

St. Theresa's Catholic School

Thursday, 18th June

2015

Principal's Report

"To live, learn and love with Jesus, being the best we can be"

Gospel Value Term 2 FORGIVENESS & RECONCILIATION

We show our true humanity through our willingness to heal our relationships.



THIS WEEKEND'S GOSPEL

Mark 4: 35-41

Jesus woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then He asked them, "Why are you terrified? Where is your faith?"



They were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who is this whom even the wind and sea obey?" Tena koutou katoa. A kia noho te Ariki ki a koutou.

This week's Gospel is one of my favourites.

I love the humanity of the disciples, who, even though they had Jesus right there in the boat with them, were panicked and terrified. I can relate to this so well! Not being able to control certain events and being unsure of how things will work out, we can find it hard to believe that God actually *is* with us and has our best interests at heart. Like the disciples, it is easy to panic and become fearful. What a relief that Jesus, the great comforter and protector, *is* in the boat with us. We need not fear.

If we truly believe this we will naturally teach our children that God is with them in every circumstance of their day. What courage and comfort this will give them as they navigate their life!

Have a great weekend.

God Bless, **Jita Smith**, Principal





Students who were part of an acting workshop this week, facilitated by actress Jessica Grace Smith.

Congratulations to Year 6 Scripture Reading Winner Tobias Macintosh and Runner up Toby Mallon (photo right).



Congratulations to Year 5 Scripture Reading Runner up Phoebe Harland and winner Zara Lyne.

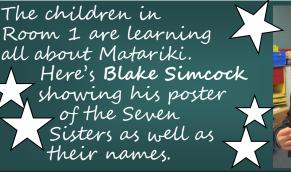


Sparks of God - Week 7, Term 2, 2015



Back: Mahi Meo, Vada McLaughlin, Owen Pieries, Toby Mallon, Celine Ngan

Front: Isaac Gilmour, Kieran Dunlop-Brown, Seb Richards, Luke Franklin, Amelie Carter, Ava Moore





PLEASE REMEMBER THAT GARTERS ARE COMPULSORY. AVAILABLE FROM THE OFFICE IN 2 SIZES (SMALL & MEDIUM) FOR ONLY \$1 A PAIR.

GARTERS

Please check the Lost Property Bucket outside Rm 1 IF YOU KNOW YOU ARE MISSING UNIFORM ITEMS -IT'S PRETTY FULL AT THE MOMENT. THE BEST OPTION IS TO ENSURE <u>EVERYTHING</u> IS NAMED!

Netball Results

Angels won 11-3 Stars lost 3 - 7 Saints lost 6 -12 Jasmine Watkins Azizah Isaako Scarlet Lynch

Congratulations and well done to all!

Health & Safety Policy Community Consultation This policy is being reviewed and is available to the community as part of the Board of Trustees' consultation process. A copy is available from the Office and can also be viewed on our website. Any changes/amendments/ suggestions must be made in writing to the Chairperson of the Board by Fri., 26th June, 2015 at the close of the school day. Uniform Fittings: If you need any uniform items, please call Gina to make an appointment. Our supplier will be here TOMORROW.



Congratulations to Aimee Clark on her cheerleading achievements. First in the Individual Junior Competition as well as in the Senior Levels 2 & 3. They're on their way to Australia too!

Class of the Week - Room 3

We love Discovery Time in Room 3! During one of our Discovery Times and in response to our story writing about "Super Heroes", we wanted to design and make prototypes of super hero Costumes using paper. We had so much fun researching different super hero Capes and masks and putting our ideas onto our paper Capes. Then, we became super heroes running around the school and showing our costumes to other Classes. Check out the photo!

