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## NEWSLETTER 25 July 2016

Living our faith through our actions

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Welcome back to school! It was so nice to hear how excited students were to be back at school. We welcome Harper and Charm to Room 1. We also welcome their families to the school community. We hope you love being part of St Anne's.

#### **Important news #1:**

**Students:** St Anne's Feast Day— Could your child please bring a plate to share tomorrow for lunch. Each class will have a shared lunch within their rooms. They should still bring their own morning tea though. Please aim for anything that can be shared and aim to be healthy (No chips, lollies or fizzy etc.)

**Parents/Grandparents:** There is also a shared lunch happening in the Hall for the parish, parents/grandparents etc. You are welcome to attend this. It will start around 12.45pm after the Feast Day Mass at 12pm.

**Lost Property**: Unnamed and odd clothing will be out on display after school for the next two days and will be available for a gold coin donation on Wednesday.

#### **Important news #2:**

Student led conferences are coming up next week for Yrs 4-8 on Wednesday and Thursday (Yrs 1-3 are on anniversaries). Instructions are below but it is a first in, first served basis. If you cannot access the internet to book, please call the office to get a time.

STUDENT LED CONFERENCES (PLP) YEARS 4—6

Wednesday, 3 August 3.15pm to 5.15pm 5.45pm to 7.45pm

Thursday 4 August 3.15pm to 4.45pm 5.00pm to 6.00pm

The booking website will open Monday, 25 July at 5:00 PM, and will close Thursday, 4 August at 9:00 AM.

- 1. Go to parentinterviews.co.nz, enter the event code **DZMPB** and click Go.
- 2. Enter your name, email address and the names of the students you wish to make bookings for.
- 3. Select the teachers you'd like to book by ticking the checkbox beside their name, and then click the Book Interviews button at the bottom of the page.
- 4. Using the timetable, click the Book button beside the time slot you'd like to book for the teacher. You'll be asked to confirm your booking.
- 5. Continue until you've booked all teachers.

Once you're finished, you can view your timetable by clicking My Interviews at the top of the page. You can also print a PDF timetable to take to your interviews.

Before your interviews, you'll receive an email reminder containing your timetable. If you need to cancel an interview, you can do so by following the link in the email you received when you first signed up.

God Bless

Dallas Wichman—Principal

#### COMING EVENTS

#### July

26 St Anne's Feast Day mass 12noon.

#### August

- 1-6 Cook Islands Language Week
  - 2 Altar Servers Lunch PFA meeting 2.30-3.30pm
- 3 Winter Tournament Yrs 5-8 Student Led Conferences Yrs 4-8
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- 5 Olympics commence
- 14 Rms 1 & 2 Parish Mass 10am
- 17 BOT meeting 7pm



### Special Character

In the next few weeks we will look at different Corporal works of Mercy.

The first is "Feed the hungry".

In the prayer that Jesus taught us, the Our Father, we say, "Give us this day our daily bread."

With these words we ask God to provide for our material needs, those things that help us live each day. As we pray, we ask for ourselves and intercede for everyone. We are united to those who are suffering and recognise the needs of our neighbour. If we want to carry out this first work of mercy, prayer alone is not enough. We need to share 'our daily bread' with others. A person may need physical food. They may also be hungry for love and support and understanding.

Who are you called to 'feed' this week?

Feed the Hungry suggestion— Donate staple food items to the Parish food baskets



739 Ferry Road, Woolston
Sunday 18th September 2016

11.30am - 2.00pm

Mystery Bottles SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Clothing

LRAFT5

Games

alloon Coffee BAKING & SWEETS

Cultural Foods White Elephant
GARDENING Books Face Painting

Lucky Envelopes Raffles TOYS

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NEW Non Perishable Donations Wanted Please for the St Anne's Fair in September

We are looking for your help to donate any of the following items for the St Anne's School Fair.

Donations of Vouchers, toiletry items, toys, games, crafts, homewares, sporting goods, stationary, small appliances, etc would be fantastic.

These items will be used in raffles and prizes for the Lucky Envelopes.

We need these donations to make the St Anne's fair a successful day as they will play a huge part in making the fair successful for our students.

We have a Google Document available for parents and friends in the community to add ideas, support and availability to help. If you would like to receive a link to this document please contact Penny, Jasmine or Dallas with your email address.

Thank you Parents & Friends Committee

# **Friday Lunches**



SAUSAGE ROLLS \$2.00 EACH

#### WE ALSO SELL

Mince, Mince & Cheese, Steak, Steak & Cheese & Cottage PIES also ... Butter Chicken Wraps (all \$3.00 each)

Order before 9.00am at school on Friday Mornings from Room 7, delivered to your class hot for lunch.