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THE URSULINE HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER **FAITH DEVELOPMENT & SERVIAM VALUES**

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Chaplain Update

This year our theme has been **'Faith is an encounter we must do what Jesus does encounter others.'** During Masses, liturgies, retreat days and prayers we have used scripture such as the Good Samaritan and the woman at the well to explore how Jesus encounters others and use his good example in the encounters we have every day. At times we have had to ask for forgiveness for when we maybe haven't made positive encounters with others and taken time to think about how we are reflection of Jesus in all that we do. All of this reflection over year has helped us as a community to understand the importance of positive encounter and also that we are Jesus's feet on earth.

This half term we had the opportunity to celebrate all of our students' achievements in our Serviam assemblies and end of year celebrations. You should each be every proud of all you have achieved and how you have used your gifts and talents to live out Serviam in all you do.

Overall this year we have raised £ £12,678.40 for numerous charities as well as collecting Christmas gifts, donations for the Ukraine and sanitary products for Zimbabwe. This is an amazing achievement, and true sign of Serviam. Well done.

As we come to the end of our school year, we thank God for all we have received and all we have achieved. We celebrate our achievements and give thanks for our loving community. May I take this opportunity to wish you all a peaceful and relaxing summer.

Miss Murphy



PRAYER OF THE 'MONTH'

We give thanks for our school community we ask you Lord to –

Bless our students as they come to end of this year: may your Spirit inspire them with confidence and calmness.

Bless our families, may our time together leave us with memories to cherish. Pour out your love on us that we may return renewed and refreshed to continue our journey together. Amen We make this prayer through Christ our Lord

AMEN.

SCRIPTURE OF THE 'MONTH'

There was a lawyer who, to disconcert Jesus, stood up and said to him, 'Master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the Law? What do you read there?' He replied, 'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbour as yourself.' 'You have answered right,' said Jesus 'do this and life is yours.'

But the man was anxious to justify himself and said to Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was once on his way down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of brigands; they took all he had, beat him and then made off, leaving him half dead. Now a priest happened to be travelling down the same road, but when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. In the same way a Levite who came to the place saw him, and passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan traveller who came upon him was moved with compassion when he saw him. He went up and bandaged his wounds, pouring oil and wine on them. He then lifted him on to his own mount, carried him to the inn and looked after him. Next day, he took out two denarii and handed them to the innkeeper. "Look after him," he said "and on my way back I will make good any extra expense you have." Which of these three, do you think, proved himself a neighbour to the man who fell into the brigands' hands?' 'The one who took pity on him' he replied. Jesus said to him, 'Go, and do the same yourself.' The gospel of the Lord.

Upcoming Events

Holy Spirit Masses
Wed 7th, Thurs 8th & Fri
9th September
Hall

Welcome Mass at St George's Cathedral
Friday 30th September

Year 11 Retreat
Fri 23rd September
Sacred Heart Church

Year 12 Chaplaincy Team Joint Avila Retreat with St Philomena's
Thursday 13th October

Eucharistic Minister Training
Friday 6th May
St John Fisher

St Ursula Masses
Tuesday 18th &
Wednesday 19th October
Hall

News In Pictures



130th Anniversary Mass at Sacred Heart Church



130th Anniversary Sixth Form Conference



Year 13 Leavers Mass



Serviam Assemblies



Year 8 and 9 Chaplaincy Team Celebration



Year 7 Retreat