Date: 14 May 2015

Subject: Emmanuel Catholic Primary School – ANZAC Day

Emmanuel Catholic Primary School Mount Pleasant always celebrates ANZAC Day with its students with class activities and a ritual to remember the fallen heroes who sacrificed everything for their country.

This year for the 100 year anniversary of ANZAC Day, Emmanuel Catholic Primary School upper level students were given 50, *Fallen Hero Street Names*, with the story of that hero. The students then had to present this to their class and find its location on Google maps. This information will now go onto a *Walk of Honour* which will be displayed in the Marist Centre for the whole school to walk through and explore. This will stay up for the week after Anzac allowing as many as possible to view and explore the presentation. Students from years 5 and 6 will also visit 100 Years of ANZAC display at the Show Grounds.

Students and Staff from Emmanuel Catholic Primary School were also been asked to bring along any information on relatives who may have served in the armed forces. This information will be put into a portfolio and displayed alongside our Street Name Heroes in the Walk of Honour.

To complete the week of celebration there was a whole school liturgy. In this liturgy/ritual the school community remembered and honoured the men and women who fought for our country. Students from Holy Spirit College Cadet Forces also attended to make this day special for all involved. Parents, Family and Friends were also invited to attend and participate in this celebration and commemoration.

At the ANZAC Display. Shane Keats, Walker Murray, Hunter Gilroy

ANZAC Liturgy Patrick Sheerdy, Patrick Mattes Year 5, Lucy Sturgeon Year 2

Prep teacher Laurette Harmer

Year 5 excursion to ANZAC Display at Mackay Showgrounds; Sydney Annetts, Preetika Vella, Tylah-Jae Falloon, Zoe Anderson