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## NEWSLETTER

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2019

### Mass in Church (9.30 a.m.) – Autumn Term 2019

Year Group	Date
Year 5	Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> November
Year 3	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> November
Reception	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December

### Mass in the Classroom 2:30 pm

Year 6	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> November
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### SCHOOL 'ANIMATING' THE SUNDAY MASS

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 11:00am

### Children who showed the virtue of Hope

Rec – William R

Year 1 – Class

Year 2 – Class

Year 3 – Beth S

Year 4 – Ciara N

Year 5 – Sam H

Year 6 – Lizzie D

**"FOR I KNOW THE PLANS I HAVE FOR YOU," SAYS THE LORD. "THEY ARE PLANS FOR GOOD AND NOT FOR DISASTER, TO GIVE YOU A FUTURE AND A HOPE.**

**JEREMIAH 29:11**

### ANTI-BULLYING WEEK 2019

A big 'Thank you' to the children and staff for all their hard work in making sure anti-bullying week was a success. Year 1 lead a wonderful whole school worship which concentrated on the parable of The Good Samaritan. This reminds us that we should be kind to everyone no matter if they are the same or different to us. The children enjoyed taking part in a variety of activities which made a huge impact on their understanding of what bullying is, and what it isn't, and the small changes we can each make to make a big difference for the children in our school.

Our extremely proactive school council are working on a new anti-bullying policy and have come up with suggestions to keep the message of 'change starts with us' at the forefront of everyone's minds. Please see our website for 'a guide to bullying' for parents and carers with practical tips on how to support your child if they feel that they are being bullied. Mrs Heckman.

<https://www.sspeterandpaulyeaddon.co.uk/information/anti-bullying>

### NEW RECEPTION INTAKE SEPTEMBER 2020 – OPEN DAYS

The application process for applying for a Reception school place in September 2020 is now open. Please see the attached leaflet from Leeds City Council for more information. Our open days are; 19<sup>th</sup> November 9.30am – 10.30am and 21<sup>st</sup> November 1.30pm – 2.30pm. When applying for Ss Peter and Paul an additional School Information Form (SIF) must be filled in and given directly to the school office, with a photocopy of the baptism certificate.

### YEAR 6 – VISIT TO THE YORK BIRD OF PREY CENTRE – FRIDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

Please ensure that you have returned your child's consent slip and made payment via ParentPay. All children should bring a packed lunch and are required to wear school uniform.

### CONFIRMATION – YEAR 6

Just a reminder that the Confirmation Service is on November 20<sup>th</sup> at St. Anne's Cathedral in Leeds. The service starts at 7:00 p.m. but Fr John is asking that the children and their sponsors/families are in the Cathedral by 6:15 p.m. to ensure they are seated by 6:30 p.m. Also a polite reminder from Fr John that he would like the children to be smart and to wear an element of 'white' clothing, e.g. boys - white shirt/tie, girls - white dress/top/cardigan. This white attire represents the white garment given to us during baptism. Please note that jeans, tracksuits and trainers are not allowed. If you have any questions about any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Filarowski. Thank you.

## **THEATRE VISITS – ALL YEARS**

It is not long until Panto Season is upon us! Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 go on the **27<sup>th</sup> November**, and Reception, Years 1 and 2 go a Christmas play on the **6<sup>th</sup> December**. Please ensure that all consent forms and sandwich choices (Recep/KS1) are handed to the office, and that all payment contributions are up to date on Parent Pay. Currently we have many payments outstanding.

## **SCHOOL NURSING TEAM**

The school nursing team will be in school next week. They will be weighing and measuring Reception Class and Year 6, doing vision tests with Reception class, and administering the nasal flu immunisations to those children whose parents have requested it.

## **YEAR 5 AMPLEFORTH**

There will be a parents meeting on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> November at 3.30pm in the Year 5 classroom. Please ensure all payments are up to date on ParentPay, as this final payment is now overdue. If you are having difficulties, please contact the school office as soon as possible.

## **SCHOOL BOOK FAIR**

We will have The Book People's Book Fair in school from the 27<sup>th</sup> November to the 4<sup>th</sup> December. There are over 150 books to choose from, for all ages, so please do come along with your child/ren.

## **HEAD LICE**

We have had a few confirmed cases of head lice within school this week. Please can we ask that you check your child's head over the weekend, and treat if necessary. Can we please ask that all children with long hair have this tied back whilst in school. Thank you.

## **Ss PETER & PAUL CHURCH CHRISTMAS FAIR – SATURDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER – 10AM – 1PM – IN THE SCHOOL HALL – NOTE FROM KAREN HALL;**

There will be the following stalls :Bottle, Children's Tombola, Gift Tombola, Raffle, Cakes, Craft, White elephant, Toys, Books, Childrens crafts, Games, Refreshments and of course Father Christmas! (10.30-12.30)

Please send your bags for the fair to church or school. Bags can be left at school until Friday evening 8.00 p.m. Stall holders and any helpers are needed to set up at 4.30.

Please send your plate you will receive (or tin) of buns, cakes and biscuits (preferably homemade if possible) to school next Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November until 8.00 p.m. or at 8.00a.m. on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup>

Please support the Fair – All proceeds are going to Parish centre refurbishment.

Thank you

## **CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES**

**Christmas Craft Afternoons:** Please join us for an afternoon of making decorations, cards, calendars and other fun things on the following dates;

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November – 1.15pm – Reception, Year 4, and Year 6

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November – 1.15pm - Years 1, 2,

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November – 1:15pm - Year 3 and Year 5

**Christmas Dinner** – Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December

**KS2 Carol Service** – Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December in Church – 6.00pm

**Reception Nativity** – Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December – 9.15am

**KS1 Christmas Performance** – Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December – 2.30pm

**Christmas Parties** – Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December – Details to follow

## **FRIENDS OF Ss. PETER & PAUL**

### **Christmas Shops**

These will take place on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December – all gifts are £2.50 (and NOT £2 as stated in last weeks Newsletter) and lovingly wrapped.

### **Dress Down Day**

This will take place on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2019, in exchange for a donation (alcohol, chocolates etc.) for the Christmas Hampers

The next FOSPAP Meeting will take place on **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2019** at **6.30pm** (please note the change of time), in school.