au **OR**
Contacting the School Office by Telephone on **9741 8440**



Education in Faith

Mission Month Prayer *Please read the mission month prayer for children everywhere:*

**May all children
In the world
Share love
Share friendship and live
In the peace
Of God's love
Now and forever, Amen.**



MISSION WEEK REFLECTION AND SOCKTOBER

Last Friday the Juniors led us in a reflection to start off our **Mission Month** and our efforts to help Catholic Mission's cause like Socktober. **Socktober** is an initiative of Catholic Mission and one way which your school can fundraise and engage in advocacy and formation activities for Catholic Mission during World Mission Month in October, or at other times throughout the year.

This month we ask students to bring in a **\$2 donation**, for 'Socktober Fridays'. We invite students and staff to wear odd socks in support of our Mission Week Fundraiser with Catholic mission. Please note: **the \$2 donation covers all Fridays and it is not \$2 per Friday**. Thank you for your support.

FOUNDATION UNIT MASS

Foundation unit mass will be celebrated this Thursday **18th of October** at **9:00am** here at school in the Foundation room. Our Foundation unit will lead this celebration and we warmly invite you all to attend.

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ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS PRAYER SERVICE



On **Friday the 2nd of November** we will be celebrating All Saints and All Souls day as a prayer service in our Multi Function Room at 8:50am. You are all warmly invited as we remember them in this special reflection. A slip will go out next week to indicate any family members you would like us to pray for.

**Upcoming
Events:**

18th October- Foundation Unit Mass 9:00 am

2nd November- All Saints/All Souls Prayer Service 8:50am

10th November- Corpus Christi Community Mass at St. Andrew's church 6pm

Miss Richelle Mendoza, **Religious Education Leader**

Learning Community News

JUNIOR UNIT

It's been a great start to Term 4, as students have delved into their learning. This week students have been consolidating their knowledge of division and linking it with multiplication.

The Juniors have also been investigating time, reading and making different times.

Students have begun learning about animals from around the world and where they are located. Students will continue to explore this further next week.

In Religion, the Juniors have begun learning about different parables Jesus told and their messages.

Yours in Partnership, Mrs Michelle Surmiak, Junior Unit Leader



MIDDLE UNIT

Welcome back to Term 4! It was wonderful to see so many happy, excited students eager to begin learning last week. We have a busy term as always, with the added excitement of camp!

Middle students have jumped straight into Inquiry with an immersion into GEOGRAPHY, with a focus specifically around sustainability. Students will learn that sustainability is about the ongoing capacity of the environment to sustain human life and the careful use of resources.

They will also learn about the safe and ethical management of waste and how the environment supports their lives and the lives of other living things. They will be introduced to different views on how sustainability can be achieved and explore how wrong actions can sometimes lead to good outcomes and the reverse.

As we settle into term 4, ask your child:

What are three things that went well for them this week?

Yours in partnership, Ms Kim Gleeson, Middle Unit Leader

SENIOR UNIT

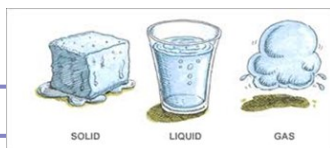
What a busy start to the final term of 2018! We experimented with a variety of substances to investigate matter in our world. We have started to classify everyday items as solids, liquids or gas.

Ask your child:

- What did you discover during the experiments?
- How have you improved at listening to, reading and following instructions this week?



Over the next few weeks, we begin our preparation for Lightning Premiership and the Year 5 leadership day. Continue to prepare for the Arts show, learning about the Old Testament, building resilience and investigating decimals in our life.



Regards, Leanne Spence Senior Unit Leader

FOUNDATION UNIT

Welcome back to the final term of Foundation 2018. We hope our children and families were able to enjoy some rest and relaxation and are feeling recharged for the busy Term ahead!

We have begun Term 4 with an excursion to our local Woolworth store where we engaged in their Fresh Food Discovery Tour. The students were able to go behind the scenes of a supermarket and learn about the many, many products sold there. The excursion kicks off our Inquiry unit titled Little Master Chef!

In literacy we continue our focus and begin to look deeper into the characters and settings in stories and are beginning to predict what will happen. In Numeracy we have been looking at coding, particularly interpreting symbols to give instructions to move objects from place to place. In week 2 we will begin our Time unit and reading clocks.

Finally, In Religion we will be revisiting similarities between our family and Jesus's family as a precursor to our Advent program and the end of Year Nativity performance, Stay tuned for more information!

