



OLW NEWS 2022

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Dear Parents & Families,

Welcome back to the beginning of a new term and we hope that everyone has enjoyed a restful break and kept warm!

SPECIALIST PROGRAM UPDATE

Our junior school have now commenced Music Lessons each Monday throughout this semester.

We are also introducing a choir and an ensemble for our Year 3 – 6 students who have a particular interest in further developing their skills over the next semester. Stay tuned!

COVID PROTOCOL CHANGES

As you would be aware, the Victorian Government recently announced changes to the pandemic orders at the end of last term.

There is no longer a mandated vaccination requirement for staff working in mainstream schools effective from 11.59pm Friday 24 June. With almost 100% of school staff now vaccinated across Victoria, this will cause little change to our school.

As part of the changes, parents and carers who have COVID-19 can transport their non-COVID-19 children via private vehicle to their primary or secondary school when an alternative person is not available to assist. This will include OSH Care and school holiday programs held on school grounds. This means that parents and carers will be able to leave COVID self-isolation to take their non-COVID-19 child to school or school holiday programs via a private vehicle.

The parent or carer must travel directly to and from the school only. They must remain in the vehicle at all times, unless it is reasonably necessary to leave the vehicle to walk the child to and from the entrance of the school safely. They must wear a face mask at all times.

Family members are asked to continue reporting positive COVID-19 cases to both the [Department of Health](#) and you must also let the school know if your child is a close contact. Students who are close contacts and want to attend should still take 5 RATs over 7 days and wear a face mask whilst indoors if they are aged 8 years or over. Please contact the school office if you require additional RAT's to undertake this testing.

Students should continue to stay home if they are unwell, even if they test negative on a RAT.

RAT tests will be distributed 3 times throughout the term with all schools receiving the first delivery of Term 3 RATs by the end of week 3.

Thank you to everyone for your ongoing support in keeping our school safe!

TERM 3 ENTRY & EXIT TIMES

Our House Team entry and exit times for Term 3 are rotating again for next term, with a slight change to dismissal times:

- Entry - Kelly – 8.30am
Latrobe – 8.40am
Bates – 8.50am
- Exit - Kelly – 3.20pm
Latrobe – 3.25pm
Bates – 3.30pm

P & F MEETING

Our next P & F Meeting is next Tuesday, July 19 at 3.45pm in the school staffroom. Everyone is most welcome to attend!

DISTRICT INDOOR TOURNAMENTS

The Keon Park District Sports Association Round Robin Tournaments for Basketball will be held on August 5 for Year 3/4, and Friday August 12 for Year 5/6. Tournaments for Soccer will be held on August 26 for Year 3/4, and Friday September 2 for Year 5/6. Team selection will take place over the coming weeks during Phys Ed sessions and also during lunchtime, weather permitting.

Enjoy the week!

Kevin Burke

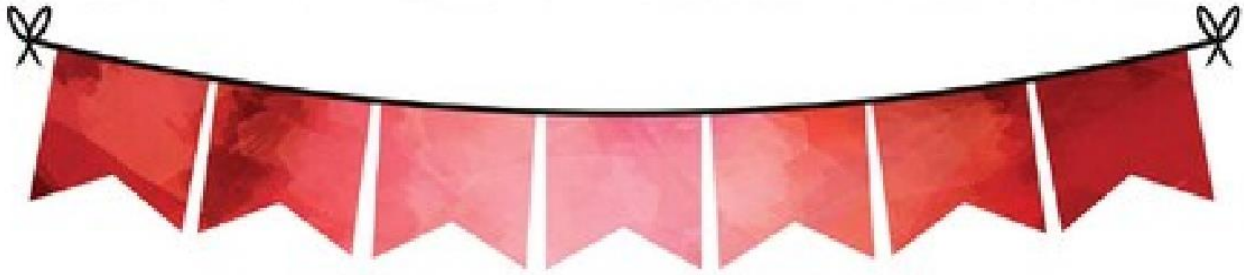
PHRASE OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to everyone who found out that **'down to the wire'** means *'running out of time'* or *'a situation whose outcome is not decided until the very last minute'*.

Our phrase for this week is:

'walking on air'

Find out it's meaning and see if you can add this phrase to your vocabulary over the next week.



