



St Francis Xavier Primary School

Newsletter

Monday 8th May 2023
Term 2 Week 3

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Term 2 (9 weeks)

Mon 24th April - Fri 23rd June

Monday 8th May

All children to be in winter uniform from today

Wednesday 10th May

9.30am School Alive Tour

Friday 12th May

Mothers' Day celebration
1.45pm Afternoon tea in Gym
2.30pm Liturgy in Family Groups

Tuesday 16th May

Division AFL

Friday 19th May

12.40pm 1EM Assembly

Wednesday 24th May

Division Netball

Friday 26th May

Years 3-6 SFX Athletics Carnival at Llanberris

Monday 29th May

Regional Cross Country at Warrnambool

Friday 2nd June

12.40pm F TW Assembly

Division Soccer

Friday 9th June

Student free day

Monday 12th June

King's birthday holiday

Tues 13th & Wed 14th June

Year 2 Log Cabin Camp

Friday 16th June

12.40pm 4BW Assembly

6pm Sat 17th and 10.30am

Sun 18th June at St Alipius

Year 4 First Eucharist

Mon 19, Tue 20 & Wed 21

June Yrs 4/5/6 Golf Clinics

Term 3 (10 weeks)

Mon 10th July - Fri 15th Sept

Mon 10th & Tues 11th July

Year 3 Camp

Friday 14th July

9.30am Mass in Gym

12.40pm 2EH Assembly

In the Land of the Wadawurrung People

Dear families,

What a big weekend we have all had. Whether you would describe yourself as a monarchist or not, the coronation of King Charles III certainly showed us that pomp and ceremony are alive and well in the 21st century.

I chose to watch the proceedings with interest knowing that something like this doesn't come by every day. I'm glad that I did. Perhaps one of the most striking elements for me occurred early in the proceedings when the King was asked why he was present. His reply; "I come not to be served but to serve" drew a distinct reference to the gospels. As head of the commonwealth and head of the Church of England, King Charles drew on faith traditions to embed his role as a world leader. Only time will tell how that looks for the new King, but by referencing the teachings of Christ, he must be off to a good start.

I don't envy the new King's role! We live in challenging times with the global political scene being somewhat unsteady. With courage though, I hope that our new King can work towards building unity across nations. Hopefully with time we can learn what it really means to be of service to others as we live our lives together.

God bless,



Mark Hogbin.



School Uniform: The reason for our school uniform is to ensure that our children are identified as students who belong to the community of St. Francis Xavier. When some students continually ignore aspects of the uniform policy, this causes resentment and disharmony for other students and families. I ask parents to be encouraging and supportive in your role so that the school uniform is respected and adhered to and that there is a strong level of equality and fairness in the management of the uniform protocol.

- From today **Monday 8th May** (Week 3) all children are expected to be in Winter Uniform.

Mother's Day Stalls Our children have had a very busy time doing some special shopping at school today. Thank-you to our dedicated parents who have assisted with the organising and running of the stalls. What would we do without you!

If your child missed out on the Mother's day stall for their grade, don't worry there will be a further chance to purchase a gift for their Mum on Thursday at First break in the undercover area.

Friday 21st July
12.40pm 1MM Assembly

Fri 28th July school closure

Friday 4th August
12.40pm 5OH Assembly

Friday 11th August
12.40pm F LH Assembly

Friday 18th August
12.40pm 6MM Assembly

Friday 25th August
Book Week celebrations

Friday 1st September
Fathers' Day celebration

Thursday 7th September
6pm at St Alipius
Year 3 Confirmation

Friday 8th September
12.40pm 1JS Assembly

Term 4 (12 weeks)
Mon 2nd Oct - Wed 20th Dec

Friday 6th October
9.30am Mass at St Alipius

Friday 13th October
12.40pm 5JF Assembly

Friday 20th October
Grandparents' Day

Friday 27th October
12.40pm 2CJ Assembly

Friday 3rd November
12.40pm F MM Assembly

Friday 10th November
12.40pm 4CP Assembly

Friday 17th November
12.40pm 3NM Assembly

Friday 24th November
12.40pm F GJ Assembly

Friday 1st December
12.40pm 2GH Assembly

Monday 18th December
9.30am Mass in the Gym

Final Open Day and School Alive Tours – Term 2

Due to popular demand we have had to run 2 additional Open Days and School Alive Tours early in Term 2.

