

# Holy Family Primary School

## Mini News

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Term 4

Week 5

## Student Awards

We congratulate this week's Student of the Week Award recipients:

Autumn Jade McMahon	Awaer Mathiang
Aweng Aguer	Jack Spina
Charbella Germanos	Nathan Habib
Mina Nohra	Joseph Kalouche
Madison Nohra	Jorja Le Claire
Vernessa Yi	
Vincent Tuala	Maryanne Takchi



**Principal's Award:** Olivia Isaac, Christiana Kalouche, Quiana Tembo-Sievers, Jade Farah, Therese El-Haddad, Joelle Taouk, Tatiana Arida, Charlotte Edwards, Michelle Lin, Hugo Ng, Joseph Amelson, Hamid Nehme, Monica Habib and Rhiannon Downes

## Religious Education Matters

### Scripture Reflection

"You may discharge us from this present life, but the King of the world will raise us up, since it is for his laws that we die, to live again for ever." 2 Maccabees 7:9  
"And they can no longer die; for they are like the angels. They are God's children, since they are children of the resurrection." Luke 20:36



What links the First Reading, from 2 Maccabees and the Gospel from Luke, is clearly their common declaration of life after death, specifically resurrection. What is heaven like? I guess different people imagine different things. We do know that this is God's plan for us. We have been given salvation and eternal life through Jesus Christ, salvation was given to us freely through the love of God. Once this realisation hits us, that we are truly children of God who can live in hope, then we will not be able to live our lives in the same way again. Truly, we will be transformed and live our lives so as to build His kingdom and bring heaven on earth.

### Confirmation

Thank you again to all the parents and teachers involved in the preparation of the children for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Thank you Monica Habib and Claudia Abi Kabalane, from Yr6, who served at the Mass and were part of the group of children who, were confirmed at Baptism, and received a special blessing from Bishop Anthony.



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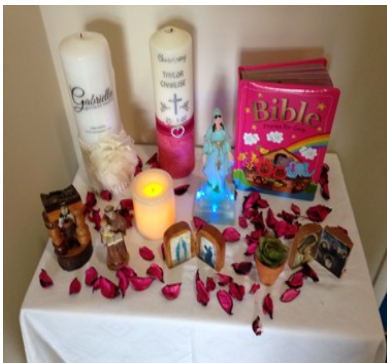
# Calendar



## November

Monday 11th November	Swimming Program continues.
	Remembrance Day Prayers in classrooms.
Wednesday 13th November	Year 7 Orientation to Delany College.
Friday 15th November	Swimming Program Ends.
Tuesday 19th November	Year 4 & 6 attending Reconciliation.

### Foyer Prayer Table



The Yacoub family lovingly decorated our office foyer prayer table this week.

*“These items are sacred to us, as they symbolise the Christian faith and path that we follow.*

*The statue of Mary lights up at night, I keep her on my bedside where she watches over me and keeps me safe as I sleep.*

*The Children’s Bible is a fun and rhyming way to learn about my faith. It has a special prayer on the back, which our family read together each night where we thank Jesus for being our friend.”*

Taylor Yr 1

Wk6 Nakhoul Family (Gabriel Kindy)

(If your family would like to share some of your precious items on our prayer table please let Mr Bawden know.)



### *Birthday Wishes!*

*We would like to congratulate Maryanne Takchi, Tony Chaiban, Alexander Lehnen and Emanuel Koroma who celebrate their birthdays this week!*

### Tuckshop News



Lunch orders are available everyday from the canteen. Placing a lunch order includes writing your child's name, class, order on a paper bag and placing the correct money inside. Your child then hands their lunch order in class to be passed on to the canteen.

- ◆ If you do not use a paper bag for your lunch order an extra .10c needs to be added.
- ◆ Please do not use sticky tape or staples to seal your lunch order.

*Thank you for your co-operation.*

## Community News

# CRAFT MARKET & ANTIQUE VALUATIONS FOR NSW POLICE LEGACY

**Saturday 23 Nov  
8am - 2pm  
198 Old Prospect Rd  
Greystanes**

Come and join us in Camilleri Hall for our popular Christmas Craft Market and Antique Valuations! Funds raised go to NSW Police Legacy. You will find Christmas gifts for everyone; enjoy a Devonshire tea, and sausage sizzle by Holroyd Lion’s Club. Police display and Officers available for photos.



There is plenty of parking and entry is free. It’s going to be a great day so bring the whole family and your friends.

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