

CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER #14 Friday 4th of September, 2026

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Principal's Message:



Dear Corpus Christi Families,

As we move through Term 3, it continues to be wonderful to see our Corpus Christi community coming together to support our students and celebrate the many people who make our school such a special place.

LEARNING SUPPORT OFFICER APPRECIATION WEEK

This week we celebrated Learning Support Officer (LSO) Appreciation Week, and I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge our LSOs and Administration staff.

We are truly blessed at Corpus Christi to have people who work tirelessly behind the scenes and alongside our teachers and students to ensure that every child is supported to learn, participate and flourish. Our LSO's play such an important role in the daily life of our school. Their patience, care, encouragement and commitment make a genuine difference to our students and their families.

We also acknowledge the wonderful work of our Administration Team, who are often the first friendly faces our families see and who keep so many aspects of school life running smoothly.

To all of our LSOs and Administration staff, thank you! Your work is valued, appreciated and an integral part of our Corpus Christi community.



Term 3/4-Key Dates

Thursday 10th Sept
RUOK Day

Tuesday 15th Sept,
Celebration of Learning
3.00-4.00pm

Thursday 17th Sept,
Whole School End of
Term Mass
10.00am, all welcome

Friday 18th Sept,
Last Day of Term
Students dismissed at
12.00pm

END OF TERM EARLY DISMISSAL



Monday 5th October,
First Day of Term 4

Friday 9th October,
Whole School Beginning
Term 4 Mass
10.00am, all welcome

Acknowledgement of Country

Corpus Christi Primary School acknowledges and pays respect to the past, present and future Traditional Custodians and Elders of this nation and the continuation of cultural, spiritual and educational practices of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

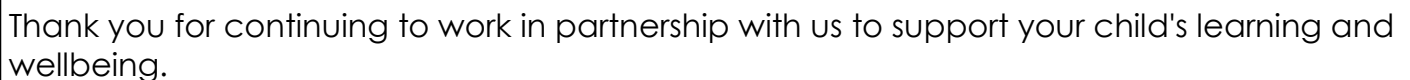


A very big thank you to everyone who helped make our Father's Day Breakfast such a wonderful morning.

Thank you to our staff and volunteers who helped prepare and serve breakfast, collect donations, and to everyone who joined us. Your presence made the morning special for our students.

A gentle reminder to families that every day at school counts.

We understand that children will sometimes be absent due to illness or other circumstances. However, where possible, please make attendance a priority and ensure children arrive at school on time and ready to learn.



Although it is still winter and the full winter uniform should ordinarily be worn, we also understand that the weather can be unpredictable, and we have experienced a few warmer days recently. During this period of changing weather, students may choose to wear either the summer or winter uniform.

Thank you to our families for your support as we navigate this transition between seasons. If you have any questions regarding the uniform, please contact your child's teacher or the school office.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Matteo in FMB and his family who have welcomed a beautiful little girl Alessandra. We look forward to meeting Alessandra in the coming weeks!



I would like to finish by thanking our families for the ongoing support you give our school. A strong school community is built through partnership, teachers, support staff, families and students all working together with the same goal of helping our children to flourish.

There is so much to be proud of at Corpus Christi, and I look forward to continuing to celebrate the achievements of our students and our wonderful community throughout the remainder of Term 3.

With many blessings,

Ange Ferro

A Father's Day Prayer

Loving God,

We give thanks today for the fathers, grandfathers, stepfathers, uncles, brothers and special male figures who play such an important role in the lives of our children.

Thank you for the love, guidance, wisdom and encouragement they give so generously. Thank you for the moments of laughter, the words of reassurance, the lessons they teach and the example they provide through the way they live their lives.

Bless all fathers and father figures in our Corpus Christi community. Give them patience when things are difficult, strength when they are weary, and joy in the privilege of watching their children grow.

May our fathers and father figures always know how valued and appreciated they are.

May they continue to be people of kindness, courage, compassion and faith, helping our children to know that they are loved and that they are never alone.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

HAPPY
Father's Day

Wishing all the fathers, grandfathers and special male figures in our Corpus Christi community a very happy and blessed Father's Day.

**Deputy Principal
School Improvement and Innovation Leader**



Dear Corpus Christi Families,

The end of Term 3 is fast approaching and what an incredible term it has been with some great learning and a couple of wonderful events still to come.

SHOWCASE OF LEARNING

We are excited to invite families to our Showcase of Learning, taking place on Tuesday 15th of September from 3.00–4.00pm. This will be a wonderful opportunity for students to share and celebrate the learning they have been working on across Term 3.

Students will have the chance to showcase their work, explain their learning and share their achievements with family members. Some classes will also have a special performance to share, adding an extra element of celebration to the afternoon.

