



OLW NEWS 2024

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Dear Parents & Families.

Our final tally for our School Feast Day just over \$18,174. Colour Run is Congratulations everyone for this to outstanding effort as we work towards replacing our Adventure Playground.

Our SRC are commencing the planning of the design of the playground. They are about to begin the process by canvassing ideas from the classes of what equipment the students would like to have in the playground, and this will be put to companies to come up with a design to meet our students wishes. The students will then vote on their preferred design and the most popular will become our new playground. We hope to have this completed by early Term 4.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to our Year 6 students who celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation last Thursday evening. Thank you to all the staff and families who helped to make this such a wonderful celebration. This is an important time in the faith journey of the students as they take on a greater responsibility to use their gifts of the Spirit.



P & F NEWS

Our next P & F Meeting is on Thursday, July 19, at 9.10am.

SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

Our next SAC Meeting is tonight, Tuesday June 11, at 4.30pm. Minutes and agenda have been posted in our School App. **PSG MEETINGS**

PSG Meetings for students from students on PLP's will be held next Tuesday

Date: Tuesday June 11 2024

and Wednesday afternoons. Booking forms have been sent home with the students on PLP's so please ensure that you log in to register a time.

WINTER INTERSCHOOL SPORT

This week we play a home game against Reservoir Primary School. Games start around 12.45pm, with Soccer played at Donath Reserve. Supporters are most welcome!

Enjoy the week!

Kevín Burke

OLW SCHOOL CALENDAR

JUNE	
MON 10	Public Holiday
TUE 11	School Advisory Council
	Meeting
FRI 14	Prep Hot Chip Lunch
	Winter Sport v Reservoir
	(Home)
TUE 18	PSG Meetings
WED 19	PSG Meetings
FRI 21	Principals Meeting
	Year 3/4 Scienceworks
	Excursion
	Winter Sport v Kingsbury
	Primary (Away)
THUR 27	Mid Year Reports Distributed
FRI 28	Last Day of Term
	Dismissal 1.00pm

OLW 2024 Calendar

PHRASE OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to everyone who found out 'bedraggled' means *'dishevelled.* that unkempt or disordered' and 'psithurism' means 'a rustling or whispering sound, such as leaves in the wind'.

Our Phrase for this week is:

'tip of the iceberg'

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



WEEK 8 – 'NATIVE ANIMAL WEEK'

This week was great

We connected to our Country as well as the rest of the world and celebrated Native Animal Week over the past few days. We have learnt all about the Native animals across Australia, as well as lots of other Countries around the world.

Our activities this week were all related to native animals, covering a new animal/s each day, we also had a variety of sport activities related to native animal week, we played Emu Tigy, came up with our own leopard obstacle courses on the playground, and did some animal chalk drawings! We have had an amazing time completing these activities this week, and plan to continue embedding these activities into our service throughout the entire year!

ACTIVITIES

- African silhouette painting We have been learning about native animals this week so for one of our art activities we got creative and painted beautiful sunsets, which we then cut out silhouettes of a range of different native animals from Africa and incorporated them into our artwork, sticking them along the sunset. They loved getting creative with their sunsets!
- Emu Tigy In light of native animal week, we played some Emu Tigy, Oliver, James, Maebh, Harry and Declan all joined in, trying to get to make it to the nest without becoming an emu! They loved playing this game and we are going to ensure that we incorporate it into the program more often from now on!



Fun new areas!



African silhouette painting!

Contact us:

email: kingsbury@theircare.com.au

phone:0417333851



Red Door Cafe Lunch orders Tuesday,Wednesday&Friday

Order Before 11am

Ph: 9078 9725

Toasties \$7

Cheese Cheese & Ham Cheese & Tomato Cheese, Ham & Tomato

Wraps

Chicken schnitzel \$9.90 {Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo} Ham \$ 7.90 {Ham, Cheese, Lettuce & Tomato}

HotFood

5 Nuggets & Chips \$9.50 Pizza {Margarita} \$6.50 Lasagne \$9.90 Penne bolognese \$9.90 1/2 Sausage Roll \$6.00 Whole Sausage Roll \$10.90 Chips \$6.00



Do you have school uniform items you no longer need that are still in good condition?

Donations Welcome

The P & F Second Hand Uniform Collection and Sale

\$5 Items Polo Tops Shorts Pants \$10 Items Summer Dresses Jumpers Backpacks

The Parents and Friends committee will hold a pop up store on the first Monday of each month straight after School Assembly.

*School branded uniforms donated will only be accepted if purchased from an official uniform store.
*Donations can be dropped off at the school office.

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TRY SOMETHING NEW THIS WINTER!

