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NEWSLETTER

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“In loving one another through our works we bring an increase of grace and a growth in divine love.”

Mother Teresa

To All In Our Learning Community,



This week learners will be invited to consider the Emmaus story, which is one of the post resurrection stories recorded for us by the evangelist Luke. As you take the time and opportunity to reflect on this Christian story I wonder what you will notice about the disciples and their journey. The journey can be seen as both a physical and spiritual journey. In what ways are the eyes of the disciples opened as they reflect on their journey with the stranger on the road? Is there any connection to our own lives?

In what way are our own eyes open to the presence of Jesus as we journey at this time of our lives? Is it possible to see the presence of Jesus in our current situation? Are there people within our lives who are a visible presence of Jesus for us? Through the story of COVID-19 are we recognising those who have a profound sense of humanity?



How might we recognise the presence of Jesus through our interactions with one another? In what ways do we value the connection with family and friends that we may not have truly valued before?



What new insights are emerging for you as you engage with this ancient text?

Stay safe

Chris

Return to School

Children in Foundation to Year 2 are to return to school on Tuesday 26th May 2020

Children in Year 3 – 6 are to return to school on Tuesday 9th June 2020

Please refer to the letter attached. Further information will also be sent to families in the coming week regarding the processes and procedure.

Foundation Enrolments 2021 ~ Now Open

Our Foundation enrolments 2021 will begin this week with the 2021 enrolment form on our webpage. <https://www.motherteresa.catholic.edu.au/enrolment-information/enrolment-form/> Families with a Foundation child to begin in 2021 are asked to complete the enrolment form and return it with the accompanying documentation. This can be emailed through to info@motherteresa.catholic.edu.au Please inform families you know wanting to make Foundation enrolment for 2021 of this process.

Kath Murdoch Resources~ Curiosity in the ...

As many of you would know Kath Murdoch Educational Consultant has been in partnership with Mother Teresa PS since our inception in 2009. Kath continues to engage with us at this time and has developed a number of resources to support our learners. Each family will have a received a copy of both ‘**Curiosity in the Garden**’ and ‘**Curiosity in the Home**’. This resource will support our inquiry focus and allow for further cross age learning.

Kath Murdoch Clips ~ Inquiry learning

Kath has developed three clips to support our Community of Inquiry. The clips highlight our inquiry stance providing further insights to parents regarding this approach. We are sure you will be familiar with the things Kath is saying through the language and processes your children engage in during their learning at Mother Teresa PS. The clips are password protected and will be forwarded to your child’s email address with a user name and password on Friday. Please note they are copyright protected and not for general distribution.

Term Two

Sunday 24 th May	Feast of the Ascension
Monday 25 th May	National Reconciliation Day Staff Professional Learning Day – no online learning today
Tuesday 26 th May	Foundation – Year 2 children return to school
Sunday 31 st May	Pentecost Sunday
Sunday 7 th June	Feast of the Trinity
Tuesday 9 th June	Year 3 – Year 6 return to school
Friday 19 th June	Feast of the Sacred Heart
Friday 26 th June	Term 2 concludes