









Chaplaincy Bulletin – Issue 5



-  **N.O.V.** – 20 students from year 9 and 10 will be working with the National Office for Vocations in order to develop and create an app to use on mobile phones. We will keep you updated on their progress.
-  **CAFOD** – A selection of year 8 students will be working with Cleo and CAFOD to create short videos on climate change for a CAFOD project. This will take place on **Monday 6th July**.
CAFOD are also working with Yr. 12 General RE groups to explore Catholic Social Teaching.
-  **Morning Prayer** – Cleo has been going round to tutor groups monitoring morning prayer. She will also be sending out a regular PowerPoint with ideas and prayers for that week. Please use this for variety or for inspiration for what you do anyway.
-  **Friday Morning Mass** – As always, Mass will be celebrated at **8am** in our chapel every Friday morning. **8PA** will be **Friday 3rd July**.
-  **Chaplaincy Team** – The chaplaincy team continue to meet and pray together on a Monday after school. Any ideas of responsible students, particularly year 12 or 10 who might be interested, please let Cleo know.
-  **Oxfam** – Cleo and FOS met with a team from Oxfam to discuss a global citizenship project. Watch this space!
-  **Assemblies** – Cleo has been going in to assemblies and helping out as well as monitoring the effectiveness and spiritual content. The programme for upcoming assemblies is...
- 22nd June – 26th June** – NO ASSEMBLIES (See PowerPoint) (Please focus on praying for exams and the needs of our college community.)
- 29th June – 3rd July** – HOY to lead (Focus on being a disciple. Feast of St. Peter and St Paul)
- 6th July – 10th July** – MCN to lead (Focus on Celebration)
- 13th July – 17th July** – GGK/CGA to lead (Focus on our college community)
-  **VIDES** – VIDES is a Salesian based youth group for students in year 7 & 8. It is held on a Friday after school and led by the chaplaincy team. Please remind students to attend if they are involved.



Year 8 residential retreat - St. Vincent's centre-Whitstable!



Some comments from our students...

"The prayers were peaceful"

"I liked that we were given a piece of paper and a pen to write down our thoughts"

"The singing and music was the best part of the Mass"

"This retreat brought me closer to God in a fun way"

"My favourite part of the retreat was pranking Mr. Kinal in the bowling alley"

"I loved going to the beach"



"I learnt how to work in a community" "Team were lovely"

"What I loved about the Mass was the amount of effort that everyone put in."

"The prayers and Mass brought me closer to God and helped me to think about my religious calling"

"Small group time was my favourite part"

"The prayers were unique"

"It was good to watch people's talents in the Mass and the homily was very interesting. It was long but relevant to young people"



"I loved the singing and dancing"

"Prayers before meals was fun"

"I loved that I got to altar serve for the first time"

"We got to gain knowledge without realising it. Learning was fun!"

