



St Catherine of Siena

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NEWSLETTER

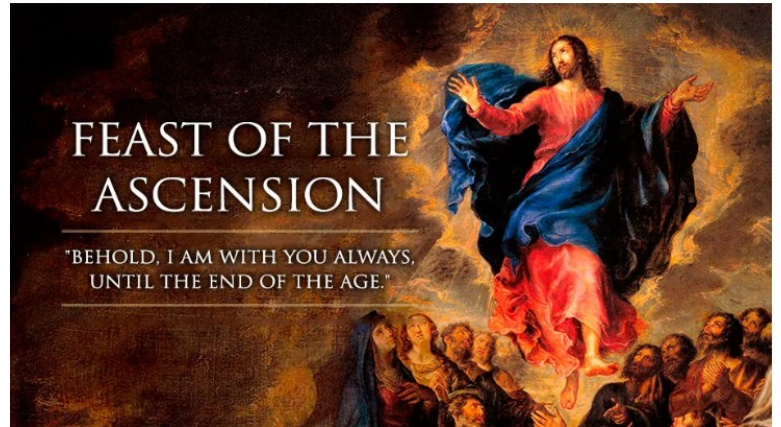
Term 2, Week 5 27th May 2022

The Feast of the Ascension is the fortieth day after Easter Sunday, which commemorates the Ascension of Christ into heaven.

Let us Pray

Dear Lord Jesus Christ, Right before your Ascension into heaven you told your apostles to be His witnesses to the ends of the earth upon receiving the Holy Spirit. May we also be inspired to spread your Gospel message in all we say, think and do, according to your will for me.

Amen



Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week we had a child who was not picked up at the end of the day and we were unable to contact either parent and the residential address was not correct. It is important that we have your current phone numbers, address and emergency contacts and that you are able to answer the phone when we call. You can imagine the anxiety of this child as they waited an extremely long time to be picked up by their family.

There are a number of children who wait at the lake in the park to be picked up. These children are essentially unsupervised while they are waiting, and some are waiting for a long time. Children around water unsupervised is a dangerous combination, so any children waiting in this area without a parent present will be brought back to the school gates where they can be supervised by staff on duty until they are picked up. Children not picked up by 3:30pm when duty finishes will be taken into the school office where they can be collected. In this way we can all be confident that all children are safe and supervised while waiting to be picked up. I ask that all parents who have asked their children to wait in this area instruct their children to wait at the school pick up points where they can be supervised, thank you in advance for your co-operation in this.

We are currently accepting enrolments for 2023. To be eligible for Prep in 2023 children need to turn 5 before the end of April 2023. If any families have children currently at kinder who will be attending school in 2023 please pick up an enrolment pack from the office and return this with your child's birth certificate, immunisation certificate and Baptism certificate as soon as possible. Interviews for 2023 enrolments will begin on Tuesday, 31st May. Your child is expected to attend these interviews with you.

Have a lovely weekend everyone

Carmel Marantelli
PRINCIPAL





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Mass Times - St Dominic's

Thursday - Friday : 9.15am

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Year 1 Excursion to Westlake

On Wednesday the Year 1's went on an excursion to Westlakes. They were looking at natural and built features for their Inquiry unit. They found natural features like trees, bushes, grass and a lake. The built features they found were bridges, pathways and the playground (their favourite part)



Scholastic Book Club

Issue 4 of the Scholastic Book Club has been sent home with all students. All orders must be submitted **ONLINE** by Friday, 9th June.

No late orders can be accepted.



Police Visit

On Thursday, 19th May the police came and talked to us about being safe and taught us all the things they do for our community. If you get lost you can call the police. The number is 000.

When the police visited us they showed us the police car and we got to put the siren on. The sirens make loud noises when there is something going on. If there is trouble somewhere and there is traffic the sirens are really loud so that every single car, everywhere, can hear that the police are coming and they will make way for the police.

The police showed us all the things that they use when they are working, like handcuffs. We learnt how to do the salute and we practised marching like the police. We got to go in the police car and there were lots of important buttons that we weren't allowed to touch, but they used the radio to call the special police at the police station and they said "Good morning grade Preps from St Catherine's!"

Our favourite parts were:

When the police said hello to us.

I loved the bit where they let us into the police car because we got to put on the sirens!

I liked when we did the salute!

I liked taking the photos with the police!





Prep Police visit



Year 1 Inquiry Excursion to Westlakes





CANTEEN OPEN!!

The canteen will reopen
Monday, 30th May
Lunch orders and over the
counter sales available



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the following children who all received a class award this week.
These awards have been presented to children at school today.
Keep up the terrific effort!!

Prep A - Mathias Kalutha

3L - Sean Magro & Dhieu Yel

Prep B - Mayom Anhiany

3M - Abishai Lue

Prep C - Zayne Kandhol

4Q - Sarah Lieba

Prep D - Isaiah Archer & Peyton-Ivy Fifita

4S - River Young

1E - Victoria Kiir

4U - Whole Class

1F - Zakaria Alumbulwa

5R - Whole Class

1H - Monica Abraham

5T - Aurora Archer

2G - Nathaniel Ah-Kee Tagalao

5V - AJ Leota-Seiuli Seufatu

2I - Alison Sepulveda

6O - Anon Garang

2K - Aleth Anhiany

Camp - Madison Griffith, Vee Schwartz &
Jessica Cardamone

3J - Ivo Juresic

Term 2, 2022

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
30 Week 6	31 *Sibling Story Time @ 2:30pm *Prep 2023 Interviews	1 *Prep 2023 Interviews	2 *Prep 2023 Interviews	3	4	5 Pentecost Sunday
6 Week 7	7 *Sibling Story Time @ 2:30pm *Year 4 excursion	8 *Prep 2023 Interviews	9	10 *Prep 2023 Interviews	11	12
13 Week 8 Queens Birthday Public Holiday School Closed	14 *Sibling Story Time @ 2:30pm	15	16	17	18 First Communion Year 4	19
20 Week 9	21 *Sibling Story Time @ 2:30pm	22	23	24 Last day of term, children finish at 1:30pm	25	26
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9