PLEASE SUPPORT OUR LADY OF THE WAY'S



RAFFLE DONATION DRIVE

**ITEMS WILL BE
COLLECTED UNTIL
30TH NOVEMBER**

Ideas of Donations:

Kids toys Stationary Lego
Lego Candles
Jewellery
Beauty products

Vouchers for:

Hair Beauty Café
Restaurant Retail Movie
Entertainment/Experiences

DONATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF MONDAY-FRIDAY AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE DURING SCHOOL TERM.

*DONATED GOODS WILL MAKE UP
THE PRIZES FOR THE SCHOOL
CHRISTMAS RAFFLE*

Questions?

PLEASE CONTACT SAM/MARIA
ON 0419 562 569





SERVICING OUR LADY OF THE WAY PRIMARY
AVAILABLE on WEDNESDAY!
Order ONLINE until 8.30am on the DAY LUNCH IS REQUIRED

LUNCH ITEM ONE

SALADS

- Greek Style Salad with Feta and Olives (V, GF)
- Pic(k)nic Box – Vegetarian (V, GF)
- Pic(k)nic Box with Ham (GF)
- Mexican Inspired Salad (V, GF)
- Tuna Mix with Brown Rice & Quinoa Cakes (V, GF)

SUSHI

- Teriyaki Chicken Hand Rolls (2)
- Cooked Tuna Hand Rolls (2)
- Avocado Hand Rolls (2)
- Cucumber Hand Rolls (2)
- Vegetarian Hand Rolls (2)

BAKERY

- Cheese and Bacon Roll
- Cheese and Vegemite Scroll (w/m)
- SCROLL with Ham & Cheese
- Semi Dried Tomato and Olive ROLL
- Topped with Only Cheese Roll

BAKED FRESH PIZZAS

(Thin & Crisp, Served at room temp)

- Margherita Pizza
- Ham and Pineapple Pizza
- Fresh Tomato, with Italian Herbs Pizza
- Spinach and Feta Pizza

SANDWICHES, ROLLS & WRAPS

- Turkey, Cranberry, Lettuce and Cheese Sandwich
- Gluten Free Ham & Cheese Sandwich (GF)
- Simple Salad Roll (V)
- Cucumber & Ham Sandwich (GF)
- Vegemite Sandwich (2)
- Mild Salami and Salad Roll
- Plain Cheese Sandwich (2)
- Roast Beef, Fruit Chutney, Cheese and Lettuce Roll
- Cheese and Salad Roll
- Wholegrain Cheese and Tomato Sandwich
- WRAP (GF, DF) Ham and Salad
- Wholegrain Ham and Cheese Sandwich
- Chicken and Salad Roll
- Garden Salad Wrap (GF,DF,V)

LUNCH ITEM TWO/THREE

FRESH FRUIT & VEG

- Fresh Fruit Combo
- Freshly chopped Strawberries & Grapes
- Lightly Steamed Corn wheels & Broccoli pieces
- Celery & Carrot Sticks with Sultanas
- Chopped Carrot, Cucumber, Red & Yellow Capsicum
- Apple pieces with Lemon Juice, Cinnamon & Brown Sugar
- Chia Bowl with Banana, Coconut & Strawberries
- Sugar Snap Peas, Beans & Cherry Tomatoes
- Cantaloupe & Honeydew pieces
- Edamame (Lightly Salted)
- Cherry Tomatoes with Tasty Cheese & Rice Crackers
- Freshly chopped Orange Segments
- Whole Fruit – Banana OR Mandarin

YOGHURT

- Strawberry Chobani Yoghurt
- Blueberry Chobani Yoghurt
- Passionfruit Chobani Yoghurt
- Plain Chobani Yoghurt

BAKED GOODS

- Choc Chip Cookie
- Cornflake Cookie
- Finger Bun with Sprinkles
- Hedgehog Slice
- Choc Cup Cake (GF,DF)
- Blueberry Muffin

DIPS & CRACKERS

- Tzatziki Dip with Rice Crackers
- Avocado Dip with Rice Crackers
- Spring Onion Dip with Rice Crackers

POPCORN/SNACKS

- Dried Fruit Medley with a Yoghurt Frog
- Popcorn - Lightly Salted
- Popcorn - Slightly Sweet, Lightly Salted
- Lightly salted Fav'va Beans
- Chickpeas with Lime & Black Pepper
- Balsamic & Sea Salt Fav'va Beans

DRINKS

- Apple Juice / Orange Juice
- Full Cream Milk
- Lippy's Chocolate Milk
- So Good Soy Milk
- Strawberry Milk – Lactose free

Healthy, Interesting & Affordable Lunches Delivered to School!

