



ST PAUL'S SCHOOL

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Our Vision

Love



Aroha ; Learn



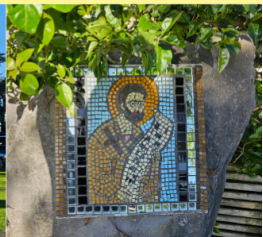
Ako ; Serve



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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.



A Mother's Day Prayer

We thank You for the gift of mothers and all those who care for us with love.

In this Easter season of new life and hope, helps to follow their example of kindness, patience and strength.

Bless our mums and all special people in our lives. Fill them with Your peace and joy.

Amen



"God saw all that He had made, and it was very good."

Genesis 1:31

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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 (Myanma), Akwaaba (Ghanian), Dobro došli (Slovenian, Croatian), Xin Chào (Vietnamese), Noa'ia (Rotuman)

Term 2

3 May	75 Reading Nights
8 May	Mothers' Day Breakfast
8 May	Room 16 Liturgy
12 May	Cross Country Cluster Event
18 May	School Book Character Parade
18-22 May	Book Week
22 May	Room 7 Liturgy
29 May	Teacher Only Day
1 June	King's Birthday
3 June	Year 2 Trip to the Auckland Art Gallery
5 June	Room 11 Liturgy
1 July	Student Led Conferences
3 July	Last day of Term 2

Week 03

Kia ora kotou e te whānau Hato Pāora,

Monday was an amazing day at St Paul's School. Our Year 1 students dressed up like Jesus or Mary. They learnt all about life in Jesus' time. They played games and they enjoyed a feast of food including dates, fish, grapes, honey, apricots, bread, chicken and home made butter. Have a look at the photos in this newsletter.

Our Room 8, Year 2 children shared the story of the Wedding of Cana. The children learnt about Mary, the mother of Jesus, asking for Jesus' help. This was Jesus' first miracle - changing the water into wine.

Our Year 6 students showed servant leadership by helping the children.

May, traditionally is the Month of Mary. The children regularly pray the Hail Mary as part of their morning karakia. Some classes are also praying the Rosary. Rosary beads are available from the office for \$1.

What else happened on Monday you ask? Well a number of senior students represented the school at a local Chess competition. I visited them and watched them play. At the end of each game they approached Mr Horler and he discussed the game and they talked about what they had learnt and their next steps. This is great learning. A team of four students will be representing the school at the National Chess Competition later in the year. We are very proud of all our chess players. See the details in the newsletter.

Book Week: 18-22 May. Families discuss with your child what book character your children could dress up as for the Book character Parade on Monday 18 May. More details to come later.

Teacher Only Day Friday 29 May

Kia ora kotou e te whānau Hato Pāora

Ngā mihi nui

Mary Zellman

Principal



Sports Results



St Paul's Saints lost 22-11 POD: Lochlan Carr
St Paul's Disciples lost 12-9 fantastic game POD: Ray Orbeso
St Paul's Spirit WON 43-17 POD: Luke Sana
Dunkin Dynamos Drew 6-6 POD: Adam Edginton
St Paul's Warriors WON 28-14 POD: Kenzo Logue
St Paul's Hoop Heroes lost 24-14 POD: Hope Moimoi
St Paul's Little Legends 18-4 POD: Peter Zang
St Paul's Panthers Won 14-10 POD: Ian Noh
St Paul's Panthers Won 18-16 POD: Ryder Boyd
St Paul's Hot Shots Won 2-14 POD: Bodhi Tuimavave Clarke

