For Those Who Hunger
God, at this moment there are people who hunger for food,
for a crust of bread, a piece of fish,
or even the scraps in our rubbish bins.
Please feed them.
Holy friend, sift our prayers
and turn our hopes into deeds.

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Thank you

On behalf of St Vinnies, I would like to sincerely thank you, our school community, for the amazing contributions you make towards those who are less fortunate, through your donations to the food basket inside our school office. Your donations help keep St Vinnies afloat in the Clarkson Parish and enable many families in our local area to live with dignity.

Fortunately it rained during assembly today so it looks as though we made the right decision in postponing the Junior Athletics Carnival until tomorrow. My apologies to those who changed shifts at work to attend, only to have the day postponed. I hope tomorrow is bright and sunny and that the Carnival is a great success for our children.

Thank you to the members of the P & F who cooked and served the sausage sizzle to our children today, especially Vicki Reid who coordinated the event. The sausage sizzle was to have been linked to the Carnival, but we had trouble finding people who could prepare it on Friday, so it went ahead as planned.

A reminder to Year 7 parents, that the Camp meeting will be held in the library next Wednesday at 7.00 pm. Attendance is not compulsory. You have received all the necessary information about the camp, but this meeting is an opportunity for us to answer any other questions you might have. We are looking forward to a night at the Zoo with your children. I am assured that they sleep well, after an extremely busy afternoon and evening. We hope so anyway!

Reminder: Pupil Free Day – Monday 24th November

God bless you.

NOTES SENT HOME THIS WEEK

Eileen Climo  Zoo Camp – Year 7
Principal       Fitness/Junior Athletics Carnival

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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CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE CHILDREN WHO HAVE CELEBRATED THEIR BIRTHDAY RECENTLY

Emily Englebert, Eve Jones, Becky Ivey, Hanouska Mungar, Emysen Robinson, Makur Maker-Makur, Ajoung Maker-Makur, Ruby Walsh

SCHOOL MATTERS

ST VINCENT DE PAUL
We ask for your help at this time by praying for those in need and donating food items.

WEEK 4  Breakfast items e.g. cereal, tins of fruit juice, long life milk, sugar, tea bags, coffee, vegemite, jams, pancake mixes (bottle type that only need water).
WEEK 5 and 6  Dinner items
WEEK 7, 8 and 9  Christmas items

Bridget Jones - Assistant Principal

UNIFORMS
Most orders for uniforms are available to be picked up from the uniform shop on Friday. Unfortunately the families that have ordered summer dresses size 8 will not be able to pick up their order. We are still waiting on the size 8 dresses.

P&F COMMITTEE

CALENDARS AND CARDS FUNDRAISER
LAST CHANCE to order photo or artwork calendars and cards. Support your school’s fundraising by ordering Crazy Camel Fundraising Calendars. Calendars cost $12.00. Cards cost $15 for a pack of 8. The artwork will be done by each child in the classroom. All orders and monies are due back to school by Monday 3 November.

ULTIMO WINES
Please send your completes form back to the office with payment by Monday the 10th of November.

KAPTURE PHOTOGRAPHY
Thanks to all the families that supported this fundraiser, the day was a great success.

P&F MEETING
The next meeting will be held in the school library on Wednesday th 19th of November at 7.00pm. This will be our last meeting of the year so please come and join us.
We can help children feel safer and happier at school by demonstrating how parents and schools can work together as partners.

How can parents support our Friendly School?

- Get to know our school’s bullying policy and discuss it with your children.
- Maintain regular contact with your children’s teacher.
- Try to attend school functions, for example assemblies and/or help out on the class parent roster to demonstrate your support for your children and the school.
- Read the school newsletter and discuss items of interest with your children.
- Model a positive attitude toward school and encourage your children to see the positive aspects of school life.
- If there is a problem with your children at school, try to work together with the school to overcome the problem. This shows a committed partnership between parents and the school to work towards positive solutions.

COMMUNITY NEWS

RIVERSIDE MULTI SPORTS CAMPS
Riverside Multi Sports Camps are hosting a Sports Summer program for all children from current Years 5, 6 and 7 designed to offer children the chance to experience a wide range of different sporting activities in a fun, yet safe and controlled environment. The programme will run for three days consecutively from 9am to 12.30pm taking place at Trinity College, East Perth from Wednesday 7th January through to Friday 9th January 2009. For more information and application forms please contact St Andrew's office.

WORLD TEACHERS’ DAY – FRIDAY 31 OCTOBER 2008
World Teachers’ Day is a welcome opportunity to celebrate the achievements of teachers and principals across our nation.

Teachers play a crucial role in equipping young people with the knowledge, skills, confidence and a desire to achieve the most in life. This commitment to having all students achieve the best possible education is central to teacher practice and to the well-being and development of Australia’s young people.

It is timely on World Teacher's Day for families, students and the wider community to express appreciation for the commitment and dedication of the teaching profession to helping young people learn and to say a special thank you to teachers who have really made a difference to the students they have taught.
GREGOR RAMSEY – CHAIR OF TEACHING AUSTRALIA
All Saints Day

Beau, Reagan and Toby
All Saints Day is on the first day in November. All Saints Day is a good day to pray at Church. We pray to the Saints so we can be better people.

Jaedyn, Ciara, Kona and Jorja
Saints are known for doing good deeds like helping the sick and poor. Saints have great faith in God. When we celebrate All Saints Day we are celebrating heroes and heroines of the past.

Kaitlyn, Rachel and Alexis
All Saints Day is on the first of November. It was created to honour all the Christian Saints known and unknown. It’s a special day because we go to celebrate at Church.

Aaron, Jayden, Jaiden and Tom
All Saints Day is about all the people who have:
• done miracles.
• been canonized for spreading God’s word.

James, Luis and Shaun
All Saints Day is celebrating the Saints that did great things. It is held on November 1. It is good to pray on this day because it is a special day for them.

Sophie, Meg. K. and Meg. S.
All Saints Day is on the 1st of November.

The Saints believe in one God.

All Saints Day was created to honour all the Christian Saints. In medieval England the festival was called “All Hallows”.

Susan, Annalise and Beryl
People that are Saints are people just like us, but they have a strong faith in God. This faith helps them to do wonderful things like love, care and share.