Yours in Partnership, Foundation Team

Learning & Teaching News

Welcome back to Term 4 everyone! This term will be a busy one with new Inquiries for all communities already begun and lots of new learning still happening in Literacy and Numeracy. You will find more detail in each of the learning areas above in the Parent Term 4 Overview.



LEARNING JOURNEY TERM 3

Learning Journey emails from 'the TeacherCloud' were sent out to all families by email last week. We hope that you were able to view these successfully and have been able to download and save them.

If you have not yet done so we recommend changing the temporary password initially provided to you, for something that is familiar and easy to remember and don't forget to save it for next time. If you have more than one child in the school you can use the same password. If you do this, passwords will not need to be reset each time a new learning Journey is sent.

If you have forgotten your password, need help or have questions about the Learning Journey / theTeacherCloud or perhaps you have not been able to access your child's Learning Journey or School Report for Semester 1 please contact Anne Walton by email: annew@ccwerrabee.catholic.edu.au .

INQUIRY FOCUS ACROSS THE SCHOOL

Foundation

- People use science in their daily lives
- Everyday materials can be physically changed or combined with other materials in a variety of ways for particular purposes
- ingredients have properties that allow them to dissolve, melt, freeze and be heated

Junior

- Identifying the relationships between living things within Geographical environments and the ways in which people interact with environments
- recognising that different living things live in different places, for example, air, land and water
- reasons why some places are special and some places are important to people and how they can be looked after
- each continent has unique landforms, natural resources and ecosystems
- there is a great variety of wildlife in the world

Middle

- sustainability is about the ongoing capacity of the environment to sustain human life
- the careful use of resources and the safe management of waste
- the environment supports their lives and the lives of other living things.
- introduced to different views on how sustainability can be achieved
- Explore how apparently wrong actions can sometimes lead to good outcomes and the reverse

Senior

- Solids, liquids and gases behave in different ways and have observable properties that help to classify them
- Changes to materials can be reversible, including melting, freezing, evaporating, or irreversible, including burning and rusting
- investigating the three changes of state in water

Exploring our world and the wonderful things in it is important for students to be able to make connections to their own experiences and to wonder about the future! Our Inquiry process allows students to ask questions after being immersed in the area of the curriculum that is the focus of an Inquiry. Most Learning Communities have completed their immersions this week and have given students the opportunity to ask questions that will guide our planning of the direction the Inquiry will take.



TERM 4 OVERVIEWS will be available Monday next week and all communities will have these displayed on the outside of their doors, windows or display boards. They will also be sent home in a hard copy to all families. If you have any questions please ask your child's teacher or myself.

Mrs Peta Cesarec, **Learning and Teaching Leader**

Numeracy News

Welcome back to Term 4! I hope everyone had a fantastic break and enjoyed the football finals and the lovely weather.

The Timezone Numeracy Challenge will continue this term and it is great to see the children so enthusiastic to take part in the challenge! Please encourage your child to continue to take part in the Timezone Numeracy Challenge. Children will be able to access the question sheet in the office near the Timezone boxes. Please remind your child to show their working out and use efficient strategies to solve the problem. Make sure your child has written their name and grade at the top of the page before placing this into the box. The two winners will be announced at the whole school assembly on **Friday, 26th October** and get to enjoy 30 minutes of free play at Timezone in Werribee!

The question for the students to solve is:

Foundation-2 question:

I went to the lolly shop to buy a bag of lollies that was \$2. When I went to pay for the lollies, I had some coins in my pocket. What coins could I use to pay for the lollies? What are all the different ways that I could pay for the lollies using different coins?

Grade 3-6 question:

I went to the supermarket to buy seven apples. I had the option of buying a bag of 7 apples for \$3.75 or buying individual apples for 55 cents each? Which of the 2 options would I save more money if I needed 7 apples? **Make sure you show your working out in an efficient way.**

Students will have until **3:30pm** on Wednesday, 24th October to complete and hand in the problem into the Timezone Numeracy Challenge box located near the office.

Have a great week! Mr Peter Donoghue, **Numeracy Leader**

GRADE SIX GRADUATION DINNER—Reminder to Parents / Carers

Menu order forms and payment for graduation are due
back by **Friday 9th November 2018.**

Thank you to those that have already returned. If you have misplaced or need new forms please email Daniela Brown: dwb36@hotmail.com .

