Useful Links

Religious Education Portal
RE De.licio.us site
Catholic News Online
Daily Prayer Online
National Catholic Reporter
Catching Fire Website

Professional Learning in Term 3
Check Professional Learning opportunities on offer in Term 3 on the:
Brisbane Catholic Education Professional Development Calendar

Contributions are welcome:
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Religious Education Portal
The new Religious Education website is now available to all staff. The new website provides a convenient and accessible portal for religious educators. All documents and files from the Blackboard Community and the Religious Life of the School Website have been updated and uploaded to the new site. The new site provides easy access to quality religious education resources, facilitates professional exchange, and provides opportunities for professional online discussion. Go to the new Kweb homepage and access the RE Portal through the Religious Education tab. Staff in Religious Institute Schools can access the RE Portal through the public BCE website. Visit the section titled Religious Education & Curriculum and select the Religious Education Portal tab in the navigation panel.

i-Witness Young People & Justice - An Archdiocesan Youth Festival, Sunday 11 October, 2009
In response to this year’s Social Justice Sunday Statement, And You Will Be My Witnesses: Young People and Justice, by the Catholic Bishops of Australia, the Catholic Justice & Peace Commission and the Archdiocesan Commission for Ministry with Young People have collaborated to develop a creative, festive, informative, hope-filled event. They are bringing together social justice groups, young people and those who work with young people from across the Archdiocese. I-Witness starts at 12 noon continuing on into the evening and concluding with a free concert. The event will be held at the Rosalie Precinct (the old Marist Junior College site) and will include:

- guest speakers
- live music
- drama
- social justice workshops
- displays by local social justice groups
- liturgy
- culminating in a concert

For further information: Email youthministry@bne.catholic.net.au Phone 07 3336 9168 Website: www.ycm.org.au

Stand Up Against Poverty
STAND UP and TAKE ACTION is the largest solidarity movement against poverty the world has ever seen. It is a unique opportunity for individuals, community groups and schools to join together to STAND UP against poverty. In 2008, over 116 Million people participated in STAND UP and TAKE ACTION events, setting a new Guinness World Record. Many developing regions also directly attributed participation in STAND UP events to policy changes leading to improvement of conditions for the poor. This October, join millions worldwide to STAND UP and TAKE ACTION against poverty and for the Millennium Development Goals. For more information contact Jenifer Byrne or visit the Stand Up Website.

Professional Learning Opportunity
DATE CLAIMER: Wednesday 4 November 9:30 – 4:40pm - Year of St Luke eConference, O'Shea In-service Centre, Wilston. More information will be sent to schools in the coming weeks.