We look forward to welcoming families into our classrooms and celebrating the wonderful learning happening across our school!

MACSSIS

All families have received an invitation to participate in the annual MACSSIS Survey. This is an opportunity for everyone to make a contribution to the future direction of Corpus Christi. It is a chance to reflect on the many wonderful things we all do and to help chart a course for future improvements.

Over the next two weeks I will continue to be annoying in our pursuit of 75 responses. Should anyone require assistance completing the survey or if you have misplaced your login details, please feel free to reach out and I will be happy to help you.

MACSSIS

Melbourne Archdiocese Catholic Schools – School Improvement Surveys
31 August – 18 September 2026



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2027 ENROLMENTS

Enrolments for 2027 Foundation are fast filling up. If you have any family members or friends who are intending on attending Corpus Christi in 2027, please encourage them to book a tour and complete an enrolment form so that they do not miss out on a place!

I hope everyone has a great fortnight!

Shane Calthorpe

CHARITY TOY DRIVE



CORPUS CHRISTI, FRIENDS OF CHARITY

HOW YOU CAN HELP:

Take some time to go through your toys that your family no longer play with or need.

Package them up in a bag and please send to your child's classroom during our donation period.



WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT

In preparation for the season of Christmas, let's share the joy of Corpus Christi with our local community.

We will be making a bulk toy donation to the Vinnies Glenroy store where your donations will go to those who need it most.

SOME THINGS TO CONSIDER:

- Gently used or new items are welcome
- Please ensure items are clean
- Avoid damaged or broken toys
- Toys for all ages are welcome

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

Email Ms Lauren
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DRIVE DATES:

Term 3 Weeks 9-10
Monday 7 September -
Friday 18 September



CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Glenroy

ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN!

WHY CORPUS CHRISTI?

- Catholic values at the heart of school life
- Encouraging students to live with compassion and respect
- High expectations for excellence and growth
- Meaningful, purposeful and engaging learning tailored to individual learners
- Safe, inclusive and supportive environment
- Strong focus on explicit Literacy and Numeracy instruction
- Visual Arts, Physical Education, LOTE (Italian) and Library
- Extensive transition program

BOOK A TOUR NOW!



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School Holiday Fun at Glenroy Neighbourhood House

September/October Activities for Children
Attending Primary School

Mon 21st of Sept
9.30am to 12pm
Garden & Art
12.30pm to 2.30pm
STEM Explorers

Tue 22nd of Sept
9.30am to 12pm
Cooking
12.30pm to 2:30pm
Lego Challenge

Wed 23rd of Sept
9.30am to 12pm
Art & Craft
12.30pm to 2:30pm
Love Me
Like a Reptile

Thur 24th of Sept
9.30am to 12pm
Cooking
12.30pm to 2:30pm
Coding

Mon 28th of Sept
9.30am to 12pm
Garden & Art
2.30pm to 2:30pm
Sports Games
& Activities

Tue 29th of Sept
9.30am to 12pm
Lego Challenge
12.30pm to 2:30pm
STEM Explorers

Wed 30th of Sept
9.30am to 12pm
Cooking
12.30pm to 2:30pm
Dazzling Dan
The Magic Man

Thur 1st of Oct
9.30am to 12pm
Art & Craft
12.30pm to 2:30pm
Coding

Fri 2nd of Oct
9.30am to 12pm
Construction
12.30pm to 2:30pm
Movie, Milkshake &
Popcorn

Cost: \$15 to \$30 per activity

Book in for one activity, a whole day or everyday!

**As places are limited, book online early to avoid
disappointment of missing out on the fun!**



Glenroy
Neighbourhood
House

5B Cromwell St, Glenroy
www.gnh.org.au
9304 3910

Spring Festival

School Holiday Program

Prep to Grade 6

Play

Create

Explore

Have fun!

St Paul's OSHC
7:00am - 6:00pm
562 Sydney Rd, Coburg
0493 550 473
SP.Coop@macseye.vic.edu.au

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Important Information

What to bring

- ✓ Morning tea, lunch and snacks
- ✓ Refillable water bottle
- ✓ Suitable clothing for the weather, SunSmart hat, closed toe shoes, jacket in case of rain

What we provide

- ✓ Breakfast each morning until 8:30am
- ✓ Afternoon tea
- ✓ Sunscreen, but you are welcome to provide your own if your child needs a specific brand

Please remember

- ✓ Label your child's items clearly
- ✓ No nuts please!
- ✓ No food items that need to be reheated

Medical Needs

- ✓ A Medical Management Plan with a colour photo must be provided for children with a medical condition including allergies, food/chemical intolerances, anaphylaxis, asthma and epilepsy.
- ✓ A Risk Minimisation and Communication Plan must be completed for children with a diagnosed health-care need, allergy or relevant medical condition. If one has not yet been completed, our educators will assist you to complete it on your child's first day of attendance.
- ✓ Provide the prescribed medication as listed on the plan, in its original packaging and clearly labelled with your child's name.

