

St Bernadette's School Newsletter

Wednesday 21st July 2021



GRANDPARENTS– JOACHIM and ANNE

Dear God, Please bless our grandparents. Thank you for the life they gave my parents and for the life they give to me.

*For the ways they help me and make me strong,
I give thanks.*

For the ways they love me no matter what, I rejoice.

For the ways they have set an example for me and encouraged me, I am grateful.

Let them grow in wisdom and joy in life.

Let them find peace and rest from their work.

Let them be healed of every sickness and pain.

And let them see with their own eyes the glory of your Son, Jesus, in the love of their children and grandchildren. Bless them always until they come to rest in you. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

St Bernadette - pray for us.

Dear Parents and Carers,

On Monday 26th July, the Catholic Church celebrates the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne - the Grandparents of Jesus. Pope Francis has named the 4th Sunday of July as a day the Church will celebrate Grandparents and the Elderly. We acknowledge the contributions grand-parents make to families and communities, especially our school community. Grandparents, grand-friends, kin, and those who take on the role of a grandparent are celebrated for their contributions. To all our grandparents, thanks for all the gifts of life, love and faith you have given us.

I hope you all had a restful and relaxing holiday and were able to spend time together as family amidst all the uncertainty and challenges of COVID-19. Once again we find ourselves in lockdown this week and having to switch to remote learning. Again, I thank you for your cooperation with this and for keeping up-to-date with posts on Seesaw and email and responding when you need to. This makes our job much easier.

EXTENSION OF LOCKDOWN FOR 7 DAYS

The Premier has announced an extension of the lockdown for a further 7 days. As a result, Remote Learning will continue for St Bernadette's students. As in the past, if you are an authorised worker or if you believe your child cannot learn at home due to disability, vulnerability or family stress, your child is able to come to school to learn during this lockdown. Please contact me at principal@stbsunshinenth.catholic.edu.au if you believe you

or your child fits into this category. There is no need to contact me, if you have already made contact at the start of this lockdown.

Please stay safe - do the right thing, keep up to date with information and if you have any symptoms - get tested!!

GRANDPARENTS DAY LITURGY

Sadly our Grandparents liturgy and morning tea on Monday 26th July has been cancelled. Instead, we will be having an online liturgy at 10:00am. Please see calendar and Seesaw for further details.

QR CODE

The school now has a **QR CODE** in place for visitors to sign into the school using the Service Victoria App. Please make sure you sign in using the QR CODE when you visit the school.

IMPORTANT DATES

Here are some important dates for Term 3:

Monday 26th July	Grandparents Liturgy @ 10:00am
Tuesday 3rd August	Year 3/4 Excursion to Werribee Zoo
Wednesday 4th August	Confirmation Family Night @ 7:00pm
Friday 6th August	Parents in Partnership Meeting @ 2:30pm
Thursday 19th August	Year 6 Cluster Transition Day
Thursday 2nd September	Confirmation Ceremony - Year 6
September 7th and 8th	Staff Conference - NO SCHOOL
Friday 17th September	Term 3 ends @ 1:00pm

COVID-19 TRANSLATED RESOURCES

Over the weekend, I came across this website with lots of COVID-19 information translated into many different languages. I thought it may be useful to share the link here. Please make sure you keep up to date with exposure sites and other important information.

<https://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/translated-information-about-coronavirus-covid-19>

Translated information about COVID-19

COVID-19 translated information for people from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, health professionals and industry. Information includes factsheets and promotional materials.

Take care and stay safe,

Brendan
Principal

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ENROL NOW

ENROLMENTS FOR PREP 2022 ARE NOW OPEN.

IF YOUR CHILD TURNS 5 BY APRIL 30TH 2022, THEY ARE ELIGIBLE TO START SCHOOL NEXT YEAR.

DOWNLOAD AN APPLICATION FORM FROM OUR WEBSITE, OR COLLECT ONE FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

EXPERIENCE MUSIC

Once again, Experience Music are offering their program to the students at St Bernadette's. For more information and how to enrol, please visit www.experiencemusic.com.au/enrolment or see the included flier.



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MT ST JOSEPH GIRLS' COLLEGE, ALTONA

"Mount St. Joseph Girls' College Altona invites applications for Year 7 in 2023 before the closing date of 20 August 2021. To apply, please follow this link to our website:

<https://msj.digistormenrol.com.au/applications/application>

CLOSING DATE FOR YEAR 7 IN 2023
20 AUGUST 2021

APPLY ONLINE

www.msj.vic.edu.au

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A reminder that all dates appear on the school website

www.stbsunshinenth.catholic.edu.au Please contact the office if you have any questions regarding this newsletter.

If you have any questions regarding what's in the newsletter, please contact me via the school number or email principal@stbsunshinenth.catholic.edu.au