“Before me I see a friend, broken for me, His voice I hear whispers, come have no fear”

EASTER CEREMONIES

GAWLER PARISH
Thursday 7.30pm  Mass
Friday  10.00am  Way of the Cross
Friday  3.00pm  Passion of the Cross
Saturday 7.30pm  Easter Vigil Mass
Sunday  8.00am  Mass
Sunday  10.00am  Mass

VIRGINIA PARISH
Two Wells
Thursday 7.30pm  Mass
Saturday 7.30pm  Easter Vigil Mass
Friday 3.00pm  Passion of the Cross
Sunday 8.30am  Mass

Virginia
Friday 10.00am  Way of the Cross
Sunday 10.00am  Mass

CALNDAR DATES
Fri 25th March
Good Friday

Mon 28th March
Easter Monday

Tues 29th March
MONDAY TIMETABLE
Celebration Day & Project Compassion BBQ

Sun 3rd April
Xavier College Open Day

Fri 15th Apr
Last day Term 1

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“a school of the future in the present”
From the Principal

As the period of Lent comes to a conclusion we arrive at Easter, the central moment in our faith journey. As we face the reality of the Passion of Jesus Christ we are confronted by our own experiences of emotional pain, of those times when we wronged others and of our seemingly inability to undo the damage. The resurrection restores our hope with the realisation that our salvation lies in the power of reconciliation. We are Easter people, able to see the full potential of humanity more clearly through our appreciation of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Congratulations Sarah

Regular readers of the Xavier News would recognise that Year 8 student Sarah Pitt has been a regular contributor of articles. This weekend, at the Easter Vigil Mass on Saturday evening, Sarah will be receiving the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and First Holy Communion. On behalf of the College community I wish Sarah and her family a joyful celebration of her initiation into the life of the Church.

Mr Lynn Martin  
Principal

PROJECT COMPASSION

“The Challenge is Poverty  
The Time is Now!”

Each year during the season of Lent, the Catholic Aid Organisation, Caritas Australia, conducts its major fundraising appeal, Project Compassion. During the next two weeks, we are challenging each tutor group of raise $100, which is about $4 per student, in the hope that the College can meet the target of $3200 to support the work of Caritas.

PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY  
TO CLASS  
APPEALS

LET’S SEND THIS YEAR’S  
PROJECT COMPASSION  
CAMPAIGN  
OUT WITH A BANG

On Tuesday 29th March we are having an  
EXTENDED LUNCH

So you can:

- BUY A SAUSAGE IN BREAD $1.00!
- ENJOY THE MUSIC OF XAVIER’S LATEST TALENTS!
- ENJOY THE COMPANY OF YOUR SCHOOL MATES IN A RELAXED, FUN ENVIRONMENT!

ALL PROCEEDS TO  
PROJECT COMPASSION

Enrolment of Students for Year 8, 2006

Xavier College is now accepting enrolments for the 2006 school year in Year 8. Applications for Year 8, 2006 need to be forwarded to the College Secretary, Mrs. Jane Montgomerie, by Friday, 15th April.

Enrolment Application Forms and College Information Packs are available from the school office.

For further information contact the College Secretary during school hours Telephone 8523 0088, Fax 8523 0916 e-mail secretary@xavier.sa.edu.au

www.xavier.sa.edu.au  email address: secretary@xavier.sa.edu.au
XAVIER COLLEGE
OPEN DAY

Sunday, 3rd April 2005, 11am – 1pm

“A school of the future in the present”

Drop in on the day and see our outstanding facilities and innovative curriculum. There will be an array of tours, demonstrations and performances.

Visit our website www.xavier.sa.edu.au or alternatively contact us via email/fax or phone if you would like to be sent an information pack.

Email: secretary@xavier.sa.edu.au Telephone: 8523 0088 Facsimile: 8523 0916

What a Performance!

Last Thursday the South Australian Police Rock Band performed at Xavier College. They played a range of pretty awesome songs for over an hour to a very appreciative audience. The songs covered a number of eras so the teachers were able to join in and sing a long with some of the songs, especially ‘I’m a Believer’, but I couldn’t understand why they said it was sung by the Monkees.

During the performance the band paused to speak about some road safety issues.

Near the end of the show we had a ‘boys versus girls’ contest to see who could sing the loudest. We took it in turns to sing the chorus to ‘Mustang Sally’, and of course the girls won easily. For the last song of the performance everyone was up dancing, it was a great way to finish an excellent performance.

Sarah Pitt (year 8)
**“COME AND SEE”**

**Salesian Vocation Days—2005**

“**Come, Jesus replied, and you will see.**” So they went and saw where he was staying, and spent that day with him. *John 1:39*

A day or weekend for those interested in deepening their understanding of Salesian life

**Come and See’ DAY**
SATURDAY April 23, 2005, 10am—7pm
Salesian Sister’s Residence
43 George Street, Scoresby, Vic.
Ph (03) 9763 7104

**‘Come and See’ WEEKEND**
Sat/Sun August 20-21, 2005, 10am-4pm
Salesian Retreat Centre,
465 Lysterfield Road, Lysterfield, Vic.
Ph (03) 9758 1611

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**Exploring God’s call in your life**
Covering areas of discernment, Salesian works & Spirituality, Religious Life, Time for Prayer — Reflection—Discussion, Visit a Salesian house.

**Contacts**
Fr Paul Miles (03) 9740 6322
Fr Brian Ahern 0439 303 268
Sr Helen McMahon (03) 9309 8931

**Cost**
Boarding and meals are provided free. Air/bus fares, remain your expense.

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**WORLD YOUTH DAY**
Cologne Germany, 2005

**Come and Worship**

“A life changing journey of inspired faith encounters and welcome”

A 22 day journey, August 9 – 31
(Paderborn – Cologne – Rome – Florence – Assisi)

Accompanied by Archbishop Phillip Wilson, Bishop Eugene Hurley and diocesan youth leaders.

$4095 all inclusive

The College would consider offering some financial support to assist a senior student (over 16) attend WYD 2005. To receive support the student would need to be involved in their local Parish and envisages future involvement in youth ministry. (Interested students need to contact Mr Martin)

For further information see Mr Martin for brochures on the event, or phone Diocesan Youth Coordinator Joe Hicks on 8210 8238 or email him at
jhicks@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Visit the Australian National World Youth Day web site at
www.worldyouthday.com.au

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**Students Undertaking Kitchen Operations VET course**

[Photograph courtesy of The Bunyip]