



Term 2 Week 2 - 9 May

Term 1 Core Value:	Compassion
School Rule:	We show compassion for our self, others and the environment when we...
Expectation of Behaviour:	Speak and act with kindness

Dear Parents

Thank you to all the helpers and to those who attended our Mother's Day celebration this morning. It was an enjoyable event as children and mum's, with a sprinkling of other special visitors, enjoyed the sunshine and delicious breakfast. The school bands and choir entertained our mum's and then the school Mass was indeed a beautiful liturgy of thanks for the gift of our mothers.

*Our blessing song for you we sing from our hearts
We thank our God for you
for the gift that you are*

*And we pray now that the seed
of his love may grow in your heart
and as you grow may you always know
how precious you are in the eyes of our God.*

*May his face smile on you bringing joy to you
and as you grow may you always know
how precious you are
in the eyes of our God*

Next week all students NAPLAN assessments in literacy and numeracy will take place for all students in Year 3 and Year 5. Please ensure that your child attends for Language Conventions and Writing on Tuesday 15 May, Reading on Wednesday 16 May and Numeracy on Thursday 17 May. Friday 18 May is a catch up day and is the only other day assessments may be taken for students who miss an assessment.



Kind regards

Mrs Suellen Garey

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A Mother's Prayer

Dear Lord,
It's such a hectic day,
with little time to stop and pray.
For life's been anything but calm,
since You called me to be a mom -
Running errands, matching socks,
Building dreams with stacking blocks.
Cooking, cleaning and finding shoes,
and other things that children lose.
Fitting lids on bottled bugs,
wiping tears and giving hugs.
A stack of last week's mail to read -
where's the quiet time I need?
Yet, when I steal a moment, Lord,
at the sink or ironing board,
to ask the blessing of Your grace,
I see then, in my little one's face,
that you have blessed me all the while.
And I stoop to kiss that precious smile.

-Unknown

Wishing all our mum's and grandmother's a very special Mother's Day.

The Walk of the Year of the Youth

The parish is organising the Walk of the Year of Youth which is scheduled for Saturday 12 May starting at the crack of dawn (5.45am sharp) and will commence from Governor Phillip Park (meet at the very north end of the parking area) at Palm Beach to Barrenjoey Lighthouse to watch the sunrise and then back to the park to enjoy breakfast together. Please bring along picnic blanket. If you are not up for the walk, you can still join us for breakfast. Registration on www.trybooking.com/VMYO Tickets: \$5. U16 must be accompanied by an adult. Adults: \$15 walk and breakfast or just breakfast

Parent Retreat 18-19 May

Following the success of an inaugural Parent Retreat Day last year, the CSO is offering two more Parent Retreats this year, one at Pymble in May and another on the Central Coast later in the year. The May retreat will be offered at Canisius Centre, 102 Mona Vale Rd, Pymble. Fri 18 May (6.30-8.30pm) & Sat 29 May (9am-4pm). Cost: \$30 payable on the Saturday. (Option to stay overnight at Canisius at participant's cost). This retreat is pitched to women, but men are welcome! Bookings:

sallyanne.butel@dbb.catholic.edu.au. More information can be found at the following link:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1LGv9Yp-9vWQZTYuoyZWl3mPLkBEcEs_K/view

Dates to Remember

Year 2 Class Mass Wednesday 16 May at 9:15am Sacred Heart Church

First Communion Reflection Afternoon Mater Maria Saturday 26 May from 1:30-4:30

First Communion 16-17 June at Sacred Heart Church

Prayers

Please keep in your prayers Mick P, Paul C (parents) and their families.
Both are undergoing specialist medical care.

If you have any Good News or if you need our prayers, please see me at school, contact me by phone.

Chris McBryde - Religious Education Coordinator

PARISH WEEKLY BULLETIN can be found [here](#)



ENROLMENT 2019

Enrolments for Kindergarten 2019 **close on 31 May 2018**. If you are intending to enrol your child, could you please complete the paperwork sent home last term. A reminder that the Sibling Parent Information night will be held on Tuesday 12 June 2018 at 7pm. At least one parent should attend this session.

