

# St Pius X Catholic School

## Te Kura O Hato Paea

### Newsletter #6



To Learn Love  
To Learn Wisdom  
The Way We Are

Thursday 26th November 2020

Week 7 Term 4



#### Principal's Message

Tena koutou katoa. Nga mihi nui kia koutou.

It is hard to believe that we are near the end of week 8 and we have just two and a half weeks left of this very interesting year.

Our middle school are in the middle of their outdoor week They have had to adapt their programme because of the weather, but are looking forward to their overnight camp tonight.

Our Years 7 & 8 students are going on camp to Karapiro next week. We pray for fine weather.



I want to draw your attention to the rest of the school activities through until the end of the year, please see below. Please note: the final Mass includes farewelling our year 8 students and giving three prizes, Mainfreight, Lioness and Catholic Character.

This Sunday is the first Week of Advent so this might be a good time to gather as a family to pray for each other and our world.

God Bless

Jane Rutherford

#### End of Year activities—please note the times, as they are different from other years.

Yrs 7 & 8 Camp 30th Nov- 3rd Dec

Junior Out door Ed 9-11th Dec.

You will have received, or will receive more information from the class teachers regarding these activities.

Excellence and Diligence Awards 14th December 1.30pm in the Church

Final Mass /Prizegiving 15th December 1.00pm.

School finishes 16th December Midday.

#### Week One Advent

God of Love,  
Your son, Jesus, is your greatest gift to us.  
He is a sign of your love.  
Help us walk in that love during the weeks of Advent,  
As we wait and prepare for his coming.  
We pray in the name of Jesus, our Saviour.  
Amen.

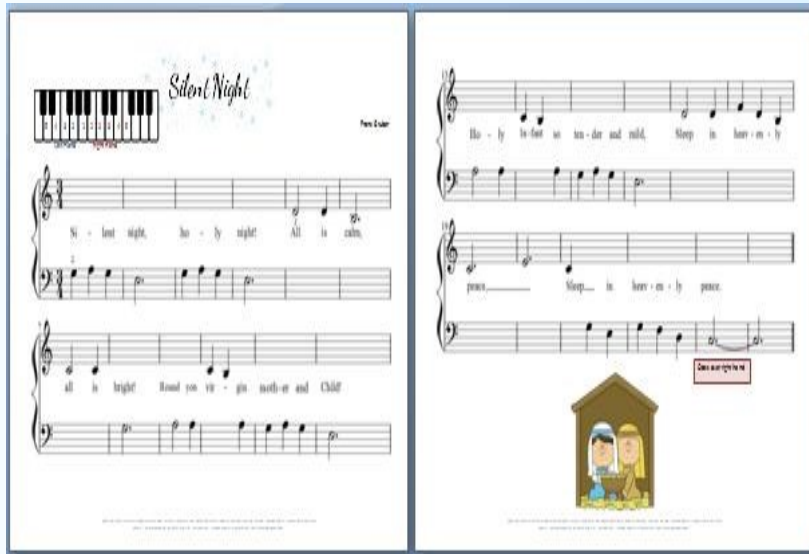




# TERM DATES

## For 2021

Term 1—3rd February—16th April  
 Term 2—3rd May—9th July  
 Term 3—26th July—1st October  
 Term 4 18th October—15th or 16th December or you can click [HERE](#) to view our school calendar



*Silent Night*

Ho - ly in - fants so - le - der and mild, Sleep in heav - en - ly peace

Si - lent night, ho - ly night All is calm, all is bright Round you vir - gin mar - y and Child

### Reporting Absences



Please report your child's absence as early as possible. This can be done by calling the school, **OR** you can click on this link:

<https://www.stpius.school.nz/1/forms/1-absences/submissions/new> **OR** you can download the Skool Loop App onto your device.

School starts at **8.45am** If your child arrives at school after this time, they must come to the office to sign in. We can help them with this. If they are late and haven't signed in, they come through as being absent, with no reason. Mrs Maree will then make contact with you to find out where your child is. They are often sitting in class

### This Weeks' Birthdays



**November**  
 24th—Maxene (Totara)  
 25th—Braxton (Kahikatea) & Matthew (Nikau)

*Happy Birthday from everyone at St Pius X*



## STATIONERY for 2021

### for years 1—8

Will once again be online. We will keep you updated on when and how you can do this. Please see last weeks newsletter for the 2021 class structure



Christmas Lesson Deals Now Available!!! Make the most of the last few weeks of Term 4 with:

## MUSIQ HUB

PLAY SMART

Contact Carl for more info:  
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## INGREDIENTS LIST

**LABEL READING**

Ingredients are listed in order of quantity - most to least. Sugar comes in many different forms.

These are the most common

- glucose
- fructose
- sucrose
- honey
- maltose
- corn syrup
- molasses



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