



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter - 2nd May, 2017



Dear Parents and Carers,

In Sunday's Gospel, the disheartened disciples didn't recognise that the stranger who had joined them was the Risen Jesus. On the road to Emmaus Jesus explained death and life to them. It was only when he broke bread at the Eucharist, that they recognised that it was Jesus. Jesus is with us at all times-turning sadness to joy.

Events this week

Monday	School closed for Bank holiday
Tuesday	
Wednesday	2.30pm- Year 1 Parents' Phonics meeting
Thursday	CREDIT UNION OPEN- 8.15-8.55am- all welcome 9am- Year 4 mass in church. Year 5 Roman educational visit to York.
Friday	9.10- Praise assembly- all welcome. 2.20pm- Reception class Stay and play. PTA Race night- evening- all welcome.

FUNRAISING IN LENT

I am absolutely delighted with the marvellous response to our fundraising events during Lent! The children and staff had great fun taking part in the various events. The final total raised has gone up to a massive £1,850.00!

We will send £800 to Catholic care, £400 to CAFOD, £400 to HCPT and £250 to SVP. Thank you to everyone for your contributions.

DINNER MENU

The dinner menu is the same this term. We recognise that some children may want to change their choices if they didn't like something. Please call into the office to make any changes by 12th May.

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	CERTIFICATE WINNERS	Attendance
Reception	Adrian Zukowski and Ruby Dunwell	Best attendance- Year 3 98.4% Well done ! 
Year 1	Millie Jones and All of Year 1	
Year 2	Darcy Smith-Edwards and Ciera McHugh	
Year 3	Lexie Wood and Jessica Mitchell	
Year 4	Patrick Ferguson and Jakub Suriov	
Year 5	Connor Oram and Ruby Wood	
Year 6	Lucy Moisey and Dennis Wright	

JUNIOR CLASS MASSES IN CHURCH

The Junior classes will participate in mass at church at 9am in the next few weeks as

Follows-

Thursday 4th May– Year 4

Thursday 18th May– Years 3 and 6

Thursday 25th May-Years 4 and 5.

Parents please take your children to church for 8.55am (they will be met by their teachers).

Parents are welcome to stay for mass and the children and staff will then walk back to school afterwards.

THANK YOU...

To our Faith friends in Year 4 who do a marvellous job of praying with the younger children and teaching them about Jesus.

To Year 1 for behaving fabulously on their space trip and having a great time. Also to Year 4 for their great behaviour and knowledge about sound and music last week.

To Years 3 and 5 for excellent behaviour at mass in church.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION

Congratulations to the children who made their First Confession on Saturday morning.

It was a lovely occasion.

We are all looking forward to their First Holy Communion on Sunday 21st May at 11am at Our Lady of Good Counsel church.

TOOTH BRUSHING IN SCHOOL

Please read the letter sent home about children being encouraged to brush their teeth in school (starting in a few weeks time). We are supporting the NHS scheme to help cut down on tooth decay and to teach good cleaning habits for life.

Please read and sign the permission form to allow your child to participate – tooth brushes and toothpaste will be provided for all children. Thank you.

PTA RACE NIGHT

The family race night is this Friday 5th May. Tickets are on sale again this week outside school. Please come and join in the fun !

I hope you all have a lovely week.

God Bless
Mrs Flaherty
Head Teacher