

CHAPEL MESSAGES FOR THE WEEK ENDING 9TH SEPTEMBER 2016

MONDAY, 5TH SEPTEMBER

Malo e lelei ki he famili Uesili. Greetings Wesley Family.

Welcome to Week 7. The sun's out but its overcast today. We give thanks for the new day.

CONGRATULATIONS to Year 12 Bella Brewster who is the Student Representative to the Board of Trustees 2017.

CONGRATULATIONS to Year 13 Adam Pompey who has made the NZ Secondary School's League Team.

CONGRATULATIONS to the 1ST XIII and U15s Tournament sides for their successes last week.

A big THANK YOU to all Coaching and Managerial Staff of both teams for all your hard work.

We FAREWELL Year 12 students Leuatea Tema and Kalapu Palelei who will leave for the UK tomorrow to spend the rest of their academic year at Queens College in Taunton, Somerset. Safe travels Boys!

Our School theme for this week is MERCY.

Malo e tau a'u mai ki he uike lea Fakatonga. Welcome to Tongan Language Week being celebrated throughout New Zealand this week.

Malo 'aupito to Year 13s Kalo Ikavuka, Lua Fukofuka, Maryanne Vakameilalo and Mone Setefano for leading chapel this morning.

The theme for uike lea Fakatonga is Fakakoloa Aotearoa 'aki e 'Loto'i Tonga' - Enriching New Zealand with the Spirit of Tonga.

For us here at Wesley enrichment through our Identity, Love, Respect and Humility.

The Tongan hymn sung 'Eiki ko e ofa 'a'au' was composed by King Tupou II a former student of Wesley College and great great great Grandfather to our present Senior Prefect David Tupou. It was co-composed by Lavaki of Vava'u great great great Grandfather to current students Akapei Taifo'ou, Anthony Mafi and Viliami Johansson.

The Bible reading was from Maika vahe fitu veesi taha valu - Micah 7:18.

Loto Faka'apa'apa RESPECT God, the land, tangata whenua, our School, Others, and Women.

Loto 'Ofa LOVE for family, passion for learning, giving back to our communities,

Loto Fakatokilalo HUMILITY in one's service to others, in honesty and honour through loto feinga/tutu'i perseverance, loto to'a courage and loto hounga gratefulness.

Have a blessed day

TUESDAY, 6TH SEPTEMBER

Malo e lelei!

THANK YOU to our AFS students Andre from Spain and Batiste from France who spoke of their schools, homes and countries this morning. They will prepare to return to their homes within the coming weeks.

We continue with our theme of MERCY and uike lea Fakatonga.

THANK YOU to the Tongan students who led chapel this morning - Prefect Misa Manavahetau, Year 12s Sione Hafoka, Tupou Vaai and Taniela Taufu.

The Bible reading was from Nomipa vahe ono veesi ua fa-ua ono. Numbers 6:24-26.

v24 The Lord bless you and keep you

v25 The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you

v26 The Lord turn his face toward you and give you his peace.

When we are the people God intends us to be, a huge part that 'intention' are the values which we practice every day.

The values of love, respect and humility are part of our identity and help to identify us as God's people, a people of faith.

When we are blessed in the countless ways that God blesses, we will know it.

God's blessing brings grace and peace for no other reason than this is who God is.

God's blessing brings grace and peace for no other reason than this is what God wants for us.

God's blessing brings grace and peace for no other reason than this is the MERCY of God.

Have a blessed day

WEDNESDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER

There was no Chapel Message today.

THURSDAY, 8TH SEPTEMBER

There was no Chapel Message today.

FRIDAY, 9TH SEPTEMBER

There was no Chapel Message today.