Our last tour will be held on Wednesday 10th May at 9.30am in the school library. To register your attendance at an Open Day and School Alive Tour please click on the "Book a Tour" link :

<http://www.sfxballarat.catholic.edu.au/enrol/open-days/>

This is a great chance for parents who haven't made it to an Open Day or wish to have another look around our great school!

Please note that Foundation Enrolments for 2024 close on Thursday 25th May.

School Traffic I wish to remind everyone that the management of traffic flow at the beginning and end of the day is always a concern. We are fortunate that there is very little non-school traffic in the mix at these times. If the road signage and markings are adhered to with a good level of patience a safe environment can be maintained. We remind drivers to pull off to the left around the trees where the buses travel and U-turn to return down Fortune Street rather than cross directly across the traffic. (This is illegal!). Our staff carpark is not to be used as a pathway to either drop your children at school or pick them up. Car spaces are limited and the onsite carpark is for staff cars only. Many thanks for your assistance with these matters.

Please find at the end of this newsletter: Parish Bulletin and Assembly Awards.

Religious Education News

THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL- Sunday May 7 , 2023 Fifth Sunday of Easter (Year A)

Gospel: John 14:1-7 "Do not be worried and upset," Jesus told them. "Believe in God and believe also in me. There are many rooms in my Father's house, and I am going to prepare a place for you. I would not tell you this if it were not so. And after I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to myself, so that you will be where I am. You know the way that leads to the place where I am going."

Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going; so how can we know the way to get there?"

Jesus answered him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life; no one goes to the Father except by me. Now that you have known me," he said to them, "you will know my Father also, and from now on you do know him and you have seen him."

(Gospel passage taken from Good News Translation®)

Gospel reflection: Right at the beginning of today's gospel, Jesus tells the disciples not to be worried and to believe in him. He is asking them to trust him. Trusting someone means believing that they are always there for us, that they are always willing to help us, that they will comfort us when we are upset or frightened. When it comes to trusting someone, what they do is often more important than what they say.

Jesus did not only teach his disciples with words. Throughout his life he showed them (and us) how to love one another, to serve others and to care for and support people who were poor, sick, or sad. He showed us how to make sure that we treated all people well, even those who are usually ignored, or who are not well-liked.

We can show our trust in God by listening to what Jesus asks of us and trying to follow him. By loving one another and by doing what is right, we are doing what God wants us to do.

Our Challenge: How can our actions show we trust in God and follow the example Jesus showed us? (Adapted from CAFOD website)

Christine Meneely, **Religious Education Leader**

Curriculum News



A very big thank you goes to our wonderful school community who so generously supported our 2023 Book Fair **Where Books Are The Treasure**.

After balancing our books we have over \$3,000 to spend on continuing to build our library full of the latest books for our children to read, learn and enjoy.

As part of our Fair we had a competition to Guess the pirate treasure. Congratulations go to four Year 4 students who were either side of the amount. (Answer 151)

Michelle and Isabelle =150, Angus and Sierra= 152.

Last Friday I invited the winners over to make their own selection for a prize.

Enjoy your week,



Jane Clark, **Deputy Principal – Learning Enhancement**

Wellbeing News

Playtimes at school look fun, busy and engaging! Structured sports, pretend games, sandplay, downball, make believe, role playing, quiet chatting and even solitary reading- there is a huge range of ways children enjoy their leisure time. For our musicians there are lunch time band rehearsals with Mr West and for our Sports teams there are training sessions.