1/2/3 JULY - 9am to 3pm (EARLY DROP OFF AVAILABLE)

AGES 6-12 - ALL EQUIPMENT PROVIDED

BEGINNERS TO EXPERIENCED PLAYERS

\$100/DAY OR \$250 FOR FULL 3 DAYS (EARLYBIRD & FAMILY DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE)



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Do you have a daughter in Grade 5? Year 7 2026 enrolment applications close Friday, 16 August 2024.

Apply today via our website clc.vic.edu.au/enrol

Limited tour spots available, register at clc.vic.edu.au/enrol/book-a-tour



Hear from our Principal Stephanie Evans



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Visit us in Northcote and experience the Santa Spirit

REMAINING TOUR DATES BEFORE AUGUST CUT OFF: 24 June 9.00am, 18 July 9.00am, 6 August 9.00am



BOOK A TOUR or APPLY ONLINE

Year 7 2026 enrolments close August 16 Very limited places for Year 7 2025

Phone: 9488 1600

Email: registrar@santamaria.vic.edu.au

HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Monday 1 st July to Friday 12th July - Excluding weekends

TEARS

We are excited to be back for a fun-filled School Holiday Programme including lots of Sports, awesome games **& MUCH MORE**

BOOK ONLINE NOW AT

KELLYSPORTS.COM.AU

WINTER 2024 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Viewbank College

A timetable and full programme information is available online or at the programme venue.

Who can attend: Boys & Girls aged 5-12 yrs

General information: We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.

What do you need to bring: Appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food for morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

Payment details: Payment is required up-front within 2 hours of your booking. A receipt will be issued when a completed booking is received. All details will be included on the receipt.

Please note: Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Sports accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst on the programme.

Prices: (Including GST) Mon-Fri, 8:00am to 5:00pm Full Day: \$60 Five-Day Price: \$250 Save \$50

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The Living Word

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

First Reading Gen 3:9-15

I will make you enemies of each other: your offspring and her offspring.

The Lord God called to the man after he had eaten of the tree. 'Where are you?' he asked. 'I heard the sound of you in the garden;' he replied 'I was afraid because I was naked, so I hid.' 'Who told you that you were naked?' he asked. 'Have you been eating of the tree I forbade you to eat?' The man replied, 'It was the woman you put with me; she gave me the fruit, and I ate it.' Then the Lord God asked the woman, 'What is this you have done?' The woman replied, 'The serpent tempted me and I ate.'

Then the Lord God said to the serpent, '

Because you have done this, 'Be accursed beyond all cattle, all wild beasts. You shall crawl on your belly and eat dust every day of your life. I will make you enemies of each other: you and the woman, your offspring and her offspring. It will crush your head and you will strike its heel.'

Responsorial Psalm Ps 129. R. v.7

(R.) With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

- Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord, Lord, hear my voice! O let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleading. (*R.*)
- If you, O Lord, should mark our guilt, Lord, who would survive?
 But with you is found forgiveness: for this we revere you. (*R*.)
- My soul is waiting for the Lord, I count on his word. My soul is longing for the Lord more than watchman for daybreak. (R.)
- 4. Because with the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption, Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity. (*R*.)

Second Reading 2 Cor 4:13-5:1

We believe, and therefore we speak.

As we have the same spirit of faith that is mentioned in scripture – I believed, therefore I spoke - we too believe and therefore we too speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus to life will raise us with Jesus in our turn, and put us by his side and you with us. You see, all this is for your benefit, so that the more grace is multiplied among people, the more thanksgiving there will be, to the glory of God.

That is why there is no weakening on our part, and instead, though this outer man of ours may

be falling into decay, the inner man is renewed day by day. Yes, the troubles which are soon over, though they weigh little, train us for the carrying of a weight of eternal glory which is out of all proportion to them. And so we have no eyes for things that are visible, but only for things that are invisible; for visible things last only for a time, and the invisible things are eternal.

For we know that when the tent that we live in on earth is folded up, there is a house built by God for us, an everlasting home not made by human hands, in the heavens.

Gospel Acclamation Jn 12:31. 32 Alleluía, alleluía!

The prince of this world will now be cast out, and when I am lifted up from the earth I will draw all to myself, says the Lord. Alleluia!

Gospel Mk 3:20-35

It is the end of Satan.

Jesus went home with his disciples, and such a crowd collected that they could not even have a meal. When his relatives heard of this, they set out to take charge of him, convinced he was out of his mind.

The scribes who had come down from Jerusalem were saying, 'Beelzebul is in him,' and, 'It is through the prince of devils that he casts devils out.' So he called them to him and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot last. And if a household is divided against itself, that household can never stand. Now if Satan has rebelled against himself and is divided, he cannot stand either - it is the end of him. But no one can make his way into a strong man's house and burgle his property unless he has tied up the strong man first. Only then can he burgle his house.

