

# St Matthew's Catholic School

Tuesday 4 February, 2020

*Kura Katorika St Matiu - Aoga Katoliko a Sagato Mataio*

Week 1 Term 1

**WELCOME \* AFIO MAI \* HAERE MAI**

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## Welcome back everyone!

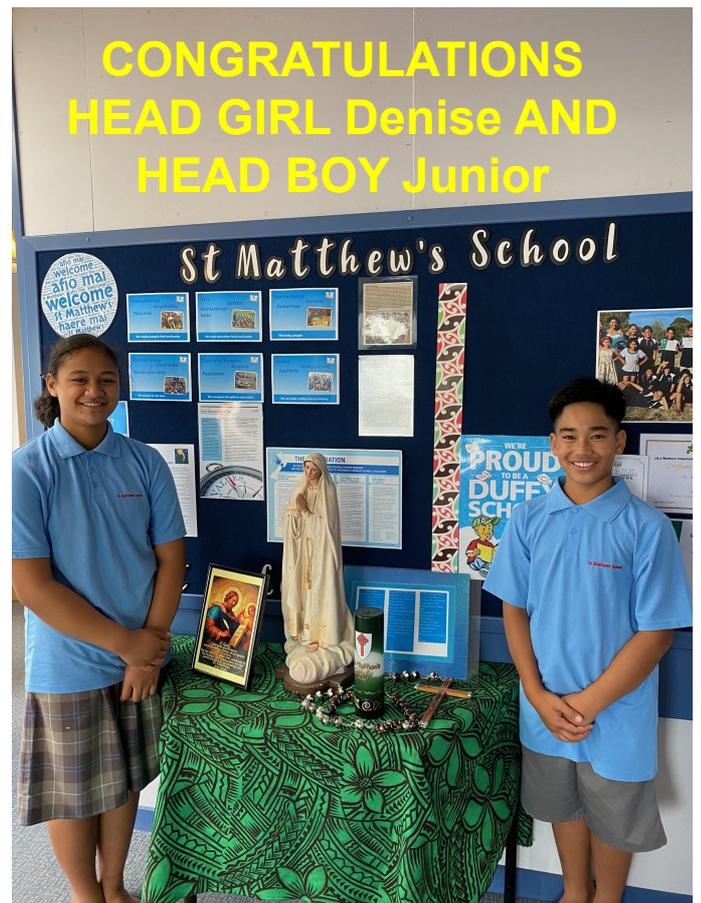
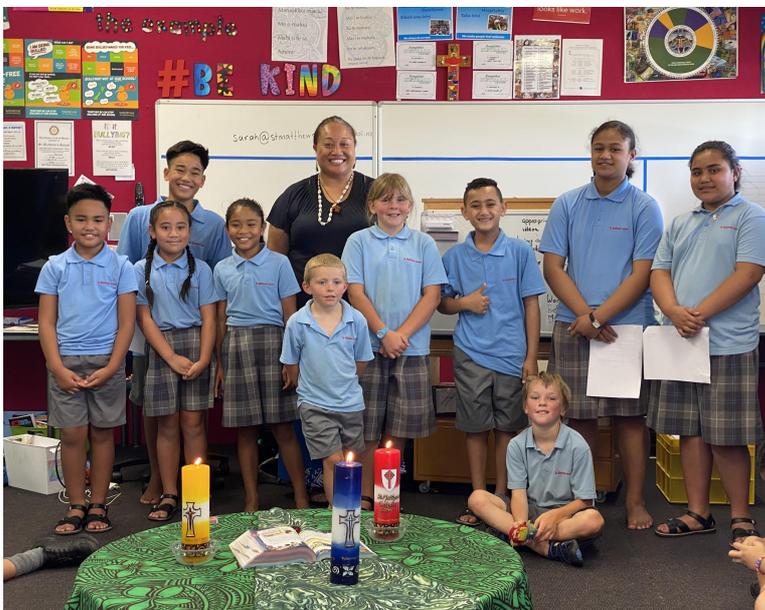
A special welcome to Mack who has joined our St Matthew's 'aiga (family).  
Welcome to Sarah Searle who is the new senior school teacher.

## *St Matthew's Year 7-8 Technology*

The Y7-8 students will go to Rangitikei College for technology every Thursday morning starting 18 February. The bus will pick them up from school and drop them back to school. The students need to wear 'covered' shoes please.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY  
TO ALL OF OUR STUDENTS  
who celebrated birthdays  
during the holidays and who  
will be celebrating their  
birthday this week.**

**CONGRATULATIONS  
HEAD GIRL Denise AND  
HEAD BOY Junior**



**SPECIAL WELCOME FOR  
TUMUA AND SARAH**

**Sunday 9 February**

**St Francis Xavier Parish**

**9.30am Mass followed by morning  
tea**

**Please join us.**



**A lovely warm visit from  
Vanessa Te Ua  
Principal at Marton Junction School**

**I received a wonderful visit from  
Vanessa Te Ua, Principal of Marton  
Junction School. It was such a  
blessing to have Vanessa in our  
school to welcome me into the  
Marton community.**



**Coming Dates**

Thurs 13 Feb Y7-8  
Technology

Tues 25 Feb Shrove  
Tuesday (Pancake Tuesday)

Weds 26 Feb  
**ASH WEDNESDAY**  
- Lent begins

**Term Dates 2020**

**Term 1**

3 February - 6 April

School closed  
6 Feb Waitangi Day

**Term 2**

27 April - 3 July

**Term 3**

20 July - 25 Sept

**Term 4**

12 Oct - 15 Dec

**Staff Only Days (so far)**

15 June

3 Sept

## ***Vision***

***TO CREATE A CHRIST-CENTRED EDUCATION  
WHERE OUR WHOLE COMMUNITY ENCOUNTERS AND EXPERIENCES  
'RENEWAL BY THE SPIRIT'***

## ***Mission***

***To be the hands and feet of Jesus.  
To be the face of God.***

### **Prayer \* Tatalo \* Karakia**

**As we go about our day, O God;  
As we strive to walk with Jesus as people of 'welcome',  
teach us to listen with the ear of our heart  
so that we might recognise You in all those we meet.  
May your grace, mercy and peace, bless us, keep us and transform us all.  
Amen**

***Some photos from our assembly***

