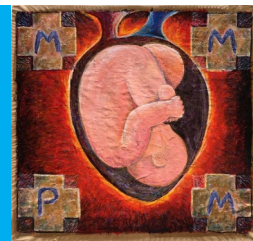




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Current News Items

A Prayer for Lent

O gracious Master, infuse in our hearts the spotless light of Your Divine Wisdom and open the eyes of our mind that we may understand the teachings of Your Gospel. Instill in us also the fear of Your blessed commandments, so that having curbed all carnal desires, we may lead a spiritual life, both thinking and doing everything to please You. For You, O Christ, our God, are the enlightenment of our souls and bodies; and to You we render glory, together with Your eternal Father, and with Your all holy, life-creating Spirit, now and ever, and forever.



District Dates

February 28th: Brother John travels to Rome for Conference. Arrives back in Auckland on March 12th.

Wednesday 4th March: Wellbeing Meeting at Onslow.

Friday June 6th: First Profession of Vows at Lomeri, Fiji. Brother Ieremia Karekennatu and Brother Ienraku Temoi.

March 13th: Brother John meets with Community Leaders at Onslow at 10.00am.

Extra - Attached Reports:

No extra reports this week

28th February 2020

Brother Siasi has further News from Mulivai—Samoa



The beginning of the school year has been interrupted by the strong winds and rain during week 4 of the first term. All schools were closed after Monday for the rest of the week. So yesterday 24/02/20 we resumed once again. After the final count of the census this year for the Ministry of Education, Sports and Culture Office we have a role of 828 students this year at Marist Mulivai. We have 3 streams from Years 1 to 3, then 2 streams from Years 4 to 8. At the moment I am the only Brother working at Mulivai, and I am looking forward for the return of Brother Christopher Maney from St. Joseph's College. He was replacing Iulio while he was in New Zealand for health issues. There are 25 full time teachers and 4 auxiliary staff.



One of the parent helpers preparing work for the reading classes

Mr Dan Dungey Reports on Student Leaders' Forum

Once again, thank you for your support of the recent Student Leaders Forum. There was a lot of sharing taking place in formal and informal settings during our time together and a lot of strong connections were made. I have been made aware that there was some deeper sharing during informal discussions that may raise issues for some of our students. As reinforced during the forum, please give all your young people the opportunity to visit your school's counselor for professional support if and when required during the year. In the spirit of St Marcellin Champagnat, Dan

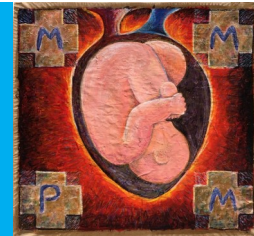




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St Paul's College Ponsonby News Report

St Paul's 2020 Inaugural Mass was held recently at St Joseph's in Grey Lynn. Amongst many highlights of the evening was the announcement of more of our 2020 prefects to join Head Prefect **Reuben Fruean** and his two deputies **Lachlan Patelesio** and **Soane Kolotau**



*St Paul's 2020 Prefects as announced at the Inaugural Mass recently (from left): **Gabriel Sangalang**, **Tony Samuela**, Deputy Head Prefect **Soane Kolotau**, **Jeremiah Margraff**, Head Prefect **Reuben Fruean**, **Selevasio Tuima**, Deputy Head Prefect **Lachlan Patelesio**, **Tyreese Savea**, **Siupeli Aho** and **Angela Taufa***

Recently St Paul's held a farewell for **Brother John** combined with an acknowledgement of **Brother Colin** and their many years of faithful service to St Paul's College. **Brother John** is moving from the Marist Brothers' house next door to our school to the Brothers' community located at Sacred Heart College. **Brother Colin** has been appointed Community Leader of the Marist Brothers Community and will also move to Sacred Heart.



Sacred Heart College News Reports



Recently we held our annual Leadership Handover Assembly where 2019 Head Boy Millar Rewi officially handed over the reins to 2020 Head Boy Milan Krulech and his team of Deputies and Prefects. This will be followed on Sunday by our Prefects Mass where this year's student leadership team will be blessed and formally inducted. It's been fantastic to see so many parents attend the strategic workshops and parent year level evenings with Heads of Years. It was also great to see so many fathers attending the Year 7 Father and Son Mass and Breakfast recently.

Marcellin College Reports on their Activities



Thank you to all parents and families who attended our inaugural Mass and the installation of our Prefects last week on Thursday the 13th February.