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A reminder to families of years 3 and 5 , NAPLAN is next week – **15-17th May 2018**. Please ensure these dates are in your diaries and that your children are promptly at school on these days as the assessment time frames start in the morning block.

Lunchtime Clubs

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Lunchtime clubs have commenced and the children are enjoying the opportunities these clubs provide.

Lunch Clubs Roster Term 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Library (K-6)  Italian  With Mrs Brown and Mrs Corniani (1N)	Library (K-6)  Choir Club With Ms McFadden in the hall 	Origami  with Miss Quinlan (KQ)	

Wool Donations

We are seeking any wool you may have lying around the house so we can start a pom pom making club next term. The pom poms that the children make will then contribute to decorating the friendship tree at the end of the year.

All donations will be appreciated - please leave them with Karen in the office.



Winter Uniforms



A reminder that Winter Uniform starts from next Monday, 14 May.

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday from all at Sacred Heart to the following students who are celebrating their birthday this week:

Harrison D,

Frankie M,

Illuka O,

Kayla R



Kiss & Drop Morning Volunteers

The morning Kiss and Drop Zone ensures that students arrive to school safely. We could not do this without our wonderful volunteers. If you would like to be added to the Kiss and Drop Roster please email Rebecca Molinaro at becmolinaro@outlook.com

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		9 May	10 May	11 May
		Mother's Day B'fast	Amber L	Georgina D
14 May	15 May	16 May	17 May	18 May
Melinda B	Karissa M	Tatiana N	Jasmine R	Eloise C
21 May	22 May	23 May	24 May	25 May
Rebecca M	Leonie S	Georgina D	Amber L	Kellie C

Canteen News



A big thank you to all those volunteers and co-ordinators, who assisted with the Mother's Day Breakfast, both yesterday in preparation and serving today. We are blessed to have such committed volunteers who gave their valuable time to ensure the this was, again, a very special event for our Sacred Heart children. Special thanks also to the Lee Family from Hong Kong Restaurant Newport for their very generous donation.

CANTEEN ROSTER (start 9.30am - finish 1.45pm)	
Mon 14 May	Sally W, Karissa M
Thu 17 May	Monique F, Keira L, Trish B, Leanne K
Fri 18 May	Danielle C, Jackie B, Kirsten W

Thank you,
Kay and Marie

[Term 2 2018 Roster](#)

Kay & Marie – Canteen Coordinators

Please feel free to contact us via email at: sshmv.canteen@dbb.catholic.edu.au

Sport News

Polding Netball

Congratulations to Lacey C who recently attended the Polding Netball Winter Trials in Tamworth. Lacey has been selected in the Polding team, which is a wonderful achievement. Lacey will represent Polding at Homebush in August.

Stephanie Munro – Sports Co-Ordinator

Mothers Day

The children had a great time choosing their Mother's Day gift and the breakfast was enjoyed by all. The photos show the excitement queuing up for their turn! Thank you to all our lovely Mother's Day volunteers – it was no mean feat preparing the stalls.



Cadbury Chocolate Drive – Sacred Heart Fundraiser

The Chocolate Drive is going along very well, with a number of boxes sold, the money returned and even second boxes requested! This is our main fundraiser so the more chocolates sold, the more we can give back to the school.



Amanda Lewis / Grant Howard
(Co-Presidents)

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Brigidine College
St Ives



open day

Thursday 10 May 3.30pm - 6.00pm

325 Mona Vale Rd, St Ives

*There is a spirit at Brigidine
worth experiencing*

Register online at
brigidine.nsw.edu.au



Brigidine College
St Ives



We invite you to join our Open Day for an impressive showcase of activities, tours, performances and interactive exhibits.

Experience our Performing Arts and Science Centre for Music, Dance, Drama and STEM.

Explore our new student focused spaces that inspire learning.

Discover the extensive opportunities available.



*fortiter et suaviter
strength and gentleness*

We inspire girls to value learning, to be true to themselves and to honour their spiritual heritage.

We challenge young women to act in the world with strength and gentleness.

