

150th Anniversary of Immaculate Conception Church

Presentation of a Time Capsule

To commemorate the 150th Anniversary of Immaculate Conception Church, Hawthorn, the students of St Joseph's School Hawthorn, with guidance and support by teacher Kristin Baynton (Walker), prepared a time capsule to gift to the parish.

The capsule contains a school prayer, school newsletter, a photo of the school community, students' 50 year predictions, school site photos, 150th ICC Parish Bulletin, school concert program and a snapshot of daily life at St Joseph's School.

'We hope that Catholic education is even stronger than it is today, and that our current students in our collective care continue to live faith-filled lives, walking in the footsteps of Jesus, and use their God-given gifts to positively contribute to our world', said St Joseph's Primary School Principal Sharon Kenyon-Smith.

The capsule was blessed by Archbishop Peter A. Comensoli after the commemoration Mass on 6th October 2019 and was presented to Parish Priest Fr Des Dwyer SJ by the School Principal and School Captain. It was then buried on the church grounds and is due to be opened in 2069.