More information about Our Offering including
Pricing, Ingredients and Portion Size is available on the Our Menu Page at

www.classroomcuisine.com.au

UPCOMING COLLEGE TOURS



Discovery Tours

June 15 - 9.30am July 21 - 9.15am

August 10 - 9.15am

Year 7 2024
enrolments
close in August!

Our Principal gives a comprehensive presentation outlining the many aspects of College life, followed by a student-led tour of Santa Maria. Learn about our unique programs, curriculum and explore our facilities. Our Senior Leadership Team are available to answer any questions over refreshments. Tours run for approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes.

Express Tours

We are now also hosting small, group express tours every week, for approximately 45 minutes. Our Express Tours are a guided tour of our College with a member of our Enrolments Team, and or Student Ambassadors. Dates and times can be found on our website.

Head to the College website or follow the QR Code below to register for a tour.



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The Living Word

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

10 July 2022

First Reading Dt 30:10-14

Let the instruction of the Lord God be near you.

Moses said to the people: 'Obey the voice of the Lord your God, keeping those commandments and laws of his that are written in the Book of this Law, and you shall return to the Lord your God with all your heart and soul.

'For this Law that I enjoin on you today is not beyond your strength or beyond your reach. It is not in heaven, so that you need to wonder, "Who will go up to heaven for us and bring it down to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?" Nor is it beyond the seas, so that you need to wonder, "Who will cross the seas for us and bring it back to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?" No, the Word is very near to you, it is in your mouth and in your heart for your observance.'

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 68:14. 17. 30-31. 33-34. 36-37. R. see v.33

(R.) Turn to the Lord in your need,
and you will live.

1. This is my prayer to you,
my prayer for your favour.
In your great love, answer me, O God,
with your help that never fails:
Lord, answer, for your love is kind;
in your compassion, turn towards me. (R.)
2. As for me in my poverty and pain
let your help, O God, lift me up.
I will praise God's name with a song;
I will glorify him with thanksgiving. (R.)
3. The poor when they see it will be glad
and God-seeking hearts will revive;
for the Lord listens to the needy
and does not spurn his servants in their
chains. (R.)
4. For God will bring help to Zion
and rebuild the cities of Judah.
The sons of his servants shall inherit it;
those who love his name shall dwell there. (R.)

or Ps 18:8-11. R. v.9

Second Reading Col 1:15-20

All things were created through him and for him.

Christ Jesus is the image of the unseen God and the first-born of all creation, for in him were created all things in heaven and on earth: everything visible and everything invisible, Thrones, Dominations, Sovereignities, Powers – all things were created through him and for him.
Before anything was created, he existed, and he holds all things in unity.

Now the Church is his body,
he is its head.
As he is the Beginning,
he was first to be born from the dead,
so that he should be first in every way;
because God wanted all perfection
to be found in him
and all things to be reconciled through him
and for him,
everything in heaven and everything on earth,
when he made peace
by his death on the cross.

Gospel Acclamation See Jn 6:63. 68

Alleluia, alleluia!

Your words, Lord, are spirit and life;
you have the words of everlasting life.

Alleluia!

Gospel Lk 10:25-37

Who is my neighbour?

There was a lawyer who, to disconcert Jesus, stood up and said to him, 'Master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the Law? What do you read there?' He replied, 'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbour as yourself.' 'You have answered right,' said Jesus, 'do this and life is yours.'

But the man was anxious to justify himself and said to Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was once on his way down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of brigands; they took all he had, beat him and then made off, leaving him half dead. Now a priest happened to be travelling down the same road, but when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. In the same way a Levite who came to the place saw him, and passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan traveller who came upon him was moved with compassion when he saw him. He went up and bandaged his wounds, pouring oil and wine on them. He then lifted him on to his own mount, carried him to the inn and looked after him. Next day, he took out two denarii and handed them to the innkeeper. "Look after him," he said, "and on my way back I will make good any extra expense you have." Which of these three, do you think, proved himself a neighbour to the man who fell into the brigands' hands?' 'The one who took pity on him,' he replied. Jesus said to him, 'Go and do the same yourself.'