Wellbeing & Community Partnerships



Senior Barlow's "retreat day" Kindness Project

As part of their Specialist program, Senior Barlow students undertook their Kindness Project at the end of Term 3. Students baked muffins and treats and made hand-made cards and book marks to thank our local volunteer Fire Brigade. Students were fortunate to receive a tour of the Station, use some of the equipment and learn about what is involved in being a Volunteer. Special thanks to the Werribee Fire Brigade for having us and to parent helpers Grace Bonaddio, Leanne Rodriguez and Daniela Brown.



"I felt grateful because they showed us things I would never see and I had a good time. It impacted me because I had the chance to do something nice and it made me feel happy." – Christian 56MB

SECOND HAND BOOK STALL donations

Senior Craig are collecting donations of children's books for their Second Hand Book Stall which will be held in Week 4. Please have a clean out and drop any children's books (picture stories, novels, non-fiction books) to Senior Craig or the basket outside the school office. All students will be able to buy books from the stall for 50c or \$1 each. Grab a bargain and support our Kindness Project! **Book Sale Weds 31st Oct – Fri 2nd Nov!**

CHILDREN'S
BOOK SALE!



CC ARTS SHOW – Thursday 25th October 2018

We look forward to welcoming families to our CC Arts Show Extravaganza! Tour our Art Gallery, grab a sausage, go in the draw to win the raffle and join us for some boot-scootin' fun!

Thursday 25th October from 5:00pm – 7:00pm. Tickets available NOW!



DAY for DANIEL – Friday 26th October 2018

On Friday 26th October, Corpus Christi will celebrate Day for Daniel with hundreds of schools across the country. Students will participate in multi-age activities with an emphasis on personal safety.

Remember to **wear a touch of RED on Friday 26th October!**



Mrs Elissa Ardizzon, Wellbeing & Community Engagement Leader

2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR & IMPORTANT DATES

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| Wednesday 17th October | MIDDLE UNIT CAMPERS RETURN TODAY! Welcome back! |
| Thursday 18th October | Foundation Unit Mass 9:00am Storytime for our Foundation 2019 Students (optional) 9:15am, 10:15am & 12:15pm |
| Sunday 21st October | Community Mass 10am at St Mary of the Cross Chapel - MacKillop College |
| Thursday 25th October | CC ARTS SHOW |
| Friday 26th October | <u>Day for Daniel - wear a touch of red with your uniform</u> PARISH RAFFLE TICKETS <u>due back to school today for EARLY BIRD PRIZE (sold/unsold)</u> |
| Tuesday 30th October | Senior Dawson & Senior Volkwyn - Antipasto Session LOTE. |
| Thursday 1st November | Foundation 2019 Transition Day 1 |
| Friday 2nd November | All Saints All Souls Prayer Service in MFR at 8:50am – All Welcome! Important! PARISH RAFFLE TICKETS <u>due back to school today unsold/ sold LAST DAY!</u> |
| Monday 5th November | School Closure Day - No School Today |
| Tuesday 6th November | MELBOURNE CUP DAY - Public Holiday no school today |
| Thursday 8th November | Whole School Assembly at 2:05pm (rescheduled due to Character Parade & Activities) |
| Friday 9th November | Book Character Dress Up Parade Day !! P & F Subway Lunch Day! |
| Saturday 10th November | COMMUNITY MASS at St Andrew's Church 6pm |
| Tuesday 13th November | Senior Spence & Senior Mendoza - Antipasto Session LOTE School Board Meeting 6:15pm, AGM at 7pm & Dinner |
| Thursday 15th November | Foundation 2019 Transition Day 2 |
| Friday 16th November | Lightning Premiership Carnival / Activities - Sporting Events Various Activities |
| Saturday 17th November | <u>ST ANDREW'S PARISH FAIR - See you at the Fair!</u> |
| Sunday 18th November | Community Mass 10am at St Mary of the Cross Chapel - MacKillop College |
| Tuesday 20th November | P & F Meeting 7pm in the Staffroom |
| Friday 23rd November | Junior Sports Day Today ! P & F MOVIE NIGHT - Save the date! |
| Thursday 29th November | P & F Christmas Hamper Donation & Student Free Dress Day Foundation 2019 Transition Day 3 |
| Monday 3rd December | CC Annual Carols Night |
| Wednesday 5th December | P & F Christmas Dinner |
| Friday 7th December | ADVENT Reflection Volunteer Thank you and Afternoon Tea in MFR |
| Sunday 9th December | Community Mass 10am at St Mary of the Cross Chapel - MacKillop College |
| Monday 10th December | Orientation Session |
| Tuesday 11th December | Graduation Mass |
| Thursday 13th December | Foundation 'Nativity Play' |
| Friday 14th December | Year 6 Excursion Adventure Park |
| Tuesday 18th December | End of Year Prayer Service 9:00am <u>LAST DAY OF SCHOOL YEAR - All Students Dismissed at 1:00pm</u> |