'I tell you solemnly, all men's sins will be forgiven, and all their blasphemies; but let anyone blaspheme against the Holy Spirit and he will never have forgiveness: he is guilty of an eternal sin.' This was because they were saying, 'An unclean spirit is in him.'

His mother and brothers now arrived and, standing outside, sent in a message asking for him. A crowd was sitting round him at the time the message was passed to him, 'Your mother and brothers and sisters are outside asking for you.' He replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking round at those sitting in a circle about him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers. Anyone who does the will of God, that person is my brother and sister and mother.'



Reflection by Michael Tate

The first way to reject the real Jesus is to domesticate him, and that is what members of his blood family were trying to do. They thought he was 'out of his mind', madly putting himself [and them] in harm's way and he had to be restrained.

Have you or I tried to domesticate Jesus Christ, to reduce him to a non-threatening Jesus-meek-and-mild? If so, we are closer to the family of Nazareth standing just outside his circle, ready to run for cover, than to the new family seated around him, really listening to him and therefore vulnerable.

The second way is to misconstrue all the evidence of Jesus' mission on earth and to claim that he must be in league with the devil, 'He has an unclean spirit'.

If you do this publicly, as did these religious leaders, then you have deliberately put God's plan for the salvation of others at risk, and it is this which is unforgivable. This is real blasphemy.

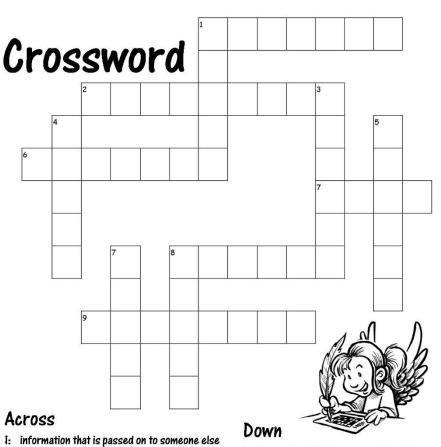
We might pause for a moment, implore the grace of God, determine to really hear the Gospels, discern the will of God for our lives, and so come back within the ultimate family allegiance of those who dare to call God 'our Father'.

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S t Boniface was born in c.675 in Devonshire and was educated at a Benedictine monastery. Ordained a priest at the age of thirty, Boniface became a missionary to Germany and in 722 was consecrated Bishop of Hesse. A popular story of his evangelisation tells of his encounter with a pagan tribe that worshipped the Norse god Thor in the form of an oak tree. Boniface walked up to the ancient tree and cut it down with an axe, then stood on the trunk and said, "How stands your mighty god? My God is stronger than he." This led to widespread conversions and with the timber from the oak, he built a chapel dedicated to St Peter, Prince of the Apostles. He became an Archbishop in 732 and died in 754 after being attacked by a band of pagans while evangelising in Holland.



- 2: the city where Jesus made a triumphant entrance on Palm Sunday
- 6: questions that are puzzles to be solved
- 7: a place where we live
- 8: the opposite of brother
- 9: boys or men who have the same mother
- 1: he received the ten commandments
- 3: Mary was the _____ of Jesus
- 4: argument, quarrel
- 5: the group of people we are related to
- 7: big
- 8: the devil

COMPLETE THE TEXT MAZE

"Who is my mother and who are my brothers?"



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Parish of Our Lady of the Way Kingsbury

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Weekend Mass Times:

- \cdot Saturday Night: 6:00pm at Our Lady of the Way
- Sunday Morning: 9:00am at Our Lady of the Way
- · Sunday Morning: 10:30am at Holy Name
- · Sunday Afternoon: 4:00pm at Holy Name (Vietnamese)

Weekday Mass Times:

The mass times are as follows:

- \cdot Our Lady of the Way: Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:00am
- \cdot Holy Name: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 9:00am

Confession Times:

- Holy Name: Saturday after 9:00 am mass
- Our Lady of the Way: Saturday 5:15-5:45pm

Baptisms and Marriages by appointment: Please ring 0488 020 364

Welcome to Our Lady of the Way Kingsbury!

Entrance Antiphon: Cf Psalm 26:1-2

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; whom should I dread? When those who do evil draw near, they stumble and fall.

Communion Antiphon: Psalm 17:3

The Lord is my rock, my fortress, and my deliverer; my God is my saving strength.

Newsletter information for 8th and 9th of June- 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

God's unwavering love!

Today's readings offer a beautiful interplay between humanity's misstep and God's unwavering love.

