

Saint Joseph's Day, 2009, Saint Francis Xavier's College, Hamilton.

The feastday of Saint Joseph was celebrated in a special way this year at St Francis Xavier's when some of our Sisters attended the dedication of a statue of St Joseph and the placing of a specially handsome plaque.

The plaque reads:

Dedicated to
the Sisters of St Joseph
in Appreciation for their
Pastoral Presence and Care
at
St Francis Xavier's College.

The Statue was donated from Marist Brothers Mittagong, and calls to mind the long association of the Sisters from St Joseph's Merewether, St Mary's Gateshead, St Anne's, all those who have generously visited the school on Reflection and Vocation days right to the present time.

The Prayer asked that Joseph, as patron of the universal Church, might watch over our domestic church "with persevering and loving care"... for we feel that our students and staff are truly a wonderful part of that church.

And no celebration is complete without morning tea which reflected the warmth, generosity and hospitality of the Marist Brothers.