Excursions

Please arrive by 8:30am so we can leave on time, and ensure the children don't miss out.

If your child is attending an excursion, please complete a permission form at the service on the morning of the excursion.

The excursion risk assessment will be available for you to view on the day.

Drop off and pick up

All children must be picked up each day by an authorised adult. Please ensure you sign your child in and out each day on the service iPad.

Unexpected changes to activities

Activities and times may change due to unforeseen circumstances, such as poor weather or circumstances beyond our control. If this happens, we will provide an alternative activity to ensure children continue to enjoy their day.

Program

Arrive by 8:30am for excursions and 9:30am for on-site experiences

IN-HOUSE ON-SITE EXPERIENCE EXCURSION CREATE & KEEP

WEEK 1

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
21 SEPT	22 SEPT	23 SEPT	24 SEPT	25 SEPT
				Public Holiday
Garden games Get outside and get moving with forty-inspired games, AFL Pica Pica craft, balloon tennis and DIY pickles! A fun-filled day packed with creativity, friendly competition and active play.	Movie excursion Lights, camera, creativity! Design your own movie poster, then relax for a special screening of Fungus Island. It's the perfect day for movie buffs, creative minds and storytellers.	Wildlife wonders Prepare for a sold-out adventure! Create your own wind-up robot, before getting up close with fascinating animals during an interactive nature workshop. A day of discovery, creativity and fun.	Nature engineers Get creative with nature-inspired projects! Build and decorate your own birdhouse, then attach a colourful bird songing to take home. Perfect for building designers, makers and nature lovers.	
Fee: \$95.00 After Max CCS*: \$9.50	Fee: \$125.00 After Max CCS*: \$12.50	Fee: \$110.00 After Max CCS*: \$11.00	Fee: \$95.00 After Max CCS*: \$9.50	

WEEK 2

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
28 SEPT	29 SEPT	30 SEPT	1 OCT	2 OCT
AFL Max excursion Get ready for movie night at AFL Max! Take on the footy field, building wall, place inflatable, aerial acrobatics and interactive games before creating colourful flower windmills.	Pizza garden party Calling all mini chefs! Learn the secrets of pizza-making, create your own delicious pizza with fresh ingredients, design a personalised pizza box and discover a little Italian culture along the way.	Tiny garden discovery Create a magical miniature world of your own! Design a fairy garden door and unique furniture, then bring your woodland vision to life with nature-inspired materials and creative touches.	Creature creations Let your imagination run wild! Create colourful pipe cleaner insects and transform ordinary rocks into amazing creature designs. Dream up your own mini wildlife world and bring your creations to life.	STEM in spring Ready to think, build and create? Take on a cup tower challenge before designing your own working clock. Add a colourful spring-inspired design and showcase your STEM skills.
Fee: \$130.00 After Max CCS*: \$13.00	Fee: \$110.00 After Max CCS*: \$11.00	Fee: \$95.00 After Max CCS*: \$9.50	Fee: \$95.00 After Max CCS*: \$9.50	Fee: \$95.00 After Max CCS*: \$9.50

How to Book

Step 1: Check if your child is enrolled at this school

- If your child attends OSHC at the school hosting the holiday program, go straight to Step 3 to start booking.
- If your child attends OSHC at a different school or does not attend OSHC, go to Step 2 and complete the enrolment form. This includes children attending MACSEYE OSHC at other schools.

Step 2: Complete the enrolment form by 13 September

- Scan or click the QR Code and complete the enrolment form.
- Once your enrolment is confirmed, we will email you a unique link to download the Xplor Home App.

Step 3: Book your days

- Book holiday program days via the Xplor Home App.

Important

- New enrolments must be submitted by 13 September.
- Walk-ins cannot be accepted.
- The enrolment process must be completed before your child attends the program. This includes ensuring all medical and supporting documents have been provided.

Child Care Subsidy

MACSEYE's holiday program is approved for the Child Care Subsidy (CCS), allowing eligible families to reduce their out-of-pocket expenses. To check your eligibility for CCS, visit the Services Australia website or login to your MyGov account.

Cancellation policy

Minimum of 7 days' notice is required for booking cancellations.

Normal fees apply for cancellations outside the minimum notice period and the booking will be recorded as an absence.

CCS will be applied to the absence, and the gap fee will still be payable.

Contact Us

For help with enrolments and bookings, get in touch with our team:

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