

Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome to Southern Cross Catholic College and St Brigid's Parish, Wulguru. In my role as Parish Priest, I look forward to meeting you and your family as your child commences their journey of learning and spiritual enrichment here at the college. Whatever your personal faith commitment, you are always welcome in our parish and community.

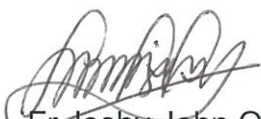
Southern Cross Catholic College is currently undergoing expansion with an aim of offering families a Prep to Year 12 catholic education in 2019. As the college grows, so does its connection with the parish. The college and parish have developed a strong and enduring partnership through the planning and celebration of various liturgical events and activities at both the college and St Joseph the Worker Church.

Over a number of years, I have worked closely with College Principal, Mrs Vella-Cox and both APRE's, Mrs Bell (primary) and Mrs Grubba (secondary) to ensure that the students and staff of Southern Cross receive the best possible opportunity to grow in the love of Christ. The college motto: *To Love, To Serve, To Shine – through Mary to Jesus*, embodies the Gospel Values and connects the school with its Patron Saint, Mary Help of Christians.

Parent engagement with the college and parish is encouraged on all levels and students and their families are given many opportunities to join in the following activities and celebrations: Chapel Mass on each Tuesday morning during term time, class masses, preparation for the Sacraments or weekend mass at St Joseph the Worker Church, Wulguru. Times of masses and other celebrations are always in the Parish Bulletin and the College Newsletter.

Thank you for choosing Southern Cross Catholic College. I am confident that you will feel at home in this wonderful community and invite you to become involved in some way during your child's time at school.

May God Bless,



Fr Joshy John OCD  
Parish Priest

**Weekend Mass times for St Joseph the Worker Church, Wulguru:**

**Saturday 6.00pm and Sunday 8.00am**

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