The Year One students have been learning about the Mission of Jesus and the way that Jesus wanted us to treat each other. The students read and discussed the Bible passage ‘Jesus feeding the five thousand’. (Matthew 14:18)

Jesus called for the bread and fish to be brought to Him. He then gave thanks for the meal, broke the bread, and gave it to His disciples to give to the crowd. Amazingly, the entire multitude was fed with that small meal. Jesus provided “as much as they wanted” (John 6:11), and “they all ate and were satisfied” (Matthew 14:20). Christ did not just meet the need; He lavished them with so much food that there were “twelve baskets full of broken pieces and of the fish” left over (Mark 6:43).

Year One have learnt about the importance of sharing, even when we don’t want to or think that we have enough to share, because Jesus will always meet our needs with abundance. They also wrote about the things that they have and can share with the less fortunate, especially during this Christmas period.
Honour Awards

Congratulations to the following children who received an honour award for Tolerance

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End of Term 4 Week 7

This week the children will focus on the value of Excellence.

Kindergarten Transition Program 2015

Last Tuesday our soon to be Kindergarten students for 2015 visited Sacred Heart for their first glimpse at what learning is like at Sacred Heart. The children were met at the gate by their Buddies and escorted to the classroom where a variety of fun activities awaited. The children were so settled as if they had been at our school for the year. I look forward to welcoming our new students back Next Tuesday for their final day on the transition program.

Year 6 Fundraiser

Tomorrow the children are in for a real treat as our Year 6 leaders organise fun activities during their lunch break. Mufti Day for all children (Gold Coin Donation). The Year 6 children will be raising money for their traditional leaving gift for the school. The Year 6 children have embraced this challenge and as always have risen to the occasion and the event is taking shape with precision and creativity. I look forward to sharing the fun and activities with the children.

Well done Year 6 and their teachers.

Leaving Sacred Heart?

If you intend to leave Sacred Heart at the end of the year, we ask you to inform the school in writing as soon as possible. Please include in your letter, the school you have enrolled your child in. This is only for children leaving from K-5. For your information, parents are required to give the school at least a term’s notice in agreement with the policy signed when the child was initially enrolled. We thank parents for your understanding and cooperation in this matter.

Please return Library Books

As we are approaching the end of the term, all library borrowing will cease next week. All library books should be returned to school as soon as possible.

Lost Property Explosion

Parents please check that your child has their jumper or jacket. We have an overflowing basket of lost property in the office. If jumpers are not claimed by the end of term they will be donated to the second hand shop.

Canteen Roster

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Special Treat Tuesday Lunch

Next week’s lunch special is on Tuesday 25th November
Mini Pizzas—Cheese or BBQ Chicken - $2.00 each
(Freshly cooked Hilltop Oven) -
Please return the order form inside a lunch order bag with the money to the office by Friday 21st November.

Spell-a-thon

An enormous thank you to the families who have supported our Spellathon fundraiser. As always the spirit of working together as a faith community is alive at Sacred Heart. Many families have already sent in their pledges to the office. I ask that all the pledges be returned to the office by the end of next week. Once all monies are returned we will organise raffle tickets for all children who raised $50 or more who are eligible for entry into our bonus prize raffle. I sincerely wish to thank the children for the effort and energy that has gone into learning their words and finding sponsorship. Well done to all.

School Fees

As an institution built of gospel values, the school is here to assist all families with many different issues. If you are experiencing difficulty with your school fees, please contact the office and speak with either Mrs Ward, our Senior Finance Officer or myself. All matters relating to school fees are very private and are handled with respect and compassion.
Premier’s Reading Challenge

The PRC Certificates have arrived at school and will be presented to the students next Friday 28th November at the Stage 1 assembly.

Congratulations to the 80 students at Sacred Heart who completed the challenge. Special Congratulations to the following Year 6 students who will receive a Platinum Award for successfully completing the challenge for the seven years of their primary school life.

Noah Berger, Elizabeth Brown, Steven Chidiac, Charlotte Burns and Dino Redimerio

Also Special Congratulations to the following students who will receive a Gold Award for completing the challenge four times.

Samuel Aquilina, Chloe Hashim, Vidya Kugan, Mikayla Hashim, Veronica Maroun, Ahana Parijaat, Elie Sleiman

The 2015 PRC will start next March.
**Dates for your Diary**

**Week 7**
- 19 November  Friday  Year 6 Fundraiser — Mufti Day (Gold Coin Donation)

**Week 8**
- 25th November  Tuesday  Kindergarten 2015 —Transition  1.30pm-2.30pm
- 28th November  Friday  Stage 1 Assembly

**Week 9**
- 3rd December  Wednesday  Christmas Concert  - 6.00pm-8.00pm
- 5th December  Friday  Kindergarten Assembly
- 5th December  Friday  Pursuit of Excellence Presentation

**Week 10**
- 10th December  Wednesday  Graduation Mass - 7.00pm

**Week 11**
- 16th December  Tuesday  End of Year Mass
- Morning tea for parents
- 17th December  Wednesday  Year 6 Fun Day
- **17th December**  Wednesday  Last Day of term for Students
- 18th December  Thursday  Staff Development Day
- 19th December  Friday  Staff Development Day

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**Parish News**

**Mass for Faithful Departed**
A special mass will be celebrated on Saturday 29 November at 9am in the memory of all the Faithful Departed.
All welcome.

**Recollection and Prayer**
Recollection and Prayer day for Nurses, Doctors, Allied Health Workers, Carers and all who have a loving heart for the sick.

Where: Sacred Heart Parish Westmead
When: Saturday 22 November 2014
Time: 10 am – 3 pm
(9am Mass preceding the prayer day)
Cost: Suggested donation $10.
BYO: Lunch/Morning Tea provided.

Keynote address by Fr. Marcelo (Bong) Pamintuan MI (Camillian Priest and Chaplain). The day will consist of a Keynote Address, discussions, prayer times, quiet time, group sharing and a closing liturgy, Reconciliation will also be available.

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