Some children prefer more structured activities during breaks-did you know there are lots of activities for your child to become involved in? Last term some enterprising students made their own paper plane making group and another child suggested starting a chess club- all great ways of ensuring student voice is considered in decision making.

Just a note on our Chess Club- if you have a spare or unwanted chess set at home we would welcome donations and if you are a chess player who would like to help teach children the game I would love to hear from you! Don't be shy!

Following is our current Term Two timetable- you may like to encourage your child to come along and try something new!

Monday- Builders and Traders Club (with Ms Meneely in Wellbeing Room)

Tuesday- Gardening Club (outside with Ms Page weather permitting)

Wednesday-Art Club (in the Art Room with Ms Molloy)

Wednesday- Coding Club Yr 4-6 (in Yr 6 Room with Ms Barclay)

Wednesday- Waste Warriors (outside with Ms Page weather permitting)

Wednesday- Chess Club (with Ms Meneely in Wellbeing Room)

Thursday-Teddy Bear Picnic and Reading (with Ms Meneely outside weather permitting)



Kind regards,

Christine Meneely, **Wellbeing Leader**

Sport/Physical Education News

After School Netball Good luck to all of the students participating in after school netball at Llanberris Netball Centre this term. We have 6 teams entered for the Tuesday Wednesday night competition made up of Yr 3/4 and Yr 5/6 students. Fixtures and all info has been sent to all teams.

Tryouts for Football and Netball Tryouts will be conducted this week and are open to all Year 5 and Year 6 students, boys and girls. We have 1 boys football team, 1 girls football team, 2 boys netball teams and 2 girls netball teams.

Tryouts for **Football** will be held this **Tuesday** at 1st break. This will be for girls and boys. Please bring sports shoes and

football boots if you have them.

Tryouts for **Netball** will be held in the gym this **Wednesday**. Tryouts for **Girls** will be at **1st break**, and **Boys** at **2nd break**. Please bring your sports shoes on Wednesday.

2023 Sports Dates

Term 2:

- Week 4 - Tuesday May 16th - Division AFL
- Week 5 - Wednesday May 24th - Division Netball
- Week 5 - Friday May 26th - Year 3 - 6 Athletics Carnival - Llanberris
- Week 6 - Monday May 29th - Regional Cross Country @ Warrnambool
- Week 6 - Friday Jun 2nd - Division Soccer
- Week 9 - Mon Jun 19, Tues Jun 20 & Mon Jun 21 - Golf Clinics (Yr 4/5/6)

SFX Football Jumpers, Singlets & Netball dresses/bibs If you have any SFX Football jumpers, singlets or netball dresses/bibs at home could you please return them to either Mr Down or Mr Carroll.

Have an awesome week.



Shaun Carroll, **SFX Sport Coordinator**

Performing Arts News



Dear families,

We are excited to announce that we will be hosting a series of Music Showcases on Monday the 19th, Tuesday the 20th and Wednesday the 21st of June (the last week of term 2) in the SFX gym.

These showcases will be a celebration of learning for every child. Your child will be involved in one of the above mentioned dates, and we will confirm which date as soon as possible. In the meantime, please mark these dates in your calendar!



Dan West, **Performing Arts Specialist**

Term 2 P&F Update:

Mother's Day Stall ; Monday the 8th, Tuesday the 9th and Wednesday the 10th of May.

Children can attend during first break:

Monday - Foundation to Grade 2

Tuesday - Grade 3 & Grade 4

Wednesday - Grade 5 & Grade 6

Gifts will be \$2,\$3 and \$5 (Maximum spend of \$5 per child.)We know how much the kids love picking something for their special person!

IGA Community rewards ;

During the month of May, our school will be participating in the IGA Community Rewards Program. Where possible please try and support the following supermarkets, Pleasant Street, Midvale Street and Northway and place your rewards tokens in the St. Francis Xavier Primary School box. (Please note the new Victoria Street Supermarket is not part of this program as yet.)

