Dear Parents,

As part of Catholic Education Week 2016, our School Leaders have been selected to represent St. Mary’s Altona and attend the annual Mass of St Patrick for Melbourne Catholic Schools, at St. Patrick’s Cathedral, Melbourne, on Thursday 17\textsuperscript{th} March.

The official welcome will begin at 10 am followed by the school banner procession at 10.20am. The Mass of St Patrick, celebrated by Archbishop Denis Hart, commences at 10.30 am. Mass will be followed by a concert in nearby Treasury Gardens.

We will be departing school at 8:40am (to catch the 8:50am train). Children must wear their FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM, their school hat, badge and bring food for the whole day in a small backpack or bag. The children will return to school by 3:00pm.

Please complete the form below and return to Olive Chodowski as soon as possible. There are no costs involved for this day. For further inquiries please see me.

Thank you
Olive Chodowski
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\textbf{Saint Patrick’s Day Mass}

I give permission for my child, \underline{__________________________________________} in Year Six 6\_ to attend the St Patrick’s Day Mass on Thursday 17\textsuperscript{th} March 2016 travelling by train.

I give permission for my child to receive medical attention where deemed necessary.

Parent / guardian signature\underline{__________________________________________}

Daytime contact phone no.\underline{__________________________________________}

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\textbf{Catholic Education Week in 2016 will be celebrated from 14\textsuperscript{th} to 20\textsuperscript{th} March. The theme this year is: ‘Be the face of Mercy’}