



10th February, 2017

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the St Damien's Sacramental Program in 2017. Each Sacrament has a compulsory parent/student meeting and a compulsory enrolment mass. The dates for enrolment masses have been set to coincide with our school weekend masses, meaning students will enrol for their Sacrament at a school weekend mass. We always ask that you attend weekend Masses regularly with your children, however, during their formal Sacramental preparation we ask that you attend Mass each week. Each Sacrament has a Saturday evening preparation Mass and a Sunday morning preparation Mass where the students will be asked to actively participate in the Masses as greeters, readers, presenting the gifts and as part of a choir to sing the hymns. Further information will be provided closer to the Sacramental dates.

The important dates for the Sacraments are:

Sacrament	Compulsory parent/child information evening	Enrolment Mass	Sacramental preparation Masses	Sacrament
Reconciliation (Penance) Usually Year 3 – if child is already baptised Catholic	Tuesday 28 th February (School) 6pm	25 th /26 th February	Sat 11 th March 6pm Sunday 26 th March 8:30am	Tuesday 28 th March 6pm in the Church
First Communion (Eucharist) Usually Year 4 – if previous Sacraments have been received	Tuesday 16 th May (School) 6pm	20 th / 21 st May	Saturday 27 th May, 6pm Sunday 11 th June, 8:30am	Saturday 17 th June 6pm
Confirmation Usually Year 6 – if previous Sacraments have been received	Tuesday 25 th July (school) 6pm	29 th /30 th July	Saturday 12 th August, 6pm Sunday 20 th August, 8:30am	Saturday 26 th August at 6pm

Please indicate below which Sacrament you wish to enrol your child in and return the slip to school before the end of this week.

Kind regards,

Brett Crebert

(Assistant Principal RE)



Child's Name: _____

Class: _____

Sacrament to be received in 2016 (please tick):

- Penance
- Eucharist
- Confirmation