MACKILLOP



Open Day

Thursday 15 November 2018:

2.00pm - 6.00pm

Final Tour at 5.15pm



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ST ANDREW'S PARISH

WITH NET MINISTRIES PRESENTS

ST ANDREW'S YOUTH GROUP

FOOD, FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP

FOR AGES 13-26

5PM MASS ST ANDREW'S
105 GREAVES ST NORTH
WERRIBEE

JOIN US FOR 5PM MASS
AND THEN JUST ACROSS THE ROAD
6:15 - 8:15PM | SUNDAY 14TH OCTOBER

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
ANIL.MASCARENHAS@CAM.ORG.AU
OR CALL 9741 4144

PENOLA HUB (OPPOSITE ST ANDREWS)
33 MORTIMER STREET, WERRIBEE



ST ANDREW'S ALTAR SERVERS GROUP



ATTENTION PLEASE . . .

For those who have received their First Holy Eucharist, a great opportunity for you to grow in your faith journey by serving as an Altar Server in our Church.

If you are interested to join our St. Andrew's Altar Servers Group, please leave your name, current address, email address and best contact no. by calling the Parish Office on 9741 4144 or send an email to werribee@cam.org.au

ST. ANDREW'S PARISH FAIR

Saturday 17th Nov 2018
10am till 7pm

at St. Andrew's School Grounds
Greaves Street North, Werribee

- Major Car Raffle
- Cake & Plant Stalls
- Fresh Food Stalls
- Fun Rides
- Entertainment
- Spinning Wheel
- Espresso Bar
- Afternoon Tea
- Book Stall



**ST ANDREW'S
PARISH FAIR
2018**

Saturday 17th November
10am - 7pm

UNLIMITED RIDE WRISTBAND
NON REFUNDABLE

Cha Cha * Giant Slide Chair * O Plane
Big Bubble * Jumping Castle

Early Bird \$30 | After 4th November \$35

Venue: St Andrew's Primary School
110 Greaves Street, North Werribee

To purchase your coupon to be exchanged for a wristband on Fair Day, please contact the Parish Office on 9741 4144 or one of the Parish Primary Schools.
Coupons will also be on sale after weekend masses at St Andrew's Church.

ST. ANDREW'S PARISH FAIR

Saturday, 17th November 2018

MAJOR RAFFLE IN SUPPORT OF ST. ANDREW'S PARISH

Raffle Tickets available from St. Andrew's Parish Office Ph. 9741 4144 or werribee@cam.org.au



CAR PURCHASED FROM BALLAN HOLDEN AT A DISCOUNTED RATE

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| First Prize: | Holden Barina | Value: \$16,999 |
| Second Prize: | Deluxe Car Wash Voucher/Werribee Car Wash | Value: \$500 |
| Third Prize: | All Green Nursery Voucher | Value: \$450 |
| Fourth Prize: | Tramcar Restaurant Voucher | Value: \$300 |
| Fifth to Ninth Prize: | Double Village Gold Class Experience Voucher | Value: \$159 each |

ST. ANDREW'S PARISH FAIR – SAT, 17TH NOVEMBER 2018

THE PARISH FAIR COMMITTEE is looking for the following:

- **RAFFLE PRIZES AND DONATIONS WANTED** – If you can assist with the provision of a prize or cash suitable for raffles on Fair Day, please contact the Parish Office on 9741 4144. Thank you!
- **ST. ANDREW'S PLANT STALL NEEDS YOU** Green thumbs, it's time to get in the garden and do your magic. We need your unwanted GLASS jars/bottles. Maximum height 15cms, maximum width 5cms. Please leave it at the parish office from the first week of November. Thanks for your continued support throughout the years.
- **STALL HOLDERS REQUIRED** for this year's Parish Fair.
If you have a small business or would like to sell homemade items and be involved with a stall at the Fair, please contact the Parish Office.