Hot Chocolates ;

We are once again offering hot chocolates with marshmallows for sale in the gym on Mondays for \$1.50 at first break.

We are again grateful to Inglenook Dairy for the generous donation of their delicious milk, Grounded Pleasures for the hot chocolate and So Soft Marshmallow Co for the yummy marshmallows! We require helpers (sorry no younger siblings due to OH&S)

<https://signup.com/go/EQWuAaB>

Hot Lunches ;

We are back ordering with Stewart's Bakery as our supplier and are so happy for them they have been able to re open. Orders need to be placed on Flexischools by 10am on Thursday. We are always in need of volunteers. Toddlers and younger siblings are most welcome in the gym.

<https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/9916281720121/false#/invitation>

Second hand uniform shop;

If you are wanting to inspect/purchase from the uniform shop, please fill out a slip at the front office and we can organise a time to meet you.

Parents and Friends meeting;

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday the 1st of June at 6pm in the staff rooms, all are welcome to attend.



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BUNINYONG 3357



▶ **ST ALIPIUS**
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BALLARAT EAST 3350



▶ **PARISH OFFICE**
84 VICTORIA ST
BALLARAT EAST 3350
PH 5332 6611
OPEN TUE – FRI
10.00 AM – 1.00 PM

7 May 2023

Fifth Sunday of Easter

I am the way, the truth and the life

St Alipius parish

ballarateast@ballarat.catholic.org.au

www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/parish/ballarata-east/

MASS TIMES

St Alipius

Monday to Friday 9.30 AM
Saturday 9.30 AM, 6.00 PM
Sunday 9.00 AM (1st, 3rd & 5th)
10.30 AM (2nd & 4th)

Ss Peter and Paul's

Sunday 9:00 AM (2nd & 4th)
10:30 AM (1st, 3rd & 5th)
Rosary – Thursday 11:00 AM

Mass and prayer resources

www.ballarat.catholic.org.au

Counting team 2 this week – 9:30 AM

PARISH VISION STATEMENT

THE COMBINED
COMMUNITIES OF ST ALIPIUS
PARISH REACH OUT IN THE
SPIRIT OF FAITH, HOPE,
LOVE, AND ACCEPTANCE, AS
GOD CALLS US TO IN THE
GOSPELS.

WE PRAY FOR

Faithfully departed:

Anniversaries: Brian Blood, Joan Blood, Michael Ryan

Unwell: Peter McLachlan, Sarah McLachlan

Our parish is committed to the safety, well-being, and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

We acknowledge this land's traditional owners and custodians and pay our respects to Elders past, present, and emerging.



Parish Priest
Fr Jorge Jr De Chavez, OSJ

Sacramental and Parish
Coordinator
Cathy Prunty

Administrative Assistant
Natalie Shannon

Parish Pastoral Council
Chair
David Morrison

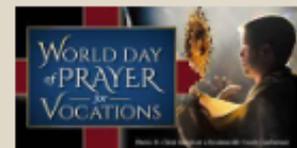
Finance Officer
Bernadette Prestwood

Finance Chair
Paul O'Beirne

Child Safety Officer
Emily Clarke

Liturgy Coordinator
Fr Jorge De Chavez, OSJ
www.sapliturgy.net.au

Funeral Ministry
Carmel Flynn
stalipiusfuneral@gmail.com



WELCOME FR ANTHONY

Fr Anthony Nagothu will join us for masses this weekend.

TERM TWO

We wish all staff and students in our parish schools all the best for term two. We hope that everyone had an enjoyable holiday and that the new term is successful and enjoyable for all.

STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM

Thank you to all parishioners who contribute to our stewardship program. Your support is appreciated.

