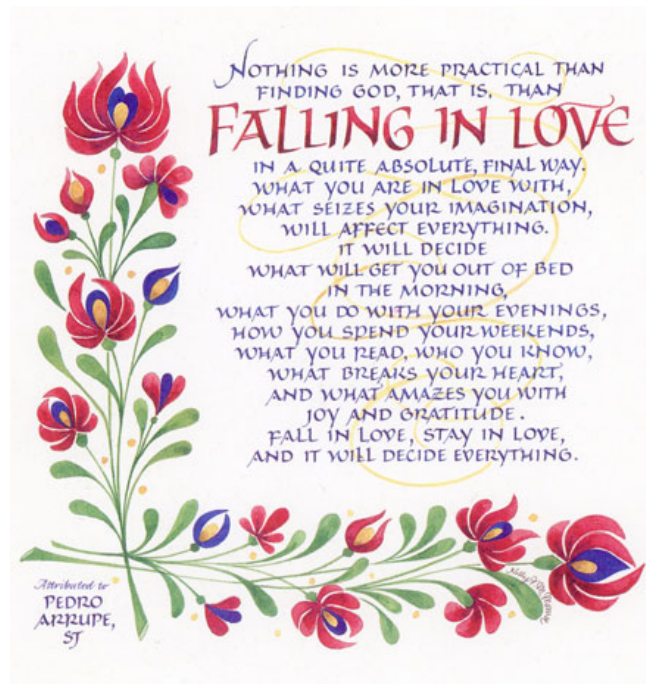




———— FALL IN LOVE ————



Nothing is more practical than
finding God, than
falling in Love
in a quite absolute, final way.
What you are in love with,
what seizes your imagination, will affect everything.
It will decide
what will get you out of bed in the morning,
what you do with your evenings,
how you spend your weekends,
what you read, whom you know,
what breaks your heart,
and what amazes you with joy and gratitude.
Fall in Love, stay in love,
and it will decide everything.

Attributed to **Fr. Pedro Arrupe, SJ** (1907-1991)
From *Finding God in All Things: A Marquette Prayer Book* © 2009





———— ONE YEAR - TWO CANCERS ————



Gerard Bennett

I want to thank all Brothers and friends who have prayed for me this past year. After a year of pretty intense treatment, I am supposedly free of a Lymphoma and a lung cancer. I am yet to regain all of my energy – but am taking up some exercise therapy and walking as my health returns. I hope to return to work in March.

The L'Arche member in me is so conscious of being 'held'- just as the L'Arche symbol of the

boat/arc with three or more crew, encompasses one in a community held by strong bonds in a shared sea of weakness. The Christian Brother in me has reveled in great community support here at Treacy, and in the wider loving care of a whole community of Brothers and supporters. Thank you all. Pray when you are well.

Gerard Bennett

———— A SURPRISE FOR MARY RICE FROM CLEANSHELF SUPERMARKET ————



Brother Gerald (Director MRC) helping to offload the food supplies

A very big surprise from Cleanshelf, a local supermarket in Langata shopping Centre. It was one of those unexpected things that we never foresaw, one of those miracles that come to be after a long time of searching for a way to engage our neighbors to

support Mary Rice Centre in one way or another. That wish became reality today when we were visited by Cleanshelf Supermarket.





This is the first local supermarket that has visited the Centre and extended their support to us. The visit brought joy to the children, parents and staff of Mary Rice Centre. They brought food packages and many other things for the children from their supermarket. It was a wonderful gesture.



Cleanshelf Supermarket staff, children of MRC, parents and MRC Staff

It is not what they brought that made the day important but just that they took time from their busy schedules and duties to come and visit the

children and us at the Centre. We were very touched and happy for this act of kindness that they showed us today. This will be one of our treasured memories.

Jasmine Jerussa

BEST RESULTS AT EDMUND RICE SINON SECONDARY SCHOOL



Students of ERSSS and Staff

Again, Edmund Rice Sinon Secondary School has done it! While the school is still celebrating the Form Two National Examination results which were published early this year, the Form Four results have also provided us with unbelievably good news. The coincidence is that the Form Four results were published on

Valentine's Day, something which added to the excitement of the candidates. The Form Two results had 100% pass with 123 distinctions, 77 merits, 19 credits, 8 passes and 0 fails. That is to say, all 227 candidates passed and qualified for form three. Similarly, the Form Four results have registered a 99% pass rate, with 16 students scoring a Distinction, 72 a Merit, 67 a Credit, 52 a Pass, and only 2 who failed. The best-performed subject in the Form Four examinations was FINE ART, which has seen ERSSS ranked no.1 in the nation. We thank Mr. Eric Shio, the teacher of Fine Art, for his creativity which enabled our students to achieve such an outstanding result. We are now looking forward to the Form Six National Examinations, which





are scheduled to take place in two months time. Let us now put our hands together to wish all students in Edmund Rice schools, worldwide, a brighter future.

Br. Simon Kaswahili

———— **PICTURES OF THE WEEK** ————

This last week the Province Leadership Team was meeting in Nairobi. Present were Michael de Klerk (Province Leader), Clement Sindazi (Deputy Province Leader), Tony Shanahan (East Africa District Leader), Alfred Banda (South Central District Leader). Michael Podbury (Province Secretary). Missing was the representative from West Africa District due to travel restrictions caused by Ebola.

Here is couple of photos of their time here in East Africa District:



Meeting of PLT and TST members



PLT hosted for evening meal and prayer by Karen Community





CALENDAR

February 18	Ash Wednesday, DLT Meeting
March 4	DLT Meeting
March 7	Nairobi Cluster
March 14	Arusha Cluster
March 18	DLT Meeting
March 20-21	Community Leaders Meeting
March 26-27	Formation Committee Meeting
April 1	DLT Meeting
April 3	Good Friday
April 5	Easter Sunday
April 11	Final Profession in Eldoret
April 29	DLT Meeting

Thank you

George Massay

