



Short STGAK

*"I am the way,
the truth and
the life."*
John 14:6

Term 3 Week 2 - 27 July 2017

Important Dates

Friday 28 July

Assembly 1.45pm (Mini Vinnies)

Saturday 29 July

Eucharist Presentation Mass 6pm

Sunday 30 July

Eucharist Presentation Masses
8.30am or 10am

Monday 31 July

Monday Prayer (2P) 9.30am
Science Week begins
Kinder Excursion (Dinosaur Museum)
SCC Meeting 6.30pm

Friday 4 August

Science Week Expo/Fair
Assembly 1.45pm (Science Week)

Notes sent home this week

Fete Newsletter #2

From the Principal

When we stop, when we learn to calm ourselves, our lives change.

It had been a long day at work. She was the only waitress on the shift, and her customers had been particularly trying. She finally sat down to rest during a lull in business. Within seconds, the door opened and in came another customer. Back to work she went.

The fellow stood six foot, four inches tall, was pencil thin and had curly white hair. 'Whaddya have?' the waitress grunted.

No response. Just a steady gaze and a wide smile. 'Sir, whaddya need?' she repeated.

The customer pulled out a well-used notepad. He wrote a note, then turned the pad toward her.

'I'm deaf,' was written on it, along with a question about directions. She wrote a reply. He fired off another question and another and another.

The waitress found herself smiling, introducing him to the other customers. The last page on his pad was a 'smiley' face and the words, 'Your smile is as warm as the sun.'

They shook hands. He took his now-filled notepad and left the diner. Her heart was overflowing when she turned back to her customers. She really started listening to them and responding to them because she became conscious of the presence of God in her life.

I pray that you too may be able to calm yourself enough this week to find God present in you, your home and our community.

Ursula Jamieson

Science Fair

Students from K-6 are invited to complete a Science experiment at home during Week 2. Students can bring either the experiment or a record of the experiment (e.g. photos/video) into school to display in the Science Fair during Week 3.

Students will need to include a description of their experiment and anything interesting they discovered while doing the experiment. All experiments must be labelled with the student's name and all entries must be in by Thursday 3rd August.

Each student that enters the Science Fair will go into the draw for a Science Week prize. These winners will be drawn at the assembly on Friday 4th August at 1:45pm. See <http://sttap.act.edu.au/communication/notes.html> for more information.



Bringing Up Great Kids

Parents and Carers of children aged 2-10 years are invited to a parenting program developed by the Australian Childhood Foundation presented by CatholicCare starting on Mon 7th August. For further details see <http://sttap.act.edu.au/communication/notes.html>



Merit Awards 2017

.....Week 2.....

Congratulations to these students who will receive Merit Awards on Friday 28 July at 1.45pm

Amelia Ferdinand
Dylan Dunn
Isaac Johnson
Leo Blair
San Geraghty
Lily Darcy
Alex Gourgouras
Lana Albheisi

Claire van der Linden
Caitlin Hackney-Britt
Sophie Cameron
Ethan Angus
Bruno Grzegorzewski
Lexi Taylor
Ned Adams
Michael Ambrosino

Chloe Driver
Charlie Fletcher
Jumana Albheisi
Anisa Wilson
Ariana Exarhos
Eric Firth
Shara Murdoch
Bailey Laughton

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