Collection: *presbytery and priest support* – \$2,215
Envelopes, credit cards and direct debits: *parish buildings, office, admin, grounds maintenance* – \$696.40

VINNIES BREAD RUN

Vinnies volunteers provide bread to those in need each Monday between 7.30 and 8.00 PM. If this would benefit you or someone you know please visit the hall during this time. Please bring a bag to put the bread in.

CAR PARKING

In recent weeks, concerns have been raised about traffic safety on our church grounds. To ensure that everyone and everything is safe, please only park in allocated car parks. Be mindful of parking for the disabled and the raised garden beds near St Alipius Hall.

FIRST EUCHARIST

Preparation for the sacrament of First Eucharist has begun, with more than 100 children enrolled. As part of their preparation, the children will be presented at parish masses in the coming weeks. Please make them and their families feel welcome.

VINNIES RAFFLE

Please support the St Vincent's raffle by buying tickets at St Alipius this weekend. The prize is a beautiful rug made by Sr Angela.

OUR DIOCESAN COMMUNITY

The first edition of Our Diocesan Community for 2023 is available in the church foyers. Please share copies with those who would be interested in knowing about things that are happening across the diocese.

CORONATION PRAYER

Bishop Paul Bird CSsR offers the following prayer to mark the coronation of King Charles this coming weekend: *Let us pray for King Charles as he is anointed for his mission of service. May he serve with wisdom and courage. Loving God, hear us.*

PRAYING WITH THE POPE

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network (Apostleship of Prayer) is an international movement that is more than 170 years old. Each month, the Pope puts forward a prayer intention and asks Catholics around the world to join him in prayer. These intentions cover all areas of life, encouraging faith, renewing hope and calling us to loving service. 'The Pope Video' forms part of the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network – www.thepopevideo.org.

The Pope's intention for May - **For church movements and groups**: We pray for church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelisation each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

LAUDATO SI WEEK

From 21–28 May, Catholics are asked to celebrate the 8th anniversary of Pope Francis' encyclical *Laudato Si': On the Care of Creation*. The 2023 theme is "Hope for the Earth, Hope for Humanity" and is a time to reflect on the progress we have made in protecting our common home. To respond to the Pope's call, the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development, together with the Laudato Si' Movement and Catholic Earthcare Australia encourage people to view "The Letter: A Message for Our Earth". The documentary tells the stories of four representatives of those on the peripheries who are impacted by climate change and environmental destruction – the displaced, the youth, the indigenous communities and biodiversity – who are invited to speak with Pope Francis about their experiences and hopes for the future. The recipients of Pope Francis' invitation are a Muslim man from Senegal, a 13-year-old girl from India, an indigenous leader from Brazil and a husband/wife scientific team. Laudato Si' was an invitation not only to Catholics but to people of all faiths and the secular world to care for our world. This was demonstrated in the faith perspectives of those who were invited to speak to Pope Francis. The film and other resources can be accessed here: <https://laudatosiweek.org/>

PASTORAL PRACTITIONER

St John of God Hospital Ballarat is seeking a dedicated and committed Pastoral Practitioner to join their Pastoral Services Team in promoting and providing holistic pastoral services to patients and clients. Will require being on call 24 hours and weekends. For details, please visit <https://careers.sjog.org.au/jobs/pastoral-practitioner-ballarat-vic-australia-06dc0a14-9700-4e43-ae10-94850a1adcdf> or call Margaux Chant on 03 5329 2503.

COMMISSION NEWSLETTER

The Catholic Justice and Peace Commission, in collaboration with Evangelisation Brisbane, has released its newsletter in a new format at <http://cjpcbrisbane.com/>. The purpose is the research, analyse, reflect upon and respond to issues related to justice, peace and the environment, in light of the gospel and Catholic social teaching.

BAPTISMS

Sonny Jones

Child of Ashlea and Jacob Jones

Isla Eliannah Moloney

Child of Andrew Moloney and Ronafel Rico

The church gives faith to your children through Baptism, and you have the task to make it grow.

