



ST ANNE'S

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NEWSLETTER

21 Pipiri 2017 (June)

Well done!

Thanks and well done to Mr Halkett and the students of Room 4 for their leadership at Saturday night's Mass.

Why Saturday?

A few of the students asked why Mass is on a Saturday night as well as Sunday when Sunday is our rest day or Sabbath. Jesus was a Jew and rested on the Saturday like Jews still do, as this is the last day of the week. Seventh Day Adventists do the same.

Why Sunday for us? This is easy, Jesus changed everything. His resurrection on a Sunday made Sunday such a special day. With Peter and the popes after him having the 'keys' or control, they moved it to a Sunday to show the importance of the Easter event. Some people now have Saturday as a rest day and Sunday as a Holy Day.

Whatever is done, the key is one day to spend with your family and in thanksgiving. Our Church promotes Sundays and our Church links directly back to St Peter and Jesus so that is why we have confidence that although Jesus rested and worshipped on a Saturday, we can do this on a Sunday.

Anyway, that didn't answer the Saturday night question.

These days our days end at midnight, which back in the days without clocks would be impossible! What would be possible is to start or end a day with the sun rise/fall. That is exactly how it happened in Jesus' (Jewish) time. When the sun went down, bang, that was the end of the day, and the start of the new day. When you come out of Mass on a Saturday night it is dark, using this same timeframe it is Sunday. Saturday night is therefore Sunday. (I know daylight savings ruins this but Churches don't like changing start times every week). This is also why some cultures open Christmas presents (a few) on Christmas eve, because it is Christmas when the sun goes down. Anyway, there's your history lesson for the week!

Health Survey

If you haven't received this yet via e-mail, it is most likely due to us not having your most up to date address. Please call us to confirm this so you can participate. If you don't have e-mail a paper copy will be in the office. If this could be done by Monday 26th June, that would be great.

Thursday-Friday

I am away at a conference in Wellington, Cathy French will be acting principal in my absence.

God Bless

Dallas Wichman, Principal

COMING EVENTS

June

- 21 BOT meeting 6-7pm staffroom
- 22 Y5/6 Basketball Court 1 3.30pm
- 23 Rm 3 Assembly 9am
Y5—8 Hagley Sport 1.15pm
- 27 Y7/8 Basketball 4.30pm Court 2
- 28 Rm 2 Mass 9.15am
- 29 Y5/6 Basketball Cowles Stadium
- 30 Assembly Rm 5
Y5—8 Hagley Sport 1.15pm

July

- 3 PFA raffle tickets and money due back
- 4 Y7/8 Basketball Cowles Stadium
PFA meeting 7-8pm Library
Raffle draw
- 5 Rm 1 Mass 9.15am
- 7 Y5—8 Hagley Sport 1.15pm

Last Day of Term 2

TERM 3 STARTS MON, 24 JULY, 9AM

The most up to date calendar is the St Anne's Parent Calendar on our website or via Google Calendars

Special Character

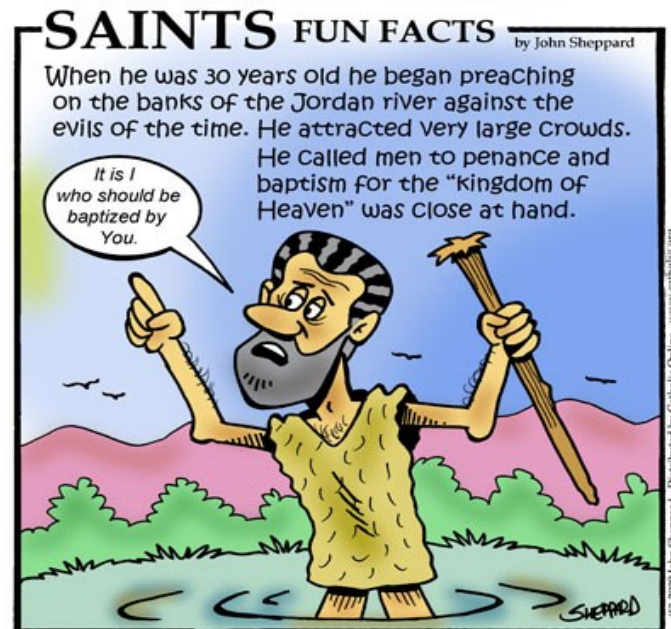
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<u>Sat 24 June</u>	<u>Sun 25 June</u>
Samoaotearoa F	Krystal J
James E	Sabrina L

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST - John the Baptist was a contemporary of Christ who was known for evangelization and his baptizing of Jesus Christ.

John the Baptist was born through the intercession of God to Zachariah and Elizabeth. John began public ministry around 30 AD, and was known for attracting large crowds across the province of Judaea and around the Jordan River. Pope Francis invites all of us to evangelize by our word and deeds, witnessing to the Gospel of Jesus Christ. John the Baptist's feast day is June 24th.

Did you know that our diocesan patron saint is St John the Baptist!



John the Baptist

SCHOOL LUNCHES

TUESDAY - Sushi (Order Monday 9am)
WEDNESDAY - Subway (order by 9am)
FRIDAY - Pies (order by 9am)

Option details can be viewed on the Foyer notice board; on St Anne's Facebook page and online at www.stannes.co.nz.

Great work.

Keep up the effort !

Rubbish free lunch boxes

help to keep our school clean and



Winter Raffle Fundraiser

St Anne's Parents & Friends Association are currently fundraising for the End of year fun day for all our pupils and their families.
Please support us by selling raffles that have been kindly donated to our school.

Please return tickets to school by Monday 3rd July. Drawn 4th of July 2017 **\$2.00 per ticket**

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	2 nd Prize - \$50.00 Voucher The Twisted Hop Woolston	
	4 th Prize – Voucher Mini Putt Family Pass Ferrymead Golf	
	6 th Prize – Voucher OohLaLa Hairdressing	
	8 th , 9 th 10 th Prizes Voucher - Family Pass Flipout	

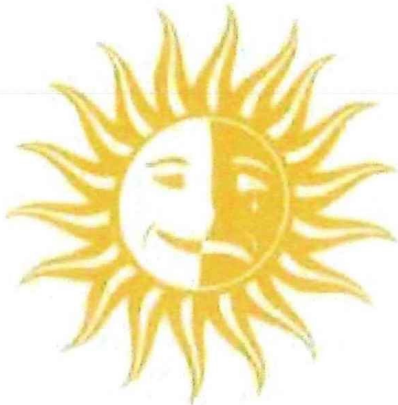
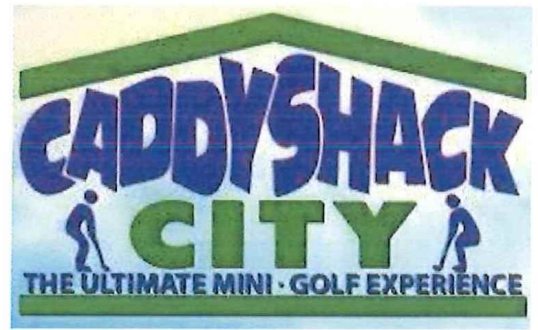
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