



OUR LADY'S SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

17 November 2016

www.olsunshine.catholic.edu.au

Parish Priest: Fr. Peter-Damien McKinley
Principal: Ms. Patrizia Bertani
Parish Mass Times: Saturday 6:00pm
Sunday 9:00am, 10:30am & 5:30pm
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Truly I tell you, just as you did it to the least of these....you did it to me'

Matthew 25:40



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Mon 14 Nov - Fri 18 Nov

Swimming Program

Mon 21 Nov - Fri 25 Nov

Swimming Program

Mon 28 Nov

Gr 3 Excursion to Shrine & Botanic Gardens

Tues 29 Nov

Second Hand Uniform Sale
3.00pm near Canteen

Fri 2 Dec

Parish Movie

Sat Dec 3

P&F BBQ at Bunnings

Wed 7 Dec

Dinner in the Yard & Art Show
6.00-8.00pm

Thurs 8 Dec

Feast of Immaculate Conception

P&F Christmas Stall

Fri 9 Dec

Reports come home today

Mon 12 Dec

2017 Orientation 12.00-1.00pm

Gr 6 Graduation Mass
(6.30pm) and Disco (7.30-8.30pm)

Wed 14 Dec

End of Year Mass 9.00am

Fri 16 Dec

End of Year Assembly 2.45pm
End of Term 4 for children at 3.15pm

2017

Tues 31 Jan

School starts for children for 2017

Dear Parents,

What an incredibly beautiful Confirmation we had for our Year Six students and their families last Friday night! It was a culmination of much preparation and organisation and what a success it was.

Many thanks to Bishop Mark Edwards who led us in this beautiful Sacrament, along with our own Fr Peter and Fr Vinh. Thank you and a big well done must also go to our Grade 6 teachers Mrs Anna Kalc Smyth and Mr Tim Wickham, you helped prepare our students so incredibly well. They had a profound appreciation and understanding of the sacrament and its significance in their lives.

I would like to thank Ms Halina Lipski our Religious Education Leader who also did so much to make sure that everything was just right, even climbing up a ladder to light every candle in the church so that the atmosphere was just right.

Also a big thank you to the Tongan Choir who added their angelic voices to the night.



Missions Fundraising

More thanks must go to every child and family that contributed to our Missions Fundraising and Crazy Sock Day last Friday. As a result of all your hard work and generosity, we have raised an incredible amount of money for Caritas to continue their work. I'll let you read Ms Lipski's article on the next page in this Newsletter to see the BIG amount. Well done all!



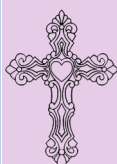
Assembly

A reminder that we will NOT be having an Assembly tomorrow or next Friday due to our Swimming Program. We look forward to seeing you at our next Assembly on Friday 2 December at 2.30pm.

School Fees

Families have been sent a final reminder for outstanding fees. Please ensure that all payments are made to the Office by 30 November. Please contact the Office to see me if you are experiencing any difficulties with payment. Many thanks.

Prayer for the Feast of Christ the King



This is the last Sunday of Ordinary Time. We celebrate that Christ is the king of all nations.

Jesus, as we prepare to celebrate the feast of Christ the King we ask you to help us live as people of your kingdom. May we work together for the good of people of all nations and all races and all faiths. May we follow your way always and give praise and honour to your holy name. Amen





Missions Week

A very big Thank You for your support, generosity and contribution to our Missions fund raising activities last week. So far the amount raised is a whopping **\$2149.10!!!**

What a fantastic effort! It will make a significant contribution to the work of Caritas in helping the children of Cambodia to have better access and opportunities for education and the empowerment that brings.

It was wonderful to see the children engaged in selling, running competitions and of course wearing their crazy socks. It is important that we provide opportunities for children to be proactive in working for a more just world and have understanding and appreciation of the needs of others.

Here are some photos of "Crazy Sock Day" Thank you for your creativity and effort which added the fun element to our promotion of justice and dignity.



Yours sincerely,

Patrizia Bertani

Ms Patrizia Bertani

Principal

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Thank you again

Peace and blessings,

Halina Lipski (R.E.L.)

