Spirit Prayer
May you be strong in courage and confidence.
May you be wise in choices and decisions.
May you be caring of all relationships and compassionate to those in need.
May you meet life's adventure with a clear mind and a bold heart.
May your integrity be a gift to the world and may the Spirit of God be with you always. Amen.

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Confirmation Workshops: These took place over two evenings this week and I thank all those who participated to support their child as they prepare for the reception of Confirmation on Pentecost Sunday. Thank you to those who were involved in the preparation of and running of the workshops, especially Father Andrew, who attended all the workshops and presented some of the material. It is wonderful to have your presence among us, Father.

Biggest Morning Tea: We will be holding our BIGGEST MORNING TEA this Thursday, May 26th at 10.00 in classrooms. This is a fundraiser for Cancer and we held the same event two years ago with great success. Please come and join your child in their classroom for morning tea and meet up with other parents from your child’s class. Further information is elsewhere in the newsletter and a flyer has been sent home about this event. (Kindy is not involved in this event.)

Farewell: Today we farewell Mrs Joanne Rapinese and Mrs Kym Milner as they take leave from tomorrow in preparation for the births of their children in early July. We wish them well and have advised them to sleep as much as they can in the next six weeks!

Welcome: As staff leave, others arrive and so we welcome back Mrs Erin McLoughlin, returning from maternity leave, Mrs Jo-Ann Dennis and Miss Carly Liddle who are taking over in our Year 1 classes. We know you will enjoy being here with our wonderful children and families.

God bless you
Eileen Climo
Principal

NOTES SENT HOME DURING THE WEEK
Australia's Biggest Morning Tea
Cybersafety Brochure

VISION STATEMENT
St Andrew’s CPS offers an education that acknowledges, respects and nurtures the uniqueness of each person.
Within a framework of Catholic values and teamwork, the students will be challenged and supported to recognise their gifts and develop their potential as they learn and contribute to their community.
DATES TO REMEMBER

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SCHOOL MATTERS

Congratulations to those children who have celebrated their birthdays recently.
Emerlin Tsouris, Jordyn Grevers, Trevor Wright

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AUSTRALIA’S BIGGEST MORNING TEA

On Thursday the 26th of May, our school will be participating in Australia’s Biggest Morning Tea. All money raised goes towards the Cancer Council. It is dedicated to research, education and prevention programs, support services and advocacy to protect the community from cancer risk factors.

Each class will be holding their own morning tea from 10:00am to 10:30am. Parents are invited to join their child’s class at this time with tea and coffee being provided.

We ask for your help in the following ways:
1. Send in a small plate of food to be shared with your child’s class (drinks provided).
2. Make a gold coin donation to the Cancer Council (By both parents attending and students) Help us in the fight against Cancer!
LIBRARY - GAMES
If you have any complete board games, card games or puzzles that your children have outgrown or no longer use we would love them in the Library. The children will enjoy them during their lunch times. Please send them in with your child.

Library Monitor Awards
Thank you to the following children who helped in the Library during their lunchtimes:
- Baeleigh Robinson
- Whitney Kuramoto
- Melina Boyanich
- Bryony Peters
- Trevor Wright
- Michael Gammage

Thank you
Mrs Graffin-Library Teacher

CYBERSAFETY HELP BUTTON
The Australian Government has developed an initiative to improve online safety for children at home and at school – The Cybersafety Help Button. The Government recognises the opportunities the internet offers for education, social, interaction, innovation and convenience. However, we also know that along with all the opportunities, there are risks that can make the online world unpleasant and even dangerous.

It is important that young Australians can enjoy its benefits and go online with safety and confidence.

The Help Button provides internet users, particularly children and young people, with easy and immediate online access to cybersafety information and assistance. It provides counselling, reporting and educational resources designed to assist children deal with online risks including cyberbullying, unwanted contact, scams and fraud, and offensive or inappropriate material. A Cybersafety Help Button fact sheet is being sent home for your information.

COMMUNITY NEWS

PARENTING WORKSHOPS

And So To Sleep: 7 months to 2 years of age
This workshop explores children’s sleep patterns and rhythms which evolve as their brain continues to make sense of their world. Participants will explore and help identify both the parents and child’s role in relation to sleep and nutritional requirements for this age group.

Practical ideas will be discussed which will assist you to coach your child through the upheavals that may arise in everyday life in your home that challenge family sleep patterns.

Bookings are essential on 9368 9368.

A non-refundable fee of $25 per person or $35 per couple is payable at time of booking, however bookings can be changed with 48 hours notice. Ngala can also arrange to come to you, your playgroup or other community group (fees apply). Venue: Sanori House, Suite 4/126 Grand Boulevard, Joondalup. For parents of children 7 months to 2 years of age. 2 hour workshop. Monday 4 July 7.00 pm. Understanding & Guiding Children's Behaviour: 1 to 4 years.
As we are preparing for our Confirmation, we think about the Gifts and Fruits given to us through the Holy Spirit.

The Gift or Fruit that best describes me is...

Jordan – Joy because when there’s a problem I never give in
Eve – Love because of the special relationship with my mother.
Jazzmin - Love because I have a strong relationship with my Mum and Dad.
David - Trustfulness because I always fulfil my responsibilities.
Keegan - Joy because I’m always joyful and happy wherever I go.
Bailey - Love because I have a love for my family and pets that can not be destroyed.
Lisa - Trustfulness because I always keep promises and I can take on responsibilities.
Tahnaya - Gentleness because I let others join my group when they are rejected
Baeleigh - Love because of my special relationship with my friends and family.
Caiden - Joy because I have fun and enjoy being with my friends.
Whitney - Kindness because I don’t judge people and I try my best to help anyone in need
Katie - Love because of all the love I have between my Mum Dad and I.
Ajoung - Peace because I usually fight with my brother but then I make peace.
I don’t know about him.
Nakeisha - Love because of a beautiful relationship with mum and my brothers.
Tristan - Joy because I always try and find the optimistic point of view of the situation.
Jack - Joy because I always do pranks and play “Knock ‘n’ Run” in the street with my best friends Joel and Ryan and make cubbies in the bush across the road.
Emerson – Knowledge because I never give up on a task that looks hard or is hard.
I keep trying.
Hailey - Gentleness because I’m so gentle with my baby kitten Tabatha.
Kampbell - Joy because if there’s a problem I never let myself give in and always look for the bright side of things.
Dylan – Kindness because I always consider other people.
Odhran - Joy because I make people laugh and I am always happy.
Josh - Self control because I use perseverance and never give up
if there is a situation or challenge.
Zoe - Kindness because I help people when they need it and I don’t say mean things about people.
Piper - Love because I show how much I care about my friends and family.
Isaac – Joy because I’m happy and funny. I make jokes with my friends everyday.
Kye – Love because of my caring relationship with my family and friends.