



25.9.20

Dear families of St. Kentigern's,

Loreto High School

As you might know, St. Kentigern's is linked with Loreto High School. Each year, Mrs Hughes (Headteacher) visits school with some of our past pupils, to show our current pupils all her school has to offer. This year this has not been possible, so a video link has been sent for you to view with your children instead:

<https://youtu.be/CO9ILcUbOPE>

Covid-19 safety inspection

10% of Greater Manchester schools were selected randomly for an inspection to ensure that all necessary measures have been taken in relation to Covid-19. I am delighted to inform you that we passed in all areas of this inspection and hope that this gives you even greater confidence in the measures taken by school to keep your children safe.

Holy Communion

The children currently in Year 4 were unable to make their First Holy Communion in May due to lockdown restrictions. Whilst stringent restrictions are still in place, Fr. Michael has arranged for the children to receive this sacrament in October and parents have been contacted directly about this. Should you wish to order any gifts, Fr. Michael has invited you to visit church after 10.00am mass on either Saturday or Sunday to see what is available.

Black History Month

To mark the start of Black History Month on Thursday 1st October, we will be having a very special lunch with a menu packed with Afro-Caribbean foods as well as other foods from around the world. Even if your child is on packed lunches, we would love them to participate in this special experience as there will be something for everyone to enjoy. The price of this lunch remains unchanged at £2.20 – a bargain! Please contact the school office to ensure a meal has been reserved for your child.

Introducing our Caritas Team

This week, the children in Year 5 wrote a formal letter of application for a place on the school's Caritas team. This is a team which will support our school in helping local charities and people in need. The successful applicants were:

Bentley, Emily, Ali, Hasna, Renae, and Ciona

Congratulations to this wonderful group of children. They will be great ambassadors for St. Kentigern's.

Food Bank donations

Since returning to school, staff have been donating food which was delivered to the foodbank today by two members of our Caritas team. This is something which will continue all year. Should you wish to make any donations, please feel free!



Chester joins the Caritas team as they prepare to deliver food to the Fallowfield and Withington food bank.

With continued best wishes,

Madeira Muldoon

Mrs Muldoon

Headteacher