

E-Newsletter # 9 - Term 2 Week 8 2021 24 June 2021

### **Upcoming Dates**

Week 8 Friday 25 June Hub Led Mass 9.00am in the Church Led by Tika Tuatahi/Aroha

School Assembly 2.00 pm in the Church Led by Arohanui Tuatahi

Week 9 Monday 28 June Morning Liturgy 9.00 am Led by Tika Tuatahi/Aroha

Friday 2 July Hub Led Mass 9.00am in the Church Led by Arohanui Tuarua

School Assembly 2.00pm in the Church

Week 10 Monday 5 July Morning Liturgy 9.00 am Led by Arohanui Tuarua

Friday 9 July Whole School Mass 9.00am in the Church NO School Assembly



Greetings, Kia Ora Koutou Katoa, Talofa Lava, Malo e Lelei, Kia Orana, Fakalofa atu, Kumusta, Shlama Ellokhon, Zdravo, Kona Mauri, Malo Ni, Salam Alaikum, Bula Vinaka, Namaste, Chao Ban

#### New Carpark

During the term break we will be working on a new staff car park at the entrance of the school. By bringing the staff cars closer to the entrance, it will allow more parking for our families and community in the Parish carparks.

The picture and diagram below will give you an idea of what we are wanting to achieve. The blue line represents new fencing that brings the Multipurpose Room into the school grounds. This will create a barrier between the pupils and the car park itself. You can see by the arrows cars can only enter one way.

Thank you for your patience as we all get used to the new entrance. We hope it will create a safer drop off and pick up experience for all.



Last Day of school for Term 2 is Friday, 9 July 2021

First Day of school for Term 3 Monday, 26 July 2021

## A very big Welcome!

To the following students (and their whanau) who have recently started at our school Crichton Roberts Leonardo Amato Micha Aukuso Jerome Tautolo Manuoocher Manu







#### **Cellphones and our Children**

Our children have far more access to cellphones than ever before. This is great for communication and safety for our children, however they can cause other issues. Think of a cell phone like your child getting a car. I am sure you would support them in learning how to drive safely and responsibly. Are we doing this regarding cell phones?

Here are some simple tips to support:

**Keep it Locked** - set up the account with your child and set their password. Check you always have access to their phone and Apps. Remind them to keep the password to themselves. **Keep it private** - Birthdays, last names, address and family details should be private and not shared online.

**Keep talking** - talk to your child about what is appropriate to say online. Check they are not facing online bullying or abuse. **Check their phone** - certain Apps are for 13 year olds and above. However, we know our pupils are using these Apps. This is the most common place for online abuse with children.

**God Bless** Mr Ryan Principal



The journey itself is the place of redemption and revelation. Helen Marie Burns

# **International Language Week**



Last week we celebrated **International Language week.** This was a great opportunity for students and staff from different ethnic groups to be proud about their cultural identities and teach us a little about where they are from. We had karakia in Croatian, Kiribati, Irish, Assyrian, Tagalog, Indian, Myanmar, Spanish and French. **Congratulations** to Tūmanako hub who **WON** the hub challenge for the great job they did singing "If you're happy and you know it" in several languages. Check out their video.



If you happy and you know it sung by Tumanako

### Gospel Value of the week

Arohanui

Compassion

Family-Whanau book

Catholic Community Links Auckland Catholic Diocese St Anne's Parish Mass Time

### Disciple of the Week



In Week 6 the **Disciple of the Week** trophy was awarded to Richard of Tika Tuarua for helping his friend.



In Week 7 the **Disciple of the Week** trophy was awarded to Violet of Arohanui Tuarua for playing nicely with others.





Jesus said, "Among those born of women there has been none greater than John the Baptist" (Mt 11:11).



This Thursday is the Solemnity of the Birth of Saint John the Baptist. Each year on June 24 the Catholic Church honors the birth of John by reflecting on his unique role as the precursor of Jesus. The solemnity held on that date praises John as a worthy example of what it means to be a follower of Christ.

John the Baptist was Jesus' cousin, and he baptised Jesus in the Jordan River. John led a simple life. He was only concerned with the Kingdom of God and always spoke of love and truth. He is a model of how to live a life in Christ.

John the Baptist's parents were Zechariah and Elizabeth. Elizabeth was related to Jesus' mother, Mary.

Mary visited Elizabeth when Elizabeth was pregnant with John. John, filled with the Holy Spirit, leapt with joy in Elizabeth's womb when Mary greeted her relative. Elizabeth understood that the child Mary Son of God.

carried was to be the Son of God.

John taught those who followed him to turn to Christ. He called Jesus the "Lamb of God" (John 1:29). In all that John did, he pointed his followers toward Christ instead of calling attention to himself. In the Gospel of John, we read that some Pharisees questioned John: "Why then do you baptise if you are not the Messiah or Elijah or the Prophet?' John answered them, "I baptise with water; but there is one among you whom you do not recognise, the one who is coming after me, whose sandal strap I am not worthy to untie" (John 1:25–27).

John lived a humble life. We can adopt this same humility in our own lives. When we do good works, we should do them out of love and in God's name, not for our personal recognition or gain.



Well done to the following children who have received

# Principal Awards

#### Aroha - Year 0&1:

Hadassah Mlinde Elbron Issic Amber Miao Sameep Gaur

**Tika - Year 1&2:** Arona Arona Genesis Latu RJ Samasoni Nathaniel Taufao Charbel Khamis Agamalu Gray Taina Lotulelei Olivia Whitford

#### Whakanui -Year 3&4:

Roguen Harris Kaia Whaiapu-Viliua Daniel Vaipule Alissah Symons-Tulua Rheign Rounds Lifa Alenepi Lasalle Ngan Woo Bernard Atonio Malolo

#### Arohanui - Year 5&6:

Tiritoa Narayan Serlena Tuaniu VJ Vise Leanne McLaughlin Celine Nguyenvu Mele Manu Matthew Khamis Kristina Harris Daveron

**Tumanako - Year 7&8:** Shanella Tuipulotu Tracey Esekia

#### **Upcoming Tournaments:**

Wednesday 30th June, Year 5/6 volleyball @ Manurewa Netball Club, Browns Road.



## **Fantastic Four**



In Week 6 the Excellence Award trophy went to The Earthquake Finder Group. This group prepared and presented their findings and then showcased it to Mr Ryan. We acknowledge the following students of Whakanui Tuarua - Noah, Tiana, Amanda and Marsel for their excellent work on their presentation.

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## Showing the Fruits of the Holy Spirit



In Week 7 the Excellence Award trophy went to Frances of Arohanui Tuarua and Nicola of Arohanui Tuatahi for their honesty and integrity for finding money on the court, then decided to hand it in to Mrs Milich-Misikini.



Here is a photo of the captain Lily Stone and co-captain Ariane Emmerson who showed great leadership skills in leading the team.

### Quote of the week:

"Push yourself because no one else is going to do it for you".

## @ the School Office

### **School Uniform**

Our school uniform is now available for you to purchase online through our supplier

#### Argyle Schoolwear.

School Hats, PE Shirts, and boys' socks are also on sale at our school library. We also have a supply of girls' white ankle socks ( a range of sizes)- \$2 per pair.



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### Kia orana Whānau,

Well done to the year 7 & 8 hockey team who won the sportsmanship award at the CCSA hockey tournament. Ka pai girls and thank you Mrs TuiSamoa for taking the team to the tournament.







Well done to Tika Tuatahi who were the first hub to win the Jump Jam trophy. Keep up the moving and grooving Tika Tuatahi.

> Kia Kaha, Miss Lewis **Sports Coordinator**

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