

St Mary's C of E Junior School



Newsletter





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Children In Need



Next Friday (17th November 2017) is Children in Need. We are having a nonuniform day when children can come to school wearing either something spotty or pyjamas in exchange for a £1.00 donation towards the charity. Pudsey Bear will be paying us a visit too.



This half-term's Christian Value is **Hope**.

Parking/Drop off

Please can we ask that parents **DO NOT** drop children off outside the school gates. Please park and walk your child/ren to the playground. There have been a couple of near misses recently and it also causes traffic jams. Thank you for your co-operation.

Remembrance Sunday

At St. Mary's Church on Sunday, there will be a Service of Remembrance at 9.30 am. Families are invited to attend and the children encouraged to get involved-giving out books, taking the collection, helping Father Andrew with prayers etc.

New Mission Statement

The Governing Body and staff would like to adopt a new mission statement. We welcome any comments on our draft version or if you'd like to have an input, please dojo your child's class teacher. Thank you.

"INSPIRING LIFE-LONG LEARNING WITHIN THE LOVE OF GOD"

Goodbye

We are saying goodbye to Mrs King today. Mrs King has been a Teaching Assistant at St. Mary's Junior School nearly 16 years. She has been a great asset to the school in many ways and will be missed by staff and pupils. We wish her well in her new ventures.

Uniform

Good news. After several complaints from dissatisfied parents about the quality of our current uniform provider we can now offer an alternative. To order please visit www.theshirtmonkeys.co.uk

Diary dates

Thursday 23rd Nov - 9am in mobile classroom - Enuresis Parent Workshop with the School Nurse Friday 24th Nov - Occasional Day (no children in school)

Friday 1st Dec- Choir to Burleigh House with Mrs Moran (Christmas Carols)

Tuesday 5th Dec - Year 3 and & 4 Nativity (2pm and 6pm)

Frid 8th Dec - Non-uniform day (bring a bottle for the Christmas Fair tombola)

Mon 11th Dec - Year 3 Christingle service

Weds 13th Dec - Christmas dinner

Thurs 14th Dec - Christmas Fair at the Infants school

Tues 19th Dec - Church service at St Mary's church, 9.30am. All parents welcome!

End of term. School closes at 1.30pm.

Spring Term 2018

Weds 3rd Jan - INSET Day (No children in school)

Thurs 4th Jan - Children back in school

Friday 9th Feb - Break up for half term

Monday 19th Feb - Children back in school

Easter break - Thursday 29th March to Friday 13th April inclusive.