Reading Nights

Keep reading



25 Nights: Luke Singco, Samuela Tatafu, Micaela Chang, Theo Derzic.

50 Nights: Albert Tamariki-Koteka, Jaesen To, Alonzo Umali, Matt Pagedped, Tevesi Johnson.

75 Nights: George Whitfield, Izah Taremon, Evah Tony, Amelia Llamag, Adlynn Augustine, Elisiva Telefoni, Ionah Praiju, Arie Biggelaar, Manea Rua, Alice Russell, Arthur Kanaris, Hayden Verghese, Avvi Mulles, Do Young Seo, Andre Taofinuu, Eli Jimenez, Enzo Saroya, Semisi Kalaniuvale, Sophia de Leon, Louie Quinio, Bodhi Parker, Hazel Lijo, Lemmon Tillett, Aaron Asmaro, Gita Savic, Siwoo Kim, Lucas Tolentino, Nicole Ferdean, Gabo Dimayuga, Allegra Tabora, Madison Pagedped, Jaesen To, Zane Dsouza, Maria Molina, Joseph Bosnic, Gigi Duque, Eliza Jithin, Manirakiza Ntawe, Althea Rivera, Ephrem John, Keira Hortelano, Noah Salazar, Nathaniel Binu, Alonzo Umali, Emilio Gould, Evelyn Eby, Zahli McKenna, Isaac Lobo, Kiara Hsu, Zoe Sebastian, Zara Williams, Savannah Moitra, Arian Babatugon, Liam Mangunay, Theo Gould, Zia April, Jack Butler, Romeo Faylona, Mikayla Caneda, Harper Laureano, Blair Booth, Quinn Longville, Jackson Moore, Georgia Hukui, Henry Liu, Aldreik Sanchez, Fateh Singh, Georges Abdo, Ella-Mae Ritchie, Ryesen Garcia, Natalia Mendonza, Ira Jimenez, Cooper Laureano, Adam Edgintoin, David Balbir-Kok, Melisandre John, Lachlan Skarzenski, Blake Ropati, Cassy Dy, Harper Laureano, Blair Booth, Quinn Longville, Hurlee Callado, Chanze O’Gorman, Achilles Wineera, Ethan Lam, Kaya Love, Zander Longville, Ethan Ritchie, Miles Hill, Rhosyn Sebastian, Ryan Oh, Harriette Patriarca, Liam Butler, Henry Davies, Aguztyn Sanchez, Lisa de Costa, Serenity-Ashe Yumul, Emilia Magwa, Carlos Silapan, Aundrey Babatugon, Kaleb Daclan, Oakly Hassett, Georgia McMahon, Spencer Eade, Faith Moimoi, Agampreet Kaur, Melehola Akauola, Alexander De Costa, Tevesi Junior Vaikeli, Rosina Andrusca, Bake de Brianson Wilson, Ian Noh, Joshua Theethay, Shiloh Nicholas, Victoria Dopmul, Alban Lyes, Aidan Arun, Chloe Cabilla, Ellie An, Liorah Palatty, Aiven Jose, Oakley Hill, Manawa Muller, Cynthia Liu, Kyrie De La Cruz, Logan de Vries,

Reading nights cont...

Luna Willy, Samuel Pereira, Efa Bibi Tyra Miranda, Zevyda Ma’afu, Kyle Naidu, Anderson Tillett, Stefan Moore, Zoe Yu, Micah Lark, Zoe Oliver, Theo Crawford, Cora Suniula, Matilda Karnadi, Lui Chae, Violet Oliver, Kira Netto, Lily Borg, Maia Luna, Sophia Light, DeAndre Ngavaine, Luan Kaspar, Theresa Suan Te, Aurora Hawkins-Smith, Zoe Victa, Jerome Wainiqolo, Peter Zang, Indie Neary, Janica Turno, Anna Lian Zaw, Isileli Misinale, Aurora Anderson, Benedict Bicerra, Neo Nacpil, Veisia Veia, Ariel Yoo, Praise Neri, Noah Apacible, William Suniula.

Mobile Dental Clinic is Visiting St Paul’s School 21 April until End of May 2026

If you would like to make an appointment or update any of your child’s details, including consent status, medical history or contact details, you can contact us:

- By visiting the Mobile Dental Unit at our school; or
- **Phone: Westgate Childrens’ Dental Clinic, 09 8322116 or 0800 TALK TEETH (0800 825 5831)**

St Paul’s School

Mother’s Day Breakfast



Let Us Treat Mum - She Deserves It!

Join us for a special breakfast where we take care of everything.
All you have to do is bring the kids and enjoy time together.

Friday, 8 May 2026, 07:30 - 09:00AM

School Hall

**Enjoy a warm ham & cheese croissant.
Freshly brewed coffee for all the grown-ups.**

Adult: \$5 for Croissant and Coffee

Children: \$2.50 for Croissant

Please bring exact amount of cash (preferred).

Eftpos available.

Payment in the office on the day.



Jesus Morning - Year 1 & 2



Chess - West Auckland Regional Competition

Overall

13 of our best Chess players went with Mr Horler to Swanson School on Monday 4th May for the Term 2 West Auckland Regional competition. It was an incredibly tough day and the tamariki put in a high level of effort and critical thinking over the course of the tournament. I am incredibly proud of each of these players. Each game was faced with enthusiasm and a sense of improvement from the previous game. Whether winning, losing or drawing, chess is a powerful game / sport to develop critical thinking and strategies. We are looking forward to the next competition in Term 3 for our Year 5 and 6 ākonga.

Nationals

Our top Chess team placed 7th position in the competition. Due to the rules of fair sportsmanship, St Paul's has been invited to enter a team in the New Zealand Nationals competition. This competition is during Labour Weekend in October. Congratulations on an outstanding achievement!

Top Chess team players: Tommy Donnelly, Cole Wharton, Lazarus Sadik and Jedidiah Zang.



May, the Month of Mary. Pray the Hail Mary.

Mary Zellman - Principal