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1st March 2018

Dear Parents,

The Year Six students will be attending the Caritas 'Just Leadership' seminar on Tuesday 10th April 2018 at Assumption Catholic Primary School in Mandurah from 9:15am – 1:30pm. The students will travel by bus, leaving school at 8:30 am and returning to school by 2:30pm. This seminar is facilitated by a Caritas staff member and supervised by school staff. This occasion also provides an opportunity for networking as there will be students attending from other Catholic schools in the Peel Region.

What is a Just Leadership Day?

Just Leadership Days encourage students to become leaders for justice, in their schools and in their communities, for both local and global change. The purpose of Just Leadership Days is to enable students to challenge injustices, and to develop the leadership qualities to encourage others to do the same. Key questions covered during Just Leadership Days include:

What is justice?

What is leadership?

How to be a JUST leader

What do students learn?

Through hands-on activities and discussion, students learn global facts and explore the work of Caritas Australia. Students develop leadership skills to equip them not only to lead Caritas Australia events, but to encourage fellow students to be aware of their unequal world, to recognise the inter-dependence of humanity, and to work within their local and global communities to create a fairer and more sustainable world.

“Just Leadership Days enable students to develop a respect for the poor and sense of responsibility as a global citizen. Students become more active in social justice activities in and out of school.”

A juice box and fruit will be provided for morning tea, however, students should bring their own lunch, a water bottle and hat.

Please fill out the permission slip below and return to the office by Thursday 15th March. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

Jenny Gorman
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

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I give permission for my child _____ (name of student) to attend the Year 6 Caritas 'Just Leadership' day at Assumption Catholic Primary School in Mandurah on 10th April 2018. I understand s/he will be travelling by bus.

Name: _____ Signed: _____ Date: _____