Our Lady & St John's Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

This week Year 4 & Year 5 performed a beautiful Lent play – 'Easter Children'. The singing and acting were fantastic! My thanks to Miss Grimshaw, Miss Fehres, Miss Ryan and Mrs. Harb for their hard work preparing the children and a special thanks to Mrs. O'Connor for playing. Thank you to all the parents who came to support their children. The biggest thanks goes to all the children – you were all amazing!

Year 1 had their class celebration service. Thank you to Mrs. Ashton and Mrs. Gunn for preparing the children and to Father Gerard for his help with the service. A huge 'congratulations' to Year 1 for such a confident, prayerful service – your singing in particular was amazing!

The weather is very unpredictable at the moment. Please ensure all children have their coats with them and that these have their name in them. After the Easter break pupils can wear either the summer uniform or continue with the winter uniform depending on the weather.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs. Cunningham

Stars of the Week
18th March 2024

Reception: Xavier & Sofia P
Yr1: Posy & Maks
Yr2: Alexa & Diar
Yr3: Frank & Artin
Yr4: George & Kahyjel
Yr5: Nadia & Emelia
Yr6: Babatunde & Maia



Safeguarding

The wellbeing of our children is of paramount importance to all staff.
Should any parent have a concern regarding a child's wellbeing, please inform the school's designated safeguarding officer:
Mrs Cunningham or in her absence the deputy safeguarding officer Mrs Sheehan.
In cases where school staff have concerns, they have a statutory duty to discuss the issue with their line manager, Mrs Cunningham to seek further advice.

We are a PEANUT & NUT FREE SCHOOL

Due to severe allergies of some pupils and staff, please ensure no nut or peanut products are brought into school.

Congratulations to the children in St. David's who received the most house points last week.

The children in St. David's will receive 15 minutes of extra play in Key stage 1.

The children in in Key stage 2 will receive a Homework pass for this week's homework.

House point winners for this week

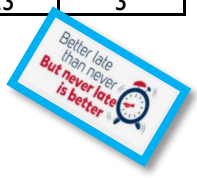
HOUSES	Score
St Patrick	217
St Andrew	258
St George	216
St David	260
St John	219
Winners	St David

Punctuality & Attendance

Position	Year	%	Late
1st	5	99.3	6
1st	3	99.3	1
2nd	6	98.6	9
2nd	4	98.6	2
3rd	1	98.2	2
4th	Nur	95.2	3
5th	2	94.1	1
6th	Rec	93.3	3







Congratulations to Year 5 on their 99.3% attendance!

They will receive 10 minutes extra play!

Important Dates - March

Monday 25th March
- Yr5&6 Egyptian history workshop

Tuesday 26th March
9:00 End of term mass in church

Wednesday 27th March
8:50 Achievement assembly

Thursday 28th March
1:30 End of term

Sports Leaders

Every week, at celebration assembly, our Sports leaders will be awarding two Stars of the Week.
These stars will be chosen as a result of their contribution, enthusiasm and participation
during the activities that the Sports leaders are providing during lunch time play.

This week the winners were
Isla & Babatunde



Yr4 & Yr5 Lenten play



Easter Children Play – Years 4 & 5

Years 4 & 5 delivered an important message, through their awe-inspiring performance this week. Their beautiful singing and impressive acting reminded us how we can all be 'Easter Children' full of hope and love, as well as teach others to be disciples too. Many thanks to all the parents and relatives who came to support them. A special 'thank you' to Mrs. O'Connor for playing the piano at rehearsals and the show. Years 4 & 5 you were amazing!

Ms. Grimshaw & Miss Fehres