Pope Francis

PONDERING GRIEF WORKSHOP

Linda Espie, an experienced loss, grief and bereavement counsellor, is facilitating a workshop from 10:00 AM – 3:30 PM on Saturday, 20 May at the Heart of Life Centre for Spiritual and Pastoral Formation. Participants will reflect on and honour our inner life of change and transition. The cost is \$80 including the book *Pondering Grief*. BYO lunch. Visit www.heartoflife.melbourne, email info@heartoflife.melbourne or call 9890 1101.

VISITING PRIEST

Father Robert McCulloch will be in Ballarat on Monday 8 May and will offer mass at the Cathedral at midday. Fr McCulloch will give a presentation in the Mary Glowrey room immediately after mass and will provide an update on current events in Pakistan and beyond. A light lunch will be provided. Donation envelopes will be available. Entry – by donation. For enquiries call 0401 175 045.

CATHOLIC EARTHCARE

Catholic Earthcare Australia is hosting an online action event from 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM on Wednesday, 17 May. Participants will engage in ten actions, inspired by *Laudato Si'*, that they can do from home, to bring forth integral ecology and care for creation. Bookings via <https://www.trybooking.com/CHVPE>

MARY MACKILLOP CENTRE

Visit the Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre in East Melbourne during the Australian Heritage Festival Open Day, on Saturday 13 May. Explore the museum, take a guided tour, and enjoy a cuppa with a Sister of St Joseph. For more information or to book a tour, visit www.mmhc.org.au/australian-heritage-festival-open-day/

BENDIGO REUNION

Past students at St Vincent's College Bendigo and their partners are invited to attend our 65th Anniversary and Sports Hall of Fame Dinner on Saturday, 20 May, followed by Mass and BBQ at Catherine McAuley College on Sunday, 21 May. Contact Tim Coates at 0407 403 574 or timothycoates@gmail.com or visit the website www.cmc.vic.edu.au/st-vincent-college-hall-of-fame-2021/?_ppp=53d418e120

CWL REFLECTION DAY

The Catholic Women's League Ballarat Diocese Committee invites you to a reflection day at St Mary's Warracknabeal on Wednesday 24 May starting with 10:30 AM mass, followed by lunch and a guest speaker. For enquiries, please contact Frances on 0458 317 815 or Carmel on 0401 175 045.

ACU ONLINE COURSE

The Australian Catholic University is offering a four-week online training program to foster and develop the skills of new and existing Ministers of the Word. Open to all community members, the program features quality liturgical content and practical exercises. For info, visit: www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/institutes-academies-and-centres/acu-centre-for-liturgy/pastoral-training

CENSUS DATA

A new National Centre for Pastoral Research report provides a comprehensive snapshot of the millions of people who identified as Catholic in the 2021 Australia Census. Read more at the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference Media Blog <https://mediablog.catholic.org.au/new-report-reveals-makeup-of-australian-catholic-population/#more-9486>

Reflection on the Gospel

Veronica Lawson RSM

Fifth Sunday of Easter: John 14:1–14

"Take from my heart all painful anxiety" is a gospel inspired prayer. It is the prayer of Catherine McAuley, the first Sister of Mercy. Like Jesus, Catherine knew in her being that a troubled heart is always a possibility. When we don't have any serious concerns in the present, we are often anxious about the future. There is a difference, of course, between having concerns and having a troubled heart. The difference lies in how we deal with the inevitable problems and challenges that come our way. If ever there was a time with potential for troubled hearts, it is right now as we deal with extreme weather events, with the divisions in the community over justice for First Nations Peoples, with increasing wealth disparity, with the ongoing Coronavirus pandemic and with the impact of long Covid.