In the first reading, from Genesis, we revisit the familiar story of Adam and Eve. Tempted by the serpent, they disobey God. Shame and fear take hold as they realize their transgression. This story resonates with us all. We've all experienced moments of making choices that go against our better judgment, choices that lead us away from God's will. In those moments, it's easy to feel shame, to want to hide. But here's the key takeaway: God doesn't abandon them. He seeks them out, not in anger, but with a gentle inquiry. He offers them a chance to confess, to take responsibility for their actions. Even more importantly, God plants a seed of hope. He speaks of an "offspring" who will one day crush the serpent's head. This foreshadows the coming of Jesus, the Messiah, who will redeem humanity from the grip of sin.

St. Paul, in the Second Reading, echoes this message of hope. He acknowledges the challenges we face in living a life of faith. There will be moments of suffering, of feeling like our "outer self is wasting away." But Paul reminds us to focus on the unseen – the "eternal weight of glory" that awaits us. He encourages us to persevere, to hold fast to our faith.

Finally, in the Gospel, this passage, Jesus is confronted by his own family. They come to take him away, believing he is out of his mind because of his relentless preaching and healing. Jesus responds by redefining family. He declares that those who do the will of God are his true brothers, sisters, and mother. This challenges our understanding of family and reminds us that following God's path is paramount.

We are all part of God's family. When we stumble, God doesn't cast us out. He offers forgiveness, guidance, and the promise of redemption. Just as Jesus redefined family as those who follow God's will, we too are called to live by that definition. Let us be people who actively seek to do God's work in the world. Let us face our challenges with courage, knowing that God's love is with us always. And let us, like Adam and Eve, confess our shortcomings and turn back to God, who awaits us with open arms.

Recently Deceased

We pray for all who died recently especially: Vincenzo Vincitorio, Frank Stambulis

Anniversaries

We pray for all anniversaries about this time especially: Felix and Ester Zamar, James Brody

2024 Propagation of the Faith Appeal: Special collection for 15/16 June

In Mongolia, Chuluunbaatar suffered a life-altering injury while trying to rescue a submerged vehicle, leaving him unable to work and reliant on scarce support services for basic needs. Without shelter and food, Chuluunbaatar faces the real risk of freezing to death. Resources are limited, but the Church in Mongolia is working hard to provide essential services to people in need. We invite you to extend your generosity to help enhance these vital services. Your support can make a significant difference to the lives of many, offering hope and tangible assistance to individuals like Chuluunbaatar.



Parish Luncheon

The next Parish luncheon will be on the 27th of June, Wednesday at 12.00pm at the Summerhill hotel. Sign-up sheets will be in the foyer. All are welcome!

Daily Masses and Morning Tea

Join us every Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays for Morning Mass at 10am. Or join some of the weekly Parishioners who gather at 9.30am for Prayer and Rosary. Stay for a cuppa and morning tea and enjoy some wonderful company - an opportunity to catch up and to support one another. All welcome.

Friday Morning Adoration

Please join us every Friday for 'Morning Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament' from 9:15am to 9:45 am before 10am mass.

Gluten Free Hosts

Gluten free hosts are available. Please let Fr John, or one of the Special Ministers know, or come up at the end of Communion.

Parish Suggestion Box

Thank you for your on-going suggestions and comments - we value your voice and feedback If parishioners have any suggestions, please write a message, and place it in the white box. The next PLT meeting will be 26th June.

Collections for the weekend of the 26th of May and 2nd of June (Fortnight)

We thank you for your ongoing contributions and generous support. We also thank our fortnightly counters. 1st Collections: \$ 1256.50 2nd Collections: \$ 815.50

July to December Special Minster and Reading Rosters-

We are looking for volunteers, new readers, and helpers. If you would like to volunteer or make any changes, please speak to a member of PLT or Fr John. New sign-up sheets are in the foyer.

Eucharistic Ministers:

8th June: 6pm - G Tombs & J Vandenberg 15th June: 6pm – K Zanini & Special Minister

Readers:

8th June: 6pm – Elizabeth Becker 15th June: 6pm – Gabriel Becker 9th June: 9am – G Dowling & A Crupi 16th June: 9 am – A Crupi & M Leonard

9th June: 9am – Maureen Jones 16th June: 9am – Joan Vandenberg

Fr John

Online Donation

1st Collection: for the support of our parish, its welfare and maintenance. (Taken up after the homily).

Name: Kingsbury Parish Church BSB: 083 347 A/C: 68643 0901

2nd Collection: for the support of our Parish Priest, the Archbishop, the sick and retired priests and priests in less fortunate areas of the Archdiocese of Melbourne. (*Taken up after the prayers of the faithful*).

Name: Our Lady of the Way Parish Presbytery BSB: 083 347 A/C: 66765 5224

We appreciate your generous support to the parish and priest of Our Lady of the Way.

<u>At Our Lady of the Way, Kingsbury Parish we hold the care, safety and wellbeing of children and young people as a central and</u> <u>fundamental responsibility of our parish.</u>