



# St Bernadette's School Newsletter

## Wednesday 15th September 2021

### PRAYER FOR SPRING

*God, thank you for Spring and the hope of warmer,  
longer, brighter days.*

*Thank you for the coming of growth and life and birth.*

*Thank you that things are coming awake in the world.*

*Your word says that we will have hope and joy  
and health and loving relationships here  
and now in this life.*

*We ask that what belongs in this season  
would become real in our lives.*

*We hope in you and in your promises.*

*We hope in your gift of Spring.*

*St Bernadette - pray for us.*



Dear Parents and Carers,

We find ourselves at the end of another challenging and COVID-19 affected term. It has been a very difficult term for many, as they try to juggle work and learning at home and teaching at home, while at the same time coping with the stresses and anxieties of a pandemic. All the previous times have been different, as we could quickly see the positive effects of learning and staying at home. Sadly, this time around we are not seeing this. However, I encourage you all to 'hang in there' and use the holidays to rest and relax. Everyone has done an amazing job this term - children, staff and parents - THANK YOU!!

SCHOOL - BOTH ONSITE AND REMOTE LEARNING - WILL FINISH AT 1:00PM THIS FRIDAY THE 17TH SEPTEMBER. If your child is learning onsite and requires care after 1:00pm, please contact CAMP AUSTRALIA on 1300 105 343 or email [info@campaustralia.com.au](mailto:info@campaustralia.com.au) to make a booking for your child.

As always, I encourage everyone to do what we can to ensure the safety of our community and to ensure we can return to some sort of normal in the near future: **GET VACCINATED**, wear a mask, keep up to date with information, check the exposure sites every day and if you have any symptoms - get tested and stay home!!

Wishing you all a restful and relaxing holiday - away from remote learning and Seesaw tasks!! Thank you, again, for your support this term. Take care and stay safe!!

Brendan Gill  
Principal

**- GOD LOVES US - LET US LOVE GOD -**