



# St. Mary's Catholic Primary School

## Newsletter – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2021



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*Happy are those who hear the word of God  
and keep it' Luke 11:28*

Dear Parent/Carer,

### **Return to School from 8.3.21**

The Government have announced that schools will return from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March. We are very much looking forward to welcoming our pupils back into school. As you would expect, safety will remain of key importance, and as such, we will have a number of measures in place. We will focus on supporting our pupils with their academic progress but crucially their well being too.

Classes will remain in Bubbles with staggered start and finish times. The plan will be largely similar to the structure we had in place before Christmas. To ensure all families are fully informed and absolutely clear I have once again prepared a presentation for you which details structure, expectations and has a useful frequently asked questions section.

**I would ask you to take the time to read this document fully . It can be found on the homepage of the school website. If a member of your support or child care Bubble will be supporting drop off or collection please ensure they read this too.**

Should you have any further questions or comments please, as ever contact us.

Whilst we are seeing improvements in the number of cases, Coronavirus is still very prevalent and we must work in partnership to ensure we keep each other safe.

**It is only by working in partnership that we will be able to reduce the spread and keep school open for our pupils.**

**It is imperative we maintain social distancing and Parents/ Carers do not gather at either drop of or collection times. All adults (unless Medical exempt) will be required to wear a Face covering when entering the school grounds.**

## Lenten Activities

Please see below for the next Lenten activities. Our Lenten Planner can be found on the Homepage of our school website. Unfortunately we cannot celebrate our Mass together at the moment and some of our activities are a little different but we still have lots of lovely ideas!

This year we are Fundraising for Lancashire MIND. Through my Head Teachers videos we have all talked about how it is important to keep our bodies healthy and to keep our MIND healthy too!! This local charity help many people locally who may be struggling. Any donations you can give will be gratefully received.

The link can be found on the Lenten Planner on our website and below

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/matthew-taylor107>

Next week.....	
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	The Masked Reader to celebrate World Book Day (4.3.21)  Design a mask of your favourite book character. Read your favourite book wearing your mask and send your Teachers a picture or a video so we can try to guess who is behind the mask!  If you are in school as part of our Bubble you are welcome to bring you masks/ books
After that .....	
Friday 12 <sup>h</sup> March	Make a Lent good deed Jar at home. Every time you do something for someone else add a note, a coin, a lego brick.  Can you add good deeds to your class Jars ? Which class will have the most 'good deeds' by the end of our first week back together??

## Celebrations Awards

	<b>Achievement Award Winner</b>	<b>'EAT' Award Winner</b> <b>Explore, Active, think creatively</b>
Class 1	Ellis Leigh	Jamie Bass
Class 2	Deondre Thompson	Freddie Pye
Class 3	Finnley Foxall -Holmes	Chloe Moore
Class 4	Oliver Hodson	Evie Holland - Bass

*At St. Mary's School we*

"Live our lives as Jesus taught us,

Work hard together to achieve our best,

Respect each other and the world around us,

Have fun and enjoy learning!"

