



# ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL

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Our Vision

Love



Aroha, Learn



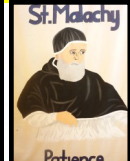
Ako, Serve



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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.



## Winter is here

How do we approach the season of winter? Do we mourn the passing of summer's warmth and autumn's golden glow? Do we live in fear of shortened days, long nights and the cold of the coming days?

Or does the winter remind us of the wonderful rhythm of God's creation? Seeds sown in spring have grown, fruited and provided for our needs. Trees that provided shelter for wildlife have now shed their leaves which in due course will rot down and provide nutrients for the coming year. Plants in our gardens which have seemingly died lie dormant within the ground, ready to emerge and bring us joy in the spring to come.

God of winter, springtime, summer and autumn, God of light, warmth, love, potential and hope

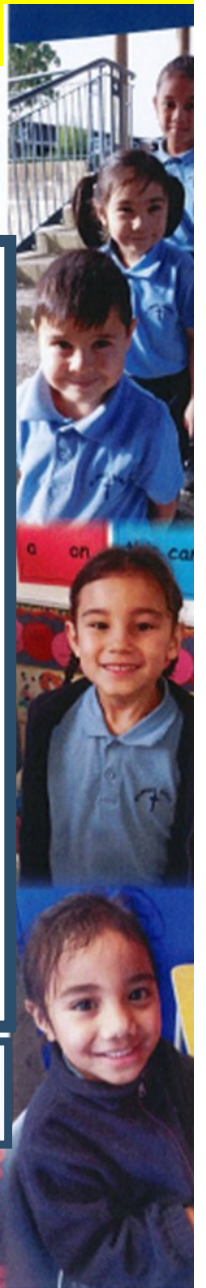
Who in the darkest days enters our lives as you entered this world

Bringing love, healing and wholeness.

We praise your glorious name!

Amen

*I can do all things in Christ because he gives me strength.  
Paul's Letter to Philippians 4:13*



# Newsletter No: 17 – Week 07 – 12.06.2024

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Email: [office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz](mailto:office@stpaulsprimary.school.nz)

Facebook: 'St Paul's School, Massey—Events'

Hello, Kia Ora, Tālofa lava, Mālō ē lelei, Annyong (Korean), Namaste, Privet, Ni Hao, Hola (Spanish), Kamusta (Filipino), Bula vinaka (Fijian), Muraho (Rwandan), Apa kabar (Indonesian), Hallo (Dutch), Fakaalofa lahi atu (Niuean), Kia Orana (Cook Island), Minggalaba (Myanmar), Akwaaba (Ghanian)

## Term Two

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| 29 April | 75 Reading Nights  |
| 25 June  | Year 5/6 Basketball Competition  |
| 27 June  | Feast of St Paul celebrated today<br>Junior (Y1 and Y2) disco at lunchtime<br>Disco (Y3 to Y6) 6.30-8.00pm |
| 28 June  | Matariki Holiday   |
| 30 June  | School Mass at St Paul's Church, 162 Waimumu Rd, Massey at 10.30am   |
| 3 July   | Student Led Conferences - <i>early school finish at 12.00pm</i>  |
| 6 July   | Last day of Term Two   |
| 22 July  | First day of Term Three  |
| 17 Dec   | Last day of school   |

## Week 7

Kia ora koutou e te Whānau o Hāto Paora,

Our Year 4 to 6 students all experienced Swim Safe at Peninsula Primary School. They had a lot of fun, learnt how to be safe in the water and gained a lot of confidence. This was a great experience for our tamāriki.

Yesterday Hugo, Noah, Mikayla and Semisi from Room 4 shared their stories with me. They were so excited. They wrote a number of sentences and some of the sentences started with different beginnings. This is great from our Year 1 students.

Mary Zellman continued...

### Important Notification:

**Student Led Conferences**

**Wednesday 3 July**

**School will finish early at 12.30pm**

**Information about how to book a time slot will be sent home shortly.**

**Your child will talk to you about their learning and their goals for the rest of the year. They are proud of their achievements and will really enjoy sharing their learning with their family.**

A very special weekend is coming up. On Thursday 27 June the school will be celebrating the school's Feast Day. There will be a Disco for our Year 1 and 2 students at lunchtime and a Disco for Years 3 to 6 on Thursday night 6.30-8.00pm.

**Of course then Friday is Matariki.**

On Sunday 30 June St Paul's School is leading Mass at 10.30 am at St Paul's Church. What a great way to celebrate our faith as a community.

St Paul's School is part of the North West Art Exhibition held in the shopping mall. Mrs Takau has organised a display of art pieces, Go and have a look for yourself. The art is on display outside Farmers.

