

# St Joseph's School



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## Newsletter

### Week 10 Term 1 2012

#### IMPORTANT DATES

**Thu 5 April - 11.00am Holy Week Assembly & Learning Journals to go home– Last day of Term.**

#### **TERM 2**

**Mon 23 April & Tue 24 April PUPIL FREE DAYS**

**Wed 25 April ANZAC DAY HOLIDAY**

**Thu 26 April Students begin school  
4.30pm Board Meeting**

**Fri 27 April**

**Sat 28 April 5.00pm Communion Service**

#### EASTER SUNDAY

Easter is the most important festival in the Catholic Calendar. It celebrates the resurrection from the dead of Jesus three days after he was executed. The Easter Story is at the heart of Christianity.



*Dear Families*

*An early Newsletter this week as today is the last day for our Kindy students. What a fantastic finish to the term with many of our parents spending the day at school yesterday with Miss June (BluEarth) & Miss Grace (PACE) who brought along some tasty sausages for Mr Clay to cook on the barbecue. We will be finishing each term, this year, with a Family Day to celebrate all the fantastic things the students have been involved with, so keep the last Monday of each term free! Last Tuesday we celebrated St Joseph's Day with a Communion Service in the Church followed by some fun activities. The Year 3/4 students led the Service and Deacon Frank was very impressed with the children's magnificent singing. Thank you to all staff members who played a part in organizing the day. This term has been full of many wonderful learning opportunities and the students have worked very hard in the classrooms to produce their very best work. A reminder that this Thursday, the last day of term, we will be holding our special Easter Assembly at 11.00am in the undercover area, followed by morning tea. We encourage all families to come along to celebrate with us. The students will be taking home their Learning Journals, so please take the time to enjoy and celebrate with your child, all he/she has achieved this term.*

*God Bless & keep safe over the Easter break.*

*Miss Andrea*



#### EASTER PRAYER

God, give us eyes to see the beauty of the Spring  
And to behold Your majesty in every living thing  
And may we see in lacy leaves and every budding flower  
The Hand that rules the universe with gentleness and power  
And may this Easter grandeur that Spring lavishly imparts  
Awaken faded flowers of faith lying dormant in our hearts,  
And give us ears to hear, dear God, the Springtime song of birds  
With messages more meaningful than man's often empty words  
Telling harried human beings who are lost in dark despair  
Be like us and do not worry for God has you in His care  
AMEN

#### CANTEEN AND UNIFORM OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Thank you to the parents who have followed up on my request from last week and have paid off overdue accounts for the canteen and uniforms. If you haven't yet done so, it will be greatly appreciated if you clear up any over due amounts **before the end of term** so that we don't have to keep sending home reminders. This takes up unnecessary time and paperwork. Thank you for your cooperation.

# END OF TERM FAMILY DAY



# Students' Achievements

STUDENTS WHO HAVE ATTENDED  
SCHOOL EVERY DAY THIS YEAR!

CONGRATULATIONS!!

Jerome Hamilton  
Montaya Thompson  
Quaide McGinty  
Leticia Jarlot  
Aaliyah Williams  
Krishanna Callaghan  
Sade Hunter  
Robin Johnson  
Nancy Nulgit

## Student of the Week Term 1 Week 9



K-PP  
Lukeisha Jimmy



Year 1-2  
Leah Tinning



Year 3-4  
Lee Jimmy



Year 5-6-7  
Stewart Dryden

## PATHS Kid of the Week [Promoting Alternative Thinking Skills]



Jaiden Blythe  
PATHS KID OF THE WEEK



Isaac Tinning  
KINDY/PP PATHS KID OF THE WEEK



Tyler Daniel  
CAUGHT BEING GOOD

# EASTER HOLIDAY COLOURING IN



Early on the Sunday morning after the crucifixion Mary Magdalene and some other women found Jesus' tomb empty. Two angels told them of His resurrection.



The other women left, but Mary Magdalene remained. Jesus appeared to her.



Forty days after Jesus had risen from the dead, He appeared for the last time to the apostles. He was then received up into heaven.