

# ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL

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**Our Vision** 

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**Our Mission Statement** 

St Paul's School Massey provides quality education for children in a Catholic community committed to Gospel Values.













**Loving God** Source of eternal life and truth, Give to your shepherd, Pope Leo XIV A spirit of courage and right judgment, A spirit of knowledge and love. May he lead with faith and love for all peoples of the earth. May he be a focus of unity. May he build your Church as a beacon of Hope. Amen.

#### Welcoming Our New Holy Father – Pope Leo XIV

We are excited to welcome our new Pope, Pope Leo XIV, as the leader of our Catholic Church. When he spoke to the crowds gathered in St Peter's Square, Pope Leo XIV reminded us how important it is to share the Good News of Jesus, to stand up for justice and peace, and to be people who bring Christ's love into the world. As a school community, let us keep Pope Leo XIV in our prayers as he begins this special role of guiding our Church.

> Do to others as you would have them do to you. Luke 6:31

## Newsletter No 13: - Week 03 - 14.05.2025

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Hello, Kia Ora, Tālofa lava, Mālō ē lelei, Ni Hao, Namaste, Annyong (Korean), Privet (Russian), Hola (Spanish), Kamusta (Filipino), Bula Vinaka (Fijian), Muraho (Rwandan), Apa Kabar (Indonesian), Hallo (Dutch),Fakaalofa lahi atu (Niuean), Kia Orana (Cook Island), Mingalaba (Burmese), Akwaaba (Ghanian), Dobro došli (Slovenian, Croatian), Xin Chào (Vietnamese)



15 May	West Fest Performance at Kumeu Showgrounds
<b>16 May</b>	Jesus Morning/Wedding at Cana
19-23 May	Book Fair in the Hall
23 May	<ul><li>100 Reading Nights</li><li>Book Character dress-up</li></ul>
29 May	Kai and Korero at 7.00pm
2 June	King's Birthday - No School
20 June	Matariki - No School
25 June	Student Led Conferences
27 June	<ul><li>St Paul's School Feast Day Mass</li><li>Last Day of Term 2</li></ul>
14 July	First day of Term 3



Kia ora Koutou e te whānau Hato Paora.

#### Rotuman Language Week

Noa'ia! Thank you to Mr Horler, Ms Brayne and our Cultural Leaders: Eilianna Tomua, Ruth Rodahl and Richard Rodan for leading our learning and celebrations this week.

#### Sign Language Week (last week)

Keep up the great learning and teaching, St Paul's! Ms Brayne is so thankful for all her teachers in Rooms 10 and 11 for teaching her how to greet people and ask and respond with how we are feeling.

#### Mary Zellman cont...

Thank you to Mr Horler and Mrs Canalita for supporting our tamariki and kaiako with learning Sign Language. We look forward to continuing learning.

#### **Support Staff Appreciation Week!**

We are so thankful every day of every week for our amazing kaiawhina - support staff, from the awesome Mrs. Leony and Mrs. Hunter in the office, to all our incredible Teacher Aides (Mrs. Caneda, Mrs. Curry, Matua Johann, Miss Price, Mrs. Purdeu, Mrs. Schaumkell, Mrs. Shankar, Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Taylor, and Miss T), who support our teachers and students with their learning as well as our amazing caretaker, Mr. Zellman, who keeps our grounds looking pristine. We are truly grateful for Mrs Horler and Mrs Willis who take care of our children before and after school. We just wanted to shout out a big THANK YOU! We are so blessed to have you all as you are all an important part of our school whānau. Your support, kindness, and all the little (and big!) things you do mean the world to us. You bring the heart, the smiles, and the magic that make our school the special place it is. We see you, we

#### **Culture Performance Evening**

this journey with us.

What a beautiful celebration of culture we shared last Thursday evening! Our hearts are full after seeing the amazing performances from our Kapa Haka, Pasifika, and Filipino groups. A huge mihi and thank you to the kaiako and staff who have guided and supported our tamariki. Your dedication was shining on stage. All the very best to our performers as they take the stage again tomorrow at West Fest!

appreciate you—and we're so grateful to have you on

Thank you to Erin Tillett, Rachel Bryce, Vicki Freemantle and Sharon Dixon for your help with sewing the costumes.

#### Chess

Congratulations to our chess team, and thank you to Mr Horler for coaching and supporting our chess players. We tied with 4th and 5th place so we have qualified for nationals in October later on this year.

Ngā mihi nui

*Mary Zellman*Principal

## He Pō Kai me te Kōrero An Invitation to Share and Learn Together

Kia ora e te whānau,

You are warmly invited to join us for an evening of Kai and Kōrero – a special time to come together as whānau, to share food, stories and learning.

When : Thursday 29 May, 7:00pm

Where: St Paul's School Hall

Who : Te Kawerau ā Maki and St Paul's School

whānau

Why : To journey together through the history of

our whenua, in partnership with one of

our local iwi.

Come and enjoy a shared meal as we learn more about the local landmarks, whakapapa, and the journey of our school pepeha – grounding us more deeply in the whenua we stand on.

