Tuesday 9th June 2015
Dear Parents and Families, Staff and Students,

**Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ**

**WHAT?**
We remember Jesus and then go out to do God's work in the world. Even the small and everyday things you do for others count!

**WHEN?**
Every time we gather to share the Eucharist at Mass we remember Jesus.
Every time we do good in our family and in our community we are being Christ in the world.

**WHO?**
We are all the body of Christ. Those who believe in Christ become his hands and feet.

**WHY?**
We are the hands and feet of Christ so that his work on earth can continue through us.

**HOW?**
We join together as a community of believers to remember Jesus. We act together to make our community and world a better place.

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**Do you remember Jesus at Mass?**

**Are you acting as a part of the body of Christ?**

**How do you do Christ’s work in your family and your community?**

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Bern Christensen (APRE)
LAST WEEK:

● We were visited by a group of Year 9 students and teachers from Clonard College in Geelong, Victoria. The ALL GIRL group was well prepared group and keen to help, especially in Pre-School and Transition / Year 1. On Friday, the girls presented a video they’d made about the college and a dance. We were also given a box of stationary as a gift. We thank the college for the generosity and enthusiasm of its students and teachers and hope they left with memories to last a lifetime!

● In Wednesday’s Assembly, we gave out the St Marcellin Special Awards for Kindness. Saturday 6th June was the feast day of Saint Marcellin Champagnat, the French priest who started the Marist order for Catholic men. St Marcellin was very kind and devoted to the Virgin Mary and education. Our winners were: Pre-School: Ashley Smith and Latahnia Anderson. Yr. T/1: Shalana Young and Lathan Ryder. Yr. 2/3: Lulu Wilson and Victor Palmer. Yr. 4: Taylor Palmer and Kurt Smith. Yr. 5: Farron Mulladad and Claudia Oliver. Yr. 6/7 L: Lesharna Young and Harold Young. Yr. 6/7 V: Device Ronson and Jennifer Ryder. Yr. 8/9: Kayne Lynch and Calvina Smith. Yr. 10/11: Scott Young and Christyannah Wallace. ALL of these students showed great KINDNESS towards others in Terms 1 and 2.

● On Friday, we were joined by trainee doctors, nurses, physiotherapists, paramedics and speech therapists from universities around Australia. They were brought together by Medicare Local Northern Territory. The group ran a series of workshops in the library for our Years 6 – 11 students. It was a HUGE success! We hope this leads some of our students to work in NT health care one day.

● On Friday, Br Daniel finally learned the cause of his illness. This means that his doctors can treat him more effectively. Although the medication might have some unpleasant side-effects, Br Daniel is ‘relieved’ to know that a full recovery is now in sight. We are delighted that he will be back in community and school next term. Both Br Daniel and Imelda are extremely grateful for all of the prayers people have said for them AND the knowledge and skill of the doctors and nurses that cared for them. Prayer and Medical Science are amazing!

THIS WEEK:

● This is a special week for Year 6/7. It’s their Assembly on Wednesday and on Thursday, Viv will be taking a group of students, who’ve behaved and attended well this term, to the Alice Springs Pool and Bowling. That should be fun!

● Please continue to return your Permission Forms about the school’s Facebook page. We need to get 100% of them back.

Have a great week, everyone.

Yours sincerely,

Justin Colley  (Deputy Principal)