



# St Anne's Catholic School

WOOLSTON

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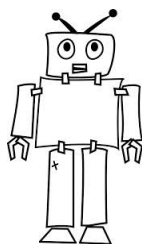
## THOUGHTS

Our sympathy is extended to Marian Jones on the death of her mother, Doreen Mende. Marian attended our Parish & School Mass on Sunday and was saying how much you the St Anne's community have been kind and supportive during her ongoing illness. On her behalf I thank you.

Our Sunday Mass with the baptism of seven pupils and First Holy Communion of nine was one of the highlights of my time at St Anne's. The sense of a worshipping community welcoming new members to the Catholic family was a joy to see. Thanks for your support and witness to the importance of our Catholic faith.

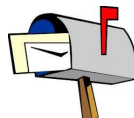
Kind regards

*Peter Callanan* (Principal)



## TECHNOLOGY EXPO SYSTEMS

Tomorrow, Thursday, from 2.00-3.00pm you are invited to visit all the classes to see what they have done for the Technology Challenge this term.



## Mufti Day This Thursday, 27 November.

Each class is asked to bring an item for a Christmas Hamper Raffle. Tickets to sell have been printed on the back of this newsletter. 50c per ticket. More tickets are available at the office. Tickets and money need to be returned to the school office a.s.a.p. The raffle will be drawn at the school picnic on Friday 12 December.

Thanks for your support.

**Parents & Friends Assn**

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| <b>Rm 1</b> Cans/Jars of food or Xmas Item | <b>Rm 4</b> Novelty or Xmas Item            |
| <b>Rm 2</b> Laundry, Bathroom or Xmas Item | <b>Rm 5</b> Cans/Bottled Drink or Xmas Item |
|  | <b>Rm 6</b> Biscuits, Snacks or Xmas Item   |

## COMING EVENTS

### NOVEMBER

- 27 Mufti Day  
Technology Expo
- 28 JNS Assembly  
Assembly & Mass Rm 6

### DECEMBER

- 3 Canty Athletics Champs
- 4 Mufti Day
- 5 Mr C's farewell
- 8 Yr 8 leavers Dinner
- 11 Rm 4 & 5 class trip  
Yr 8 Retreat
- 12 School Picnic
- 15 Prize Giving Mass
- 16 Rm 1 & 2 Christmas Concert  
2.15pm
- 17 School Finishes following final  
assembly 11-12noon

### 2015 Term Dates (Amended)

- Term 1 **Mon 2 Feb** - Thur 2 April
- Term 2 **Mon 20 April** - Fri 3 July
- Term 3 **Mon 20 July** - Fri 25 Sept
- Term 4 **Mon 12 Oct** - Wed 16 Dec

## Altar Servers

Sat 29 Nov 6.00pm

1. Ethan Stott
2. Zana Solodi

Sun 30 Nov 10.30am

1. Marie Leala
2. Immaculate Leala
3. Christian Leala

## JUNIOR NEIGHBOURHOOD SUPPORT

Andréa Haberfeld will be at our school assembly on Friday to give out awards. We look forward to her last visit.

## Sunday 23 November

### GOSPEL READING - Matt 25:31-46

Last Sunday we celebrated the feast of Christ the King. The Gospel reading reminded us that at the end of time, this king will come in glory to judge the living and the dead. He will ask how we treated the hungry and thirsty, the stranger, the naked, those sick or in prison.

#### REFLECTION AND ACTION

We might find that we didn't see Jesus when we encountered someone who needed our time. Instead we saw the backlog of our work needing to be done. On a day when parenthood seemed particularly difficult we didn't see Jesus in a child who needed an expression of our love. But we might also find that that we didn't see Jesus in the person who gave us wise advice; or the person who arrived just when we needed help, or the relative who took the children out and provided some much needed space; or the boss who told us to go home early because we had a cold.

## Faith Facts

Pope Francis invites us all to share the joy of God's gift of the Gospel to others. The quotes this term will be from the beginning pages of Apostolic Exhortation of Pope Francis –***Evangelii Gaudium, the Joy of the Gospel***

A reminder that the entire document can be found at - <http://vatican.va/evangelii-gaudium/en/index.html>

**Memory is a dimension of our faith** which we might call “deuteronomic”, not unlike the memory of Israel itself. **Jesus leaves us the Eucharist as the Church's daily remembrance of, and deeper sharing in, the event of his Passover** (cf. Lk 22:19). The joy of evangelising always arises from grateful remembrance: it is a grace which we constantly need to implore. (EG 13)

### Baptism and First Holy Communion at Parish & School Mass.

Congratulations to all the children who were baptised and made their First Holy Communion last Sunday. May they always remember God's love for them. Please pray for the children and their families. Laverton, Letone and Salu Loto, Gracyn and Ashlyn Hensley-Smith, and Naomi-Claire and Noella Lene.

Sam Osborn, Jordan Moase and Charlie Taylor will also be making their First Holy Communion.