Nau mai, haere mai – we would love to see you there.



St Paul's Hoop Heroes lost 10:28 POD: Jackson Moore

St Paul's Panthers lost 20-24 POD: Yoha Choi

St Paul's Hotshots lost by 2 baskets! Such a great game.

POD: Ezekiel Epati

St Paul's Diamonds WON 15-9

St Paul's Rocks WON 6-1 POD: Isla McGeady

St Paul's little legends WON 18-14 POD: Henry Slade

St Paul's Spirit lost 24-11 POD: Maria Ale

St Paul's Firebirds drew 1-1 POD: Helena Maria Lijo

St Paul's Firebirds lost 3-0 POD: Willow Peteli

St Paul's Saints WON 28-24 in a hard fought game. POD:

Djara with a phenomenal 24 points!

St Paul's Disciples WON 26-2

St Paul's Apostles lost 28-18 POD: Liam Vidanes

St Paul's Shooting Stars lost 8-12 POD: Liam Mangunay

Miss Brayne and Ms Mackay have been enjoying watching your games.

Good luck for the season!

## **@school App**

Please report your child's absence through @school app. Contact office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz if you find trouble with the app. Your report is crucial for the school to monitor the absence and to ensure student's safety.



## **Reading Nights**

**75 Nights:** Sebastian Taula, Paris Bunton, Helena Maria Lijo, Aiyana Tahere, Braxton Carvalho, Laila Umi, Jun Young An, Matthew Nengomasha, Kassandra Marmita, Maria Ale, Luke Sana, Honey Walters, Liam Apacible, Isabelle Light, Luna Willy, Kyrie De La Cruz, Leo Chae, Max Turnwald, Aundrey Babatugon, Ayden Mazana, Nalexi Posimani Itunu, Matthew Yu, Martin Shao, Isileli Ma'u, Jairus Nisbett-Moka, Spencer Eade, Roman Umi, Zara Williams, Sophia De Leon, Ezekiel Pereira, Veronica Tugaga, Richard Rodan, Ruth Rodahl, Khang Nguyen, Djara Graham, Ricci Boyd, Matina Fang, Bruce Satchell, Logan Marr, Cabel Bareman, Santino Taylor, Morgan Loninia, Tyler De Vries, Noah Caneda, Liam Vidanes, Tina Nguyen, Jaxson Sunderland, Thomas Suan Te, Beau Berghan, Agampreet Kaur, Melehola Akauola, DeAndre Ngavaine, Zoey Page, Lucia Kim, Jai Love.

**50 Nights:** Samson Polianski Stewart, Jennah Matthews, Salena Warnakulasuriya, Micah Lark, Samuel Pereira, Ashton Bos, Owen Sangwa.

25 Nights: Ivy Thomas.

## **Assembly Certificates**



Room 3 - Indie Neary, Amarah Carbonquillo.

Room 4- Sosefina Fakava, Liam Butler.

Room 5- Stefan Moore, Jonathan Anil.

Room 6 - Kyrie De La Cruz, Salena Warnakulasuriya.

Room 7 - Achilles Wineera, Milan Lematua.

Room 8 - Zahli McKenna, Kaya Love.

Room 10 - Ma'ana Tiumalu, Cora Suniula.

Room 11 - Melehola Akauola, Tevesi Vaikeli.

Room 12 - Bethany Bergin, Paul Kuata.

**Room 13** - Henry Liu, Joeli Wainiqolo, Aaliyah Kuata, Lochlan Carr.

Room 14 - Yoha Choi, Seah Park.

Room 15 - Ivie Holmes, Yanexa Quezon.

**Pukeko - Room 16** - Cleo Allen, Sam Vishan, Vivian Shin.

**Pukeko -Room 17** - Chester Hsu, David Menzies, Kassandra Marmita, Millie-Layla Walker.

Kereru - Room 19 - Isabel Gatland, Morgan Loninia.

Kereru - Room 20 - River Hemara, Lorenz Hindrichs.

Kereru - Room 21 - Cabel Bareman, Khang Nguyen.









# **Uniform Shop**

Uniform Shop - In the School Hall, opens every Friday 08:00-09:00 AM ONLY Eftpos and Cash Accepted - No Paywave



# Mother's Day Raffle WINNERS

Mary Bowker Melanie Diems Ezekiel Dias

## Congratulations!

We hope you all had a lovely Mothers Day!



## **School Dues**

Term 1 Fees and stationery are overdue.

Please pay immediately.

Please do not stop your APs. If you have, please contact Mrs Leony for an updated calculation.

Term Fees are due at the end of each term, except for Term 4, due by 30 November.

Term Fees \$148 per term
(including \$15 Special Character Contribution).

Total: \$592 per year.

Please contact our finance administrator, Mrs Leony, at office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz for any information in regards to fees.

Bank Account: ST PAUL'S SCHOOL (MASSEY) BOARD 12 3085 0310721 00 Ref: Name/Fees

# Habemus Papam - We have a Pope!

Mary Zellman - Principal