<http://www.catholicmission.org.au/get-involved>

YMCA Healthy Kids OSHC
Our Lady's Primary
PROGRAM AT A GLANCE



For all **Bookings and Cancellations** please call us directly on **0401 700 401**
Email us: ourladysoshc@ymca.org.au
For any **Account Information** please call our office on: **8371 0500**
www.childrensservices.ymca.org.au

DAY	After School Care Activities	Afternoon Tea
Monday Staff: Phoebe, Chelsea and Hang	Inside: Chinese Paper Lanterns Outside: Ball Games	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Cheese and crackers
Tuesday Staff: Michelle, Lucette & Myrna	Inside: Make an Ocean Headband or Pirate Hat Outside: Free Play Homework & Readers.	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Sandwiches
Wednesday Staff: Michelle, Myrna & Vicky	Inside: Make a Pop up Shop Outside: Fruit Salad	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Nachos
Thursday Staff: Michelle, Chelsea Myrna	Inside: Ghost Finger Puppets Outside: Free play Home-work + Readers	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Iced Biscuits
Friday Staff: Michelle, Marlene & Georgia	Children's Choice: Games, Activities Inside & Out. Cooking with Marlene	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Popcorn

A variety of seasonal fruit and vegetables are always offered to children for afternoon snack! A variety of arts, crafts, board games, construction, recreational activities, sensory and imaginary play opportunities are available every day for children to choose. **Homework & Home Readers Time** – Our YMCA staff are there to encourage home readers and homework and most days we set aside a time to encourage this! If you or someone else is picking up your child (children) early from school and they are not attending the after school care, please let OSHC Team know. Please remember children need to bring their school hat (Broadbrim or Legionaries Hat) from 1st September to 1st May and sunscreen will need to be applied when playing outside.

Bookings and Cancellations: It is important to book your child's place so we can plan and expect their arrival at Before and After School Care. To ensure the safety of your child please notify us of any absences or additional days of care **via the My Family Lounge Portal** <http://www.childrensservices.ymca.org.au/enrol/my-family-lounge-sign-in.html> As a reminder please note that the cancellation period of 7 days notice applies for all Before and After School Care bookings. For additional information on our program please visit <http://www.childrensservices.ymca.org.au>

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2016**

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Jesus Christ is king forever



Christ the King, Year C

Throughout our history there have been kings who were selfish, arrogant and cruel towards their people, while other kings have been kind and wise leaders who have protected their people. What kind of a king is Jesus Christ and how does he treat his people?



Place a cross **+** next to the words that best describe Christ the King

POWERFUL

UNJUST

SELFISH

COMPASSIONATE

MERCIFUL

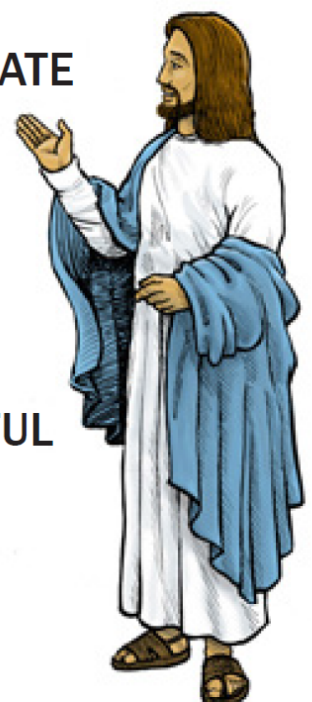
GREEDY

LOVING

DISRESPECTFUL

PROTECTING

FORGIVING



Gospel

Lk 23:35-43

The people stayed there before the cross watching Jesus. As for the leaders, they jeered at him. 'He saved others,' they said, 'let him save himself if he is the Christ of God, the Chosen One.' The soldiers mocked him too, and when they approached to offer him vinegar they said, 'If you are the king of the Jews, save yourself.' Above him there was an inscription: 'This is the King of the Jews.'

One of the criminals hanging there abused him. 'Are you not the Christ?' he said. 'Save yourself and us as well.' But the other spoke up and rebuked him. 'Have you no fear of God at all?' he said. 'You got the same sentence as he did, but in our case we deserved it: we are paying for what we did. But this man has done nothing wrong. Jesus,' he said, 'remember me when you come into your kingdom.' 'Indeed, I promise you,' he replied, 'today you will be with me in paradise.'