Ngā mihi nui kia koutou katoa,

**Mary Zellman**  
(Principal)



# Reading Nights:



If your child has read every night then they should be on 120 Reading Nights and should have received their 25, 50, 75 and 100 Reading Nights Certificate.

**25 Nights:** Hedy Koch, Chloe Dey.

**50 Nights:** David Menzies, McKenzie Bulatiko.

**75 Nights:** Cassandra Falcon, Cleo Allen, Sam Vishan, Maripaz Gullo Olarte, Christine Lian Zaw, Cole Wharton, Hannah Libin, Francis Holt, Savannah Moitra, Tyler De Vries, Helena Lijo, Laila Asilusi, Roman Larsen Marsters, Janica Turno, Sophia De Leon, Noah Wulf, Tommy Donnelly Praise Neri, Rudi Steedman, Mary Fonua.

**100 Nights:** Cassandra Falcon, Christine Lian Zaw, Cole Wharton, Hannah Libin, Francis Holt, Soyul Park, Chantelle Mazana, Liam Vidanes, Ashton Bos, Armah Tahere, Joaquin Luna, Aiyana Tahere, Janvi Shankar, Helena Lijo, Tyler De Vries, Gavyn Tabora, Eilianna Tomasi, Junho Seo, Anton Jose, Marcus Williams, Zariah Krishna, Liam Apino, Gabo Dimayuga, Sophia de Leon, Noah Wulf, Ethan Page, Frank Donnelly, Liam Kim, Jackson Moore, Aaliyah Kuata, Olliver Hernandez, Maddie Petaia, Ollie Davies, Rudi Steedman, Mary Fonua, Georges Abdo, Carlo Brown, Isabelle Light.



**Talanoa**

**Wednesday 19 June**

**7.00pm**

**Tālofa lava, Mālo ē lelei, Bula vinaka,  
Kia orana, Fakaalofa lahi atu, Talofa**

The Board is holding a Talanoa on Wednesday 19 June to hear the aspirations of our Pasifika community. The Board will be providing a light meal. Parents, your children will be looked after by staff if you are unable to find someone to look after them.

Can you please let the office know if you are able to attend? Remember to include numbers for catering purposes.

Thank you

## CARPARK REMINDER

**Reminder for  
parents to  
walk their  
children across  
the crossing.  
We cannot  
send children  
into the  
carpark  
unassisted.**



# SCHOOL DUES

Term 1 Fees and Stationery  
are overdue and must be paid now.

Term 2 Fees are due at the end of this Term.

Term Fees: \$144.00 per term  
(including \$15 Special Character Contribution)  
\$576.00 per year

Stationery:  
Yr 1: \$75.00, Yr 2: \$85.00  
Yr 3—Y6 : \$95.00

We encourage parents/caregivers to do weekly/  
fortnightly automatic payments to spread the cost  
throughout the year.

*Please contact Mrs Leony if you have any  
enquiries.*

*Email: [leonyl@stpaulsprimary.school.nz](mailto:leonyl@stpaulsprimary.school.nz)  
Phone: 832 7200 (9am-3pm)*

Thank you.

# Uniform Shop

Open: Friday only

8.00 - 9.00am

Cash/Eftpos

*Please note that the uniform shop price  
reflects the latest costs from our supplier,  
embroidery and shipping.*

Year 5 and 6 students  
must wear the school PE shirt (\$16.00)  
for Physical Education lessons.

## ST DOMINIC'S AND LISTON ARE ASKING FOR HELP!

*They **URGENTLY** need 12 more  
homestay families for Term 3*

### Homestay Hosts Needed

St Dominic's Catholic College and  
Liston College are urgently looking  
for warm, caring and kind homestay  
families to host a group of students  
from China from the 28<sup>th</sup> July to the  
5 August (just one week).

You can host one, two, or three  
students in your home. Homestay  
board is paid for all students.

If you have a spare room, enjoy  
hosting students or have a daughter  
or son interested in learning about  
another culture, please contact  
Tanya Corrigan on 027 500 2799 or  
email: [tcorrigan@stdoms.ac.nz](mailto:tcorrigan@stdoms.ac.nz).

## Sports Results:

St Paul's Stars lost 10-0

POD: Sarode Baraniko

St Paul's Firebirds lost 1-24

POD: Chantelle Mazana

St Paul's Little Legends lost 10-16 POD: Jaxson  
Sunderland

St Paul's Swift WON 16-3 POD: Nylah Rota

St Paul's Magic WON 3-0 POD: Shiloh Nicholas

St Paul's Panthers WON 26-4 POD: Jaxon  
Carvalho

St Paul's Disciples WON 20-18 POD: Matthew  
Magnampo



## SPARE CLOTHES

Please bring spare clothes for your child  
in his/her bag  
(including underwear).

It does not have to be school uniform.

**Be kind, honest, patient and look  
after others.**

Mary Zellman, Principal