Tuesday 5th May

**World Youth Day 2016, Krakow Poland - Information Evening**

"Blessed are the merciful: for they will be shown mercy” Matthew 5:7

Parents and Guardians,

I am writing to inform and extend an invitation to our World Youth Day 2016 Information Evening on **Thursday the 14th of May**. This will be in the **College Hall** and begin at **6:00pm** aiming to finish within the hour. Parking is available in the grounds of the College. Bethlehem College Ashfield and Southern Cross Vocational College Burwood have also been invited. A Catholic Education Office representative will also be there during the evening to assist with the presentation.

World Youth Day 2016 was successfully launched last term during Assembly. It will take place in July 2016 and will be held in Krakow, Poland which is a place rich in culture and spirit. There will also be the option of travelling to Italy or the Holy Land first depending on numbers. It is an opportunity for boys who are currently in Year 9 and 10 to have an experience of a lifetime, coming together with millions of youth from around the world to experience the love of Christ together with Pope Francis. All boys in Year 9 and 10 have already received an electronic flyer with some initial information.

The Information Evening will provide details regarding the nature of the pilgrimages on offer, as well as the various itineraries, costing and other logistical information. There will also be the opportunity to ask any questions you may have.

Having attended the last World Youth Day in Rio De Janeiro, I can honestly say that the boys will thoroughly enjoy themselves as they continue their spiritual journey and awakening. Could you please fill out the confirmation of attendance slip below to assist with planning and return it to the office by Monday 11th May.

I look forward to seeing you there.

Signed

Martin Corcoran
Youth Ministry Coordinator
De La Salle College Ashfield

STUDENT NAME: ____________________________ YEAR: ____________

TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS ATTENDING THE EVENING __________________