Reflection by Fr Michael Tate

The lawyer asked a self-serving question: 'Who is my neighbour?' He could then set the limits, the boundaries of those close enough to merit his concern. Jesus replies with a story to show that the better question is: 'To whom should I be neighbourly?'

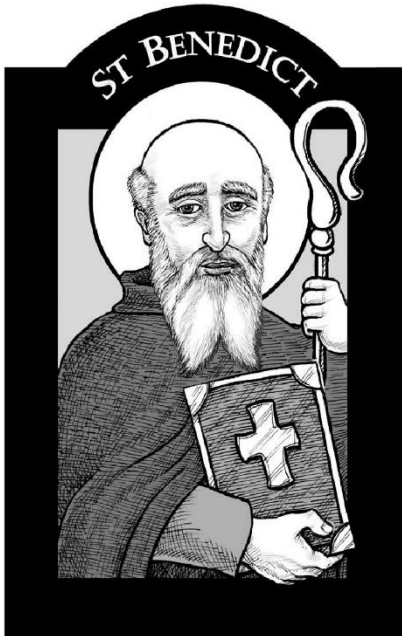
The answer is: To any person who is wounded in any way – physically, psychologically, socially, economically. And we have to do so overcoming the labelling, even bigotry, which can conveniently put a person outside the range of our concern. When we act like the Samaritan, we deserve the title 'Catholic' which means universal.

Pope Francis says that Christ is constantly inviting us, as he invited Thomas, to touch His wounds which are to be found in the wounded of our own time.

We could pause for a moment to thank God that we live in an age of technology which can enable us to be truly Catholic global citizens practising Mercy Without Borders. 'Do this and you will live.'

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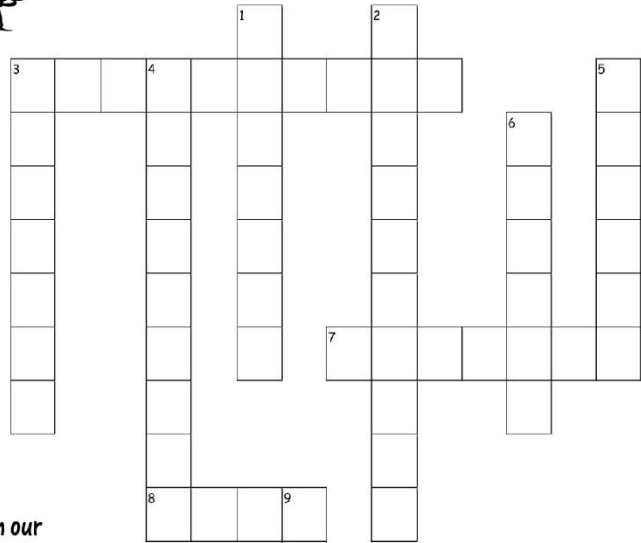
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St Benedict was born at Nursia in c.480, the brother of St Scholastica. Most of what is known of his life comes from St Gregory the Great's writings. He left his studies in Rome to become a hermit in the mountains near Subiaco, and after a while many followers joined him. It is believed that some monks tried to poison him, possibly out of jealousy or due to his strict discipline. He moved to Monte Cassino, where he completed his Rule; a written guide for those living a monastic life, with a strong emphasis on obedience, moderation and community life. Although Benedict never became a priest or ever intended to found a religious order, his Rule became the fundamental monastic code in Europe and is still observed by many religious orders throughout the world.



Crossword



Down

- 1: for ever
- 2: the people in our neighbourhood
- 3: a Samaritan comes from this country
- 4: someone who manages an inn
- 5: injuries
- 6: defeated, bashed up
- 9: the good Samaritan put the injured man on this animal

Across

- 3: sacred texts
- 7: bad people who steal things
- 8: a route for travelling
- 10: a type of money
- 11: feeling sorry for someone

Help the good Samaritan find the injured man and take him to the inn at Jericho.

