Caroline played a game with me in maths. We played games together. Miss Mc Hugh really liked playing with us.

Nyatieem and Nyarout went to do some maths. We all played games and had fun together.

I went with Ethan, Caroline, Ricardo, Nyatieem and Nyarout to do some maths. We played games and had fun together.

We went and did some maths and I got to play on the IPAD. I like the IPAD. It has lots of games. I play a game called goal kick.

Today I got to play with this game called Hammers and Nails. You have to build things with it. Zoe and I got to use it.

We had a great time playing together.
Hi everyone and welcome back to the start of a new and exciting year. This term we will be having our Whole School Parish Mass on Sunday 3rd March at 11am. At this Mass the staff will be commissioned by Father Michael and the Year 6’s will be presented with their leadership badges. For those of you who are new to the school, we have a Whole School Parish Mass every term. All the students and their families are encouraged to attend and the students are involved in the Mass doing the readings and the offertory. Students wear their full school uniform and sit with their teachers in class groups. After the commissioning Mass we invite you all to join us in the hall for a cuppa. This is a great way to meet and get to know some of the other families from school.

Next Wednesday is Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of the season of Lent—All of the children will be attending the 9.15 am Mass.

Before and After School Care
Welcome back parents and students to a new school year!

This year Holy Family Primary School is providing an exciting Outside School Hours Care program for students. Our opening hours are 6:30am till 8:30am before school where breakfast is provided, and 3:30pm till 6:00pm after school where students are provided with afternoon tea. We are temporarily located in the canteen area but hopefully will move to our more permanent room later this week which is located in the hall.

Our OSHC program offers a range of planned activities both indoor and outdoor as well as non-structured activities such as art and craft, board games and much more! Once a week we offer ‘Cooking Club’ where students are able to cook their own meals for afternoon tea. We encourage students and parents to provide us with any ideas as well as feedback so we can work at building the program and making it the best it can be.

If you have any queries about our program or would like to enrol your child/children feel free to visit us during our opening hours or contact our Head Office on 9758 6744 or visit our website: www.oshcare4kids.com.au

We hope to see you soon!

HIPPY PROGRAM
Attached to today’s newsletter is a flyer with information about the HIPPY program, a free program for families and toddlers. On Monday 11th February after morning assembly 9.00am they will be meeting in the small hall to explain the program. The program director Tatjana Krenta will be at Holy Family making a small presentation about the program. This is a fantastic opportunity for families at Holy Family, and I urge as many as possible to attend. 

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Ms Cath Fisher
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Ms Connie Drossaert
Reading Recovery
Mrs Sharon Binding
Integration Aide
Mrs Jenny McDonald
Mrs Joanne Tout
Mrs Susan Zob
Librarian & Art
Ms Kathy Jacka
Physical Education
Ms Sue Tobin
Music Teacher Mrs Margaret Gemmell
Information Technology
Mrs Jillian Buckleigh
Librarian Technician
Mrs Danni Kovzan
Computer Tech & Network Admin
Mr Shaun Fuller

Welcome New Students and Staff
We Welcome Sinead Mc Hugh who will be teaching Yr 3/4 and Marg Gemmell, who will be teaching music.

We also welcome our new Preps and Logesh and Jamie in 4/5.

Please make them feel welcome in our school community.

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Birthdays
Happy Birthday to Jamie, Naven, Reece, Barry, Alana, Alexia, Caroline, Leonard, Hailey, Marcus & Faustina
Also the students who celebrated their birthdays over the holidays.

Guitar Lessons
Mrs Gemmell is happy to take a guitar playing session on Tuesdays for all children from year 4-6 who have a guitar and would like to learn or extend their playing. They will need to bring the guitar to school each Tuesday.

Big Kids Little Kids
On Tuesday 26th February we will be hosting our Annual Big Kids Little Kids event which is a casual fun event for families. Over the past 2 years we have had a great crowd of adults making and racing cars with their children. This year we have decided to have a change from constructing cars. Our event is called the Sydney to Hobart Boat Race, so of course we will be making boats and yachts! We hope you can all join us on Tuesday evening starting at 6.00pm for an evening of fun and food.