

School Newsletter No 9 Advent Term 2 10th November 2017

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School starts at 8:55am (Nursery 8.45am and 12.15pm), gates will be shut promptly. Please ensure children are in class in plenty of time. Please pick your child up promptly at the end of the day at 3.10pm (KS1) or 3:15pm (KS2)

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary and Nursery School has a commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.



Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary & Nursery School 'With Christ in our hearts, together we grow'

Dear Parents/Carers,

Police Visit to School Council

Last week Police Community Support Officer, Bradley Gibbs, came in to speak to the school council about his role in the community. The school council asked Bradley many inquisitive questions about his job role; this enabled them to make links between the police's role and their role as a school councillor. Bradley's knowledge and advice was very much appreciated. The school council boards will be updated shortly to display the minutes of the meeting, they will also be placed onto the school website.

Police Visit to KS1

This week Police Community Support Officers Bradley Gibbs and Tom Ward visited KS1 for an assembly on stranger danger, internet safety and seat belt awareness. Children were fully engaged, making lots of contributions throughout the assembly. Many thanks to PCSO Gibbs and PCSO Ward for their time.



NSPCC Assembly

This week the NSPCC came in to talk to the children in KS1 and KS2 about child safety. The children listened carefully to the advice on how to keep safe and where to go if they needed a listening ear. Many thanks to Judie Mackay for delivering the assembly.



Church Bulletin

Please see attached church bulletin.

5SS Class Collective Worship

Thank you to 5SS for an inspiring assembly this afternoon. The children delivered a lovely message telling us all about their learning journey so far in year 5.

Visit to Church

We have had some very nice comments from parents and parishioners regarding the children in Mr Phelan's and Mr O'Keeffe's class, expressing how very respectful and spiritual they all were during Mass and that they were all a real credit to the school. We are all very proud of the children!

Easy Fundraising

Did you know that whenever you buy anything online - from your weekly shop to your annual holiday - you could be collecting free donations for Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary and Nursery School - Slough?

There are over 3,000 shops and sites on board ready to make a donation, including Amazon, John Lewis, Aviva, thetrainline and Sainsbury's – it doesn't cost you a penny extra!



It's as easy as 1, 2, 3...

1. Head to https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ourladyofpeacepsslough/ and join for free.

2. Every time you shop online, go to easyfundraising first to find the site you want and start shopping.

3. After you've checked out, that retailer will make a donation to your good cause for no extra cost whatsoever!

There are no catches or hidden charges and Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary and Nursery School - Slough will be really grateful for your donations.

There is also a donation reminder toolbar which you can download onto your device!

Thank you for your support.

Have a lovely weekend,

I am the good shepherd; the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep

Jan O'Kaffi

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Headteacher

Year band	Percentage
Nursery	85.5
Reception	95.2
Year 1	96.2
Year 2	96.2
Year 3	96.0
Year 4	96.0
Year 5	95.5
Year 6	95.5

Well Done Year 1 and 2

Useful Dates for Your Diary

Sunday 12th November	REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY	
Tuesday 14th November	Year 6 St Joseph to Mass at Our Lady of Peace Church Parent Consultation Evening EYFS, KS1, KS2(lower) 3.30-6.30pm	
Thursday 16th November	Parent Consultation Evening KS2 (upper) 3.30-6.30pm	
Tuesday 21st November	Year 5 St Ethelbert to Mass at Our Lady of Peace Church at 9:30am	
Thursday 23rd November	School Photographer (for children absent on the 4/10/17)	
Friday 24th November	Sponsored Welly Throw	
	Year 6 St Joseph Class Collective Worship at 2:30pm	
	Year 2 St Thomas Class Collective Worship at 2:30pm	
Tuesday 28th November	Year 5 St Maximillian to Mass at Our Lady of Peace Church at 9:30am	
Wednesday 29th November	Key Stage 2 SATs Information Evening at 6pm in KS2 School hall	
w/c 4th December	Children's Chocolate Christmas Raffle	
Tuesday 5th December	Year 5 St Dunstan to Mass at Our Lady of Peace Church at 9:30am	
Tuesday 12th December	SEN Parents Consultation Evening at 3.30-5pmYear 31.45 pm Y3 Production to parents	
Thursday 14th December	Year 4 Christmas Production to Parents at 2pm	
Friday 15th December	Reception Nativity to parents 2:15pm-3pm Christmas Hat/Jumper day (More details to follow)	
Monday 18th December	Year 1 Christmas Choir for parents	
Tuesday 19th December	School Closes at 1:15pm	



St Clare	Oliver Quelch	For his enthusiastic approach to all his work. Always ready to answer any questions in all subjects. Hardworking, polite and kind to others. A pleasure to teach and a valuable member of our class. Well done Oliver. Keep it up!
St Peter	Julia Rudek	For working hard on your handwriting skills and con- centrating hard in Maths.
St John Bosco	Dylan Campbell	For having adjusted well to a new school and to school life. He continues to make a big effort towards doing his best. Keep it up!
St Columba	Maisie Hayman	Doing additional art work in her own time. Well Done Maisie.
St Blaise	Olivia Clarke	For an amazing attitude to learning and being a positive, helpful member of the class.
St Paul	Esinam Deynoo	Well done Essie-you have been working so hard in Maths and English. You answer questions in class and participate eagerly in lessons. I am so proud of you.
St Maximilian	Nicholas Puszcz	For being a delightful hardworking member of the class. He works with enthusiasm and always perseveres to try his best. Well done!
St Ethelbert	Alistair Esheygiba	For trying his best in everything he does, always helping out around the classroom and being an excel- lent role model to others.
St Dunstan	Josh	For always working hard and being enthusiastic. Josh is always happy to contribute his ideas in class. Well done!
St Joseph	Oliver Durkan	Oliver has impressed me with his enthusiasm in all our lessons this term. He makes excellent contribu- tions to our class discussions and produces work of high quality on a regular basis, Well done Oliver!
St Brigid	Elliott Durkan	For working well across the curriculum and showing a willingness to learn. Particularly good in Maths and super independent writing in English.
St Cuthbert	Lucile Harris	For working extremely well in her English writing throughout this week. Keep it up!