

# NEWS@ST PAUL'S Term 2, Week 2, 2023

### From the Principal - Mrs Valencia ANZAC DAY, 2023

ANZAC Day commemorates the sacrifice of Australian and New Zealand service men and women who have died in the service of our great nations. For many, ANZAC Day brings with it mixed emotions. It's a day of mourning the loss of many who served before us and is an opportunity for us to recognise and support those who continue to serve our country in the armed forces. ANZAC Day is both a Memorial Day and a celebration of mateship, camaraderie, and the achievements of the Australian and New Zealand militaries, past and present.

On Monday 24th April 2023 and Tuesday the 25th April 2023, our community came together to acknowledge the brave men and women who have fought, and continue to fight to protect our freedom and the freedom of others. We remembered not only those who lost their lives to war, but those who continue to serve our country to this day. Their sacrifice is not forgotten. We also acknowledge the families of our service men and women, their parents, their children and their loved ones, who support their family members to serve our country in this important way.

Our community is filled with families touched by the ANZAC tradition and history, and some who continue to serve in our armed forces. We are proud of the service men and women of our community. We want them and their families to know our gratitude and thoughts are with them for the sacrifices they make each day. We also thank those in our community who joined us this ANZAC Day, as we marched in their memory.



At the going down of the sun, and in the morning, we will remember them. Lest We Forget.



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#### Pastor Mike - Devotion

In chapel this week, we will be unpacking ourGrowing Text a little more.

In the word GROW, "O" is for "Outreach". It's one of four wonderful gifts for life (nutrients) that our Creator God feeds into our life. Reaching out to others is something that starts with God himself - He gets the ball rolling. He reached out to us from the moment he made us. By nature, he reaches out with care and love. The reason He made us in the first place was so that He could have someone to reach out to.

We are designed to be like Him.

Parents, you are always welcome to stay after drop off on Friday morning and come to chapel at 8.35am.

**Pastor Mike Neldner** 



# Who's Who in the Zoo?

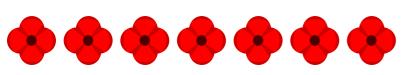
Meet... Mr Nicholls

Mr Nicholls worked at St Paul's for 10 years creating beautiful memories with staff and students. After a short break, he returned to our school as a Specialist Music Teacher and Arts@ St Paul's

Coordinator. Two of his greatest passions are music and soccer and thanks to him, the

St Paul's Rock Band is back in action.

We are truly excited to have you back, Mr Nicholls! Thank you for serving our community in the best way possible.







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# What's coming up?



- 1 Labour Day Public Holiday
- 1 School Principal's Day
- 4 P&F Mother's Day Stall
- 11 Celebrating Mum's Afternoon

#### Save the Date





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