

I AM A DISCIPLE FOR YOU JESUS

Holy Souls Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and children,

We have had another busy week in school and the children have worked very hard- despite having very little outside play time due to the very cold weather. We were all wondering what happened to the snow though!

Today you will receive a Parental Consultation letter with an appointment for you to come and discuss your child's learning and progress with their class teacher. These meetings are very important and are a lovely opportunity to celebrate your child's successes. Please return the reply slip as soon as possible.

On Wednesday 6th February, there will be a meeting at 4:30 p.m. about our MAC conversion to the St Teresa of Calcutta Academy. Mr Crehan (our School Improvement Partner and Head teacher of Holy Trinity Catholic School) and Mrs Girling will lead the presentation in the school hall. You, and all members of our school community and parish are warmly invited to attend.

The parents of children in classes 6K, 6CH and 4M are invited to come and watch their children perform in a Music covert on Thursday afternoon at 2:00p.m. These concerts are always a wonderful celebration of the children's musical talents. I can't wait!

Enjoy a restful weekend.

God bless

Mrs Girling

This week in school;

- **Our Governing Body visited school to hear all about how well the children are doing in their learning.**
- **Y1 enjoyed a visit from The Freshwater Theatre Company.**

YEAR 2 : LIAM & NIKODEM

STAFF MEMBER : MRS CORRIGAN
YEAR 1: KATIE & HOLLIE

RECEPTION: GEORGINA & TAMMIE-LEE

YEAR 3 : DUGGIE & MICHAEL

YEAR 4 : JOANNE & TYMON

YEAR 5 : JULIA & LUKE

YEAR 6: PHOEBE & JOSHUA

TO BRING GOOD NEWS, TO SHINE FOR YOU.

Sacred Heart and Holy Souls Church

MASS TIMES – Vigil Mass Saturday 5:00pm Sunday Masses 8:30am, 10:00am and 12:00pm.

Lenten Day Coming Soon...

The Young Disciples are busy preparing Lenten ideas for you. We are going to begin Lent with a Lenten Day to prepare ourselves for Lent. More details will come soon. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday which is on 6th March. Parents are welcome to join us at Mass at 10am. If you have any fundraising ideas for Lent then please let Miss Trodden know.

Ava, Caitlyn and Erin in Year 4 are organising an appeal to help the homeless. At the moment, it is so cold outside. Please look for any clothes, hats, gloves, scarfs that you no longer need and we will deliver these to St. Chad's Sanctuary next week.

SACRED HEART AND HOLY SOULS CHURCH

A message from Father Jonathan and Father Tomas

Feast of the Presentation of the Lord:

Tomorrow morning we will celebrate this great feast of Jesus being presented in the temple. Candles will be blessed at the 10am Mass as we enter church to greet Christ who is the light of the world. Please do come to this very special Mass. At the end of Mass the crib will be dismantled until the Feast of Christmas later this year.

Year 1 event enjoyed a day with The Freshwater Theatre Company.

On Monday, Freshwater Theatre Company came in to teach the children all about continents.

They found out where they live and what all of the other places are like. Everyone really enjoyed learning about the world in which they live.



REMINDER

Children must not bring mobile phones into school. Thank you for reminding your child about school rules.



ATTENDANCE Overall for the week 94%

RTH	93%	3WY	96%
RT	93%	4M	98%
1W	94%	4PC	90%
1KK	91%	5H	92%
2B	97%	5MS	89%
2TF	94%	6K	90%
3W	95%	6CH	96%

KEEP IT UP CHILDREN – GREAT IMPROVEMENTS!

**STAR ATTENDERS OF THE WEEK ARE:
2B & 4M**

Attendance Focus Fortnight

It's that time again!

Week beginning 4th February will be the start of our attendance focus. This will run from **4th February until 15th February**. Remember, each child who makes it into school every day for these two weeks will win a small prize and will be entered into a prize draw at the end of the school year in July, to win a prize for them and their family. This was very successful last time; I'm looking forward to this one being even more successful.