



HOLY SOULS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

"a place where we pray together and everyone is important"

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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we look back on the celebration of enrolment for our Year 3 children on the Feast of Christ the King. My thanks to everyone in school, the children and their families, our parish family and Canon Jonathan and Father Marco for making it such a wonderful celebration. We hope you enjoyed the opportunity to meet up after Mass enjoying a cup of tea and designing your family coat of arms.

Please keep our Year 6 pupils in your prayers as they enjoy their residential visit to Whitemoor Lakes.

Well done to Mr Henvey and the Parathlon Team who came fourth in their competition this week. It was great to hear how well behaved, well-mannered and how sporting you all were!

This week you received the Diary Dates for our Advent and Christmas. Please do add them to your diary. We look forward to our celebrations and it started this week as we had the big Christmas tree switch on! My thanks to Andrew and Dominic for their super countdown and technical skills! Next week we start our Christmas Raffle - thank you to Nanny Courtney and the Czinke family for donating such wonderful raffle prizes. 20p a ticket or £1:00 per strip. Good luck!

The Season of Advent



This Sunday we celebrate the **First Sunday of Advent**. The first candle on the wreath to be lit is **purple**. This is for the first Sunday in Advent and symbolises **HOPE**. Sometimes called the Prophet's Candle it reminds us that Jesus is coming.

Let us pray.... As we await the coming of the Lord let us pray for hope in our lives, hope in our community and hope in our world.

Wishing you a Happy and Holy Advent season.

God bless Mrs Girling

School is closed tomorrow - Friday 1st November for an in-service training day.