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NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th March 2020

Mass in Church (9.30am) –Spring Term 2020

Year Group	Date
Year 5	Monday 16 th March
SUNDAY 29TH MARCH 2020 – 11AM	
ANIMATE THE MASS	
Please see below for more information	

THE GOD WHO SPEAKS CLASS LED WORSHIP

Friday 20 th March – Reception – Mother's Day
Monday 23 rd March – Year 6 – Bible Story
Tuesday 24 th March – Year 1 – Bible Story
Wednesday 25 th March – Year 4 – Bible Story
Thursday 26 th March – Year 3 – Bible Story
Friday 27 th March – Year 2 – Bible Story
Monday 30 th March – Year 5 – Bible Story

Children who showed the virtue of Charity

Rec – Dylan F
Year 1 – Molly B
Year 2 – Eva D-P
Year 3 – Louis M
Year 4 – Isabella F
Year 5 – Lexi T
Year 6 – Ashton McB

Full list of finalist of 500 Word Challenge were as follows.

Year 6 – Oliver B, Emily H, Jack Baldwin, Emma Gilks
Year 5 – Amelia S, Oliver O'R, Alfie H, Lucia S
Year 4 – Betsy B, Shea O'B, Orlaith Mc, Finn O
Year 3 – Daniel P, Darcy R, Iris B, Dougie D
Year 2 – Eamon L, Elsie Mc, Millie W, Joshua W.
Year 1 – Mae M, Noel K, Oliver B, Halle H.
Reception – Hughie A Isabella P, Ava C, Oliver G.
KS2 Overall winners Oliver B Y6 & Betsy B Y4
KS1 Overall winners Eamon L & Isabella P

Coronavirus (COVID-19)

I know many people are worried about the coronavirus. In school, we have daily updates from the DFE, the Trust Office has also been in contact and I am sure over the coming weeks there will be more information.

In school, we are no longer shaking hands at the door – some classes have introduced an elbow bump! We are ensuring that the soap dispensers are always full and the children are washing their hands. Mr Holdsworth and the cleaning team are ensuring all door handles are cleaned several times a day and are paying particular attention to the toilets and table tops. Can we politely ask that parents refrain from entering the cloakrooms with their children where possible as a precaution. Staff will be on hand should your child need help.

If your child develops a 'new' cough and has a temperature, please keep them away from school for 7 days and seek medical advice about their return. If I hear any more information, I shall communicate with you immediately.

MRS TODD'S RETIREMENT

Most of you will now be aware that I will be retiring in August. If anyone missed the letter which I sent on Wednesday, I have attached it to this newsletter. Thank you for your kind words, I am looking forward to my last 5 months at Ss Peter & Paul.

Mrs Todd

STEM WEEK

This week the children have been busy experiencing a range of exciting activities relating to STEM. The theme of the week was diversity and began with a visit from Mr Price, a veterinary surgeon who brought along some interesting species. Throughout the week children in all classes have been working on a range of fun experiments to develop their scientific enquiry skills. In addition to this, each pair of classes researched a particular disability considering the impact of technology on that disability. The week drew to a close with talk from Mrs Fastoso on building shape and design. We are certain that the children will have been talking to you about their exciting learning this week. Many thanks to Mr Price and Mrs Fastoso for giving up their time to come and support our learning and thanks to the staff and children for their hard work in making the week a success. *Mrs Heckman and Mrs Ripley*

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

This week, our Parish will be welcoming 10 male refugees through WYDAN. Some children in Year 5 have made a welcome booklet during their lunchtimes for the men, to support them in finding their way around our local area. Thank you to Alex, Kaitlyn, Alfie, Oliver C, Max, Maizie, Aimee and Lucia.

YEAR 2 JUMBLE SALE – 16TH MARCH 2020

The Year Two Jumble Sale will take place on Monday 16th March in the afternoon from 1:00 – 3:00. The children will be escorted to the sale with their class teacher. Each item will be priced at 50p. If your child would like to take part, please send money to school on Monday. Thank you

YEAR 5 SPELLINGS

Year 5 will still receive their spellings on a Wednesday, but the test won't take place until the Thursday of the following week.

EASTER COLOURING COMPETITION

Please can all entries be returned to school by Monday for judging. Thank you.

YEAR 5/6 FOOTBALL MATCH 6TH MARCH 2020

Our Year 5/6 footballers performed magnificently in last Friday's North West Leeds league matches. While they weren't able to come away with a win, they scored quite a few goals and their team spirit was outstanding, keeping going until the final whistle whether results were going their way or not. They represented the school brilliantly and I was really proud of every single one of them! Mr Costa.



SAFERSCHOOLS APP

Please make sure you have signed up for our Saferschools app to get the latest information, advice and alerts about what is and is not safe for your child to access on line. Please do regularly check that your child is not using social media platforms that could put them into potentially harmful situations. A reminder that the code for parents is 7440 and the code for children is 9342.

FRIENDS OF Ss. PETER & PAUL

Mothers Day Shops

Monday 16th & Tuesday 17th March 2019 – please note: all gifts will be £2.50

A date for the next FOSPAP meeting is to be confirmed – watch this space!

Interested in helping the FOSPAP to fundraise for your school? Then why don't you come along to the next meeting (tba) to share your ideas and meet new people?

