



SAINT KENTIGERN COLLEGE

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Dear Parents/Caregivers

Year 10 Christian Education

As you may already be aware all students at the College take Christian Education as part of their curriculum studies. As in recent years part of our 2012 Year 10 Christian Education programme involves looking at the Christian Church in our community. More particularly, how members of the Christian faith 'do' church (express their beliefs; worship etc).

As part of this study, your child will be asked to attend a service at a local *Christian church of their own choice*, other than the Chapel of Saint Kentigern. Students who already attend a Christian church on a regular basis will be asked to visit a different one. Both during and on completion of the visit, students will have a series of investigative tasks to complete and then present their findings to their peers.

The desired learning outcome is that students will come to a greater and wider understanding of the Christian Church and be able to communicate their ideas to their peers. Detailed copies of the assignment and marking criteria will be issued to students in approximately week 7 of Term 1, with the earliest due date being during week 4 of Term 2. This gives students a considerable window of time to complete the assignment, whilst allowing for those co-curricular activities that have heavy weekend commitments. We will also be allocating considerable class time towards preparing students to undertake the assignment, as well as preparation of their final presentation.

If you have any questions about this, please contact Mrs Mudford, Head of Christian Education, by email (mudfords@skc.school.nz) **before** the end of Term 1.

Yours sincerely

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