Freedom from anxiety is the constant message of the gospels. "Do not let your hearts be troubled" is Jesus' word to his friends in John's gospel. The verb, here in passive mood ("be troubled"), is used of Jesus' spirit when he finds his friend Mary and her companions weeping over the

death of Lazarus (11:33). It means literally to shake or to stir up. Jesus is really shaken by grief in that situation. As he faces his own death, he does not want his friends to be troubled of heart or spirit. He speaks here from his own experience.

Let us not underestimate the power of prayer at this time of distress

Jesus shows the way to an untroubled heart: "Believe into God, believe also into me." The faith of the disciples is to be grounded in his care for them both in the present and into the future: "I go to prepare a place for you... I will come again and will take you to myself". In this context, Jesus makes three claims: "I am the way, and the truth, and the life." The prologue to the gospel, which functions as an overture to the gospel, has introduced the notion of the Incarnate Word as "full of grace and truth" and the bringer of "grace and truth" (1:14, 17). The Word is the life that is the light of all (1:4), the bread of life, even the resurrection and the life. Jesus'



claim to be "the way" is foreshadowed in the parable of the gate: "I am the gate for the sheep (10:7)."

If the disciples know Jesus, then they also know the way to God whom Jesus images in tender parental terms as "Father". If Philip does not believe in their mutual indwelling, then maybe he can believe on account of the "works" of Jesus, works that are also the works of God. Those who believe have the power to do these and even greater works. This seems extraordinary but is really a matter of believing with untroubled hearts that the power comes from God. Let us not underestimate the power of prayer at this time of distress and the power of action, no matter how small, to help those whose hearts are troubled.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ACTS 6:1–7
1 PETER 2:4–9
JOHN 14:1–12

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ACTS 8:5–8, 14–17
1 PETER 3:15–18
JOHN 14:15–21

ASSEMBLY AWARDS 5th May 2023 Host Class 6ZA

Theme: JUSTICE Justice means making things fair for everyone by making positive changes when we notice injustice.
We act for justice because Jesus shows us how to include others and to use our actions to make change.

Foundation:	F LH: Isla Easton and Remy Hansen F TW: Oscar Martin & Ruby Miles F GJ: Billie Dodd and Ted Gleeson F MM: Harriet Howard & Greyson Broadbent
1 JS	Jax Lodge & Cooper Roberts
1 MM	Alfie Heywood & Lachy Just
1 EM	Mathias Tuffen and Vivienne Young
2 EH	Macie Lloyd and Alora Warren
2 CJ	James Cyples and Mackenzie Donnelly
2 GH	Kade Swayn and Paddy Ludbrook
3 NM	Xavier Morris and Sadie Buntsma
3 JVG	Christian Wright and Evie Answer
3 GW	Eliza Simpson, Kayden Finley
4 BW	Hudson Rowland and Claudia Cochrane
4 HC	Margot Castles and James Hocking
4 CP	Ivy Miles and Hudson McGrath
5 JF	Laura Bodnar & Sahara Henjak
5 OH	Mannix Treacy & Morgan Morley
5 CC	Milla Alford and Rahui Munokoa
6 PB	Cooper Downes and Sophie Millington
6 MM	Xavier Staley and Olivia Green
6 ZA	Louis Britt & Ella Lunn
Environmental Education	Leighton Troon, 2EH - <i>for using his initiative to patiently assist his peers who were in need during E.E. lessons, helping them with ICT issues, so that they felt included and capable of completing their learning task.</i>
Performing Arts	Sam Norris - for helping children learn the ukulele
Visual Arts	Milla Alford and Beau Hansen (6CC)
Physical Education	Xavier Kersley, Ivy Reus
Principal's Award	Ivy Pearce. Ivy was recently competing in the Cross Country races. As she was coming into the home straight, she saw another girl who was obviously in distress. Ivy went over to the girl to see if she was OK. It turns out the girl was suffering from an Asthma attack. Ivy stayed with the girl until the first aiders arrived. She sacrificed her own race to help someone else.