Prayer for the Jubilee Year of Mercy

Lord Jesus Christ,
you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father,
and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him.
Show us your face and we will be saved.

Send your Spirit to consecrate us so that the Jubilee of Mercy
may be a year of grace from the Lord,
and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm,
may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed,
and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy;
You who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever.
Amen

Act for Kids
To date we have had two sessions for Act for Kids. Georgina Radford said the children have been delightful to work with during this time. Please have a conversation with your child to see what they have been learning.

Warradale Park Playground
“The City of Wanneroo with Lyndal and Matthew chose to honour Sam by building a nature playground at the park”
Vetti Kakulas Perth Now.
The Wanneroo Mayor Tracey Roberts officially opened the playground with Matthew and Lyndal last Saturday, 5 November 2016.
“The Trott Family has worked with the Council and the Autism Association of WA to ensure the playground incorporated activities to support children with Autism”

Thank you to the families from St Elizabeth’s CPS who were able to attend the opening. A big thank you to Kate Masarei who attended on my behalf. We hope to enjoy a picnic in Sam’s Playground before the end of the school year.

Friendly Reminders
The P&F Association Committee are very keen to sell the oversupply of soft drinks purchased for the sausage sizzle. Actually, this is timely considering Christmas is just around the corner. We will accept eftpos or cash. The cartons come in packs of 24 for only $15.00 each! Save yourself $3.00, Woolworths have them on ‘special’ for $18.00.

We have;
4 x 24 pack of Coke Zero
7 x 24 pack of Fanta
7 x 24 pack of Sprite
**Brumby’s Christmas Fundraiser**
The P&F Association Committee are organising a Christmas Fundraiser in partnership with Brumby’s for Fruit Mince Pies, Gingerbread Christmas Trees and Christmas Cakes. Attached to the Newsletter is an order form. If you would like to purchase some Christmas goodies please complete the form and return to the office with the correct money by **Tuesday, 22 November**.

**St Vinnies Christmas Appeal**
St Elizabeth’s Catholic Primary School Values are Humility, Compassion, Charity and Service. This is a wonderful Christian cause for our community to bring alive our values. Boxes will be placed in each classroom and will be collected on **Tuesday, 22 November**.

Suggestions for hamper ideas;

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Please give generously. God Bless!

**St Elizabeth’s Community Mass - 9:00am this Sunday, 13 November 2016**
This Sunday we will be celebrating our St Elizabeth’s Community Mass at St Anthony’s Church. We look forward to seeing as many parents as possible. We had a wonderful turn out last term. God bless!

**St Elizabeth’s Feast Day - Thursday, 17 November 2016**
We are celebrating our Patron Saint, St Elizabeth’s Feast Day on Thursday. The children are permitted to come along in sun smart free dress, however they must wear appropriate enclosed shoes for safety and bring their school hat.

The day will commence with a whole school liturgy in the music room (last room on your right) at 8:45am, all parents and grandparents are most welcome to attend. The staff have organised a sausage sizzle for the children for lunch, cooked lovingly by our resident chef, Poppy of Holly and Hudson Dimond.

We are asking please for a gold coin donation towards the Archbishop’s Life link Appeal.

**Sunday, 20 November 2016**
According to our Liturgical Calendar this is a special celebration of the Feast of Christ the King.

**P&F Association Meeting – 5:00pm Monday, 21 November 2016**
This is an opportunity to have your input for the 2017 P & F Committee fundraising and charity events. Please find attached the list of suggestions that have been gathered. Please bring along a few nibbles to share and a bottle of wine so we can enjoy the chatter!

**School Board Meeting – 6:00pm Wednesday, 23 November 2016**
Jeff Thorne, our consultant will be in attendance to share his wisdom. Please make every effort to attend.

**Head Lice**
Please be vigilant in checking your child’s hair for Head Lice. Treatment for Head Lice can be bought from your local pharmacy. If your child does have Head Lice please do not return to school until treatment has been successful and all lice and eggs have been removed.
Excursion to Scitech – Tuesday, 29 November
All our students; kindy to year one will be attending the excursion.

Theme: Dinoshadows (Shadow puppets demonstrate the mystery of dinosaurs)
Focus: Science enquiry skills, Earth and space sciences, Biological sciences and Physical sciences.
Activities: Generic Exhibit Area – free time
Puppet Show – Dinoshadows

Duty of Care: Kindy, 2 children to 1 adult
PP and Year One, 4 children to 1 adult

Transport: Buswest Bus with Seatbelts
Children will leave school at 11:30am and should arrive back in at 2:50pm. However, if the bus is held up by traffic it may be closer to 3:00pm.

Clothing: All students to wear their sports uniform, school hat, white socks above the ankle and black sneakers.

Food: The children will need a small snack clearly labelled in a plastic bag and their own water bottle.

The children will be encouraged to eat their lunch at 10:45am. Unfortunately, timing will not allow us to have lunch at Scitech. Parents who have been notified that they will be parent helpers for the excursion will receive a letter next week. Thank you.

‘May God keep us safe in the palm of his hand’

Carmel O’Shaughnessy
Principal