



Holy Family Catholic Primary School Weekly Newsletter (27)

'The love of Christ encourages us'

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Thursday 30th March 2017

Reception –)

Year 1 –)

Year 2 –) To be confirmed

Year 3 –) on Friday morning

Year 4 -)

Year 5 –)

Year 6 –)



★ **HAPPY** ★
BIRTHDAY!

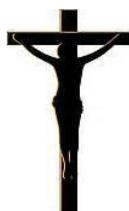
Jan & Ashley



Well done to all our award winners.

Dates for your diary

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| Thursday 30 th March | - | Year 2's Farm Shop – Parents welcome |
| Thursday 30 th March | - | Mass of Reconciliation at Holy Family Church at 6.30pm – All welcome |
| Friday 31 st March | - | School Closes at 1.00pm for Easter Holiday |
| Tuesday 18th April | - | School re-opens |
| Monday 1 st May | - | May Day Bank Holiday – school closed |
| Monday 8 th May | - | SATs week |
| Monday 15 th May | - | Winmarleigh Trip for Year 5 & 6 |
| Friday 26 th May | - | School Closes for half term |
| Monday 5 th June | - | School Re-opens |
| Wednesday 14 th June | - | Preston Schools' Music Festival |
| Thursday, 29 June | - | Our Lady's Catholic High School New parents' Talk, 7.00 pm |
| Monday 3 July | - | Our Lady's Catholic High School Year 6 Pupil induction day 9am start |
| Tuesday 1 July | - | Our Lady's Catholic High School's School Production primary matinee for Year five pupils |



Latest Holy Family news

Dear Parents

This week in school we have been led through some wonderful worships, helping us all to prepare for Easter and understand the sacrifice that Jesus made for us.

We have all enjoyed some lovely Spring weather recently and the children have made the most of it by spending more time outside. Our staggered start in the mornings continue to be popular with children and parents and it is great to see our children skipping and even running into school with smiles on their faces. What a good start to the day!

As many of you know Dave Smith, one of our dads, died recently. Staff, pupils and their families have been saddened by this terrible news as Dave was extremely popular – we will all miss him. Last Friday Holy Family School showed their support for Dave and his family by standing still in the playground as the funeral cortège went by. It has been lovely to see our children showing their concern and sympathy towards Keila, Lola, Dorrell, Aston and Lucas over the past two weeks. Please remember the Smith family in your prayers at this very difficult time.

Many thanks for your continued support and very best wishes to you all at Easter.

I hope you all have a brilliant break.

Best wishes
Mrs Westray

Holy Family's Got Talent

Holy Family certainly has got talent and we saw lots of it on Tuesday this week. Well done to all the children who took part and a special 'Congratulations' to Mickey from Year 6 who won overall and did an amazing display of martial arts for us!

Reading Book Amnesty

The reading book amnesty is still on and we would like to ask you to take the opportunity during the Easter break to have a good look around the house and return any school reading books which you may have? Thank you.

Mass of Reconciliation

The Mass of Reconciliation will be taking place in our Church at 6.30pm on Thursday, 30th March. Please come along.

Uniform

Before you all rush off and replenish summer uniform stock during the Easter holidays, please remember the uniform policy. We do **NOT** allow any other colour shoes than black however, in summer, we will allow white, traditional sandals for the girls along with their blue and white gingham dresses, **white** socks and red or blue hair adornments. Boys may wear charcoal grey shorts and **grey** socks. Please ensure your children are in correct uniform at all times and please adhere to school rules regarding hairstyles. If girls' have long hair then it should be tied up and boys' hair should **NOT** be cut in extreme styles. Please also remember that school is **not** the place for jewellery so please do not have your child's ears pierced over the holidays, please wait until the beginning of the summer break then the piercings will have had enough time to heal for the earrings to be removed in time for the return to school in September. Thank you.

After Easter

As the Easter holidays are early this year, we will be holding our normal Easter Bonnet Parade and Easter Eggstravaganza on our return to school. This will give parents and children time to work on them over the holiday! More details will follow the first week back.

Assembly

Our celebration assembly is at 09.15 tomorrow. Please join us.

Closure

School closes **TOMORROW, Friday 31st March at 1pm**. And re-opens on **Tuesday, 18th April**. Have a Happy and Holy Easter break.