



**HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
LIVE, LOVE, LEARN. TOGETHER WE WILL SOAR TO NEW HEIGHTS

# Holy Spirit Weekly

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2022**

Dear Parents,

*A special thank you to Miss Ashton and Mrs Bretherton for organising and leading an incredible EYFS opening evening last Tuesday. It was lovely to welcome so many new families to our school. Please continue to promote our wonderful school with any family members – we have places across all of our year groups in school except for our current Year 1 class.*

*It was lovely hearing Year 1 and Year 2 begin preparations for their Christmas nativity this week. Please look out for the letter sent home about the nativity performances for both EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2. Well done to Mrs Lamble for leading a really important workshop with Year 1 and their parents on Wednesday around the importance of looking after our teeth. It was brilliant to see so many families attend. Our second Phonics parent workshop on Wednesday morning was also well attended – well done to Mrs Martin for all her support with our families with Phonics.*



*Thank you to the families in Year 4 who joined us for our weekday mass on Thursday morning with Father Jean Paul. This Thursday Year 3 will be going to Church, it would be great if you could join us.*

*Thank you to Miss Green for organising a fantastic Anti-Bullying week last week around the theme 'Reach out'.*

*Your kindness last Friday with all of the amazing sweet donations was just incredible, thank you! This Friday we have an own clothes day for a bottle or chocolate donation for the Tombola stall at our Christmas fayre.*

Kindest regards  
Miss Sinead Walsh  
Headteacher

## *Our weekly award winners – we are so proud of you all!*

Congratulations to all of our PATHs, Merit and Spirit award winners this week! Our Deputy head boy Riley and Deputy head girl Ella proudly awarded the children their certificates in assembly on Friday, along with the class teachers.

**Nursery**



**Reception**



**Year One**



**Year Two**



**Year Three**



**Year Four**



**Year Five**



**Year Six**



## Attendance and Punctuality



*Has your child been an attendance and punctuality **HERO** this week?*

**H**ere

**E**veryday

**R**eady

**O**n Time!

**Week 9. 07.11.22-11.11.22**

Class	%
Reception	95.8%
Year 1	99.3%
Year 2	96.3%
Year 3	93.9%
Year 4	92.9%
Year 5	92.1%
Year 6	94.2%
Whole School	94.8%

***Our whole school target for attendance is 97%. Well done to Year 1 for their fantastic attendance last week!***

***Our new Show up to glow up attendance incentive!***



## **Golden Table**

**Well done to Year 4 children for being chosen to sit on the Golden table for their lunch on Friday!**



**These Year 4 children had a wonderful time on Friday!**

### **PE in Holy Spirit for Years 1-6**

<b>Monday</b>	Year 4 with Progressive Sports Year 3 with Progressive Sports
<b>Tuesday</b>	Year 5 Forest school Year 1 and Year 2
<b>Wednesday</b>	Year 6
<b>Thursday</b>	Year 2 Dance with Mrs Jones Year 1 Dance with Mrs Jones Year 5
<b>Friday</b>	Year 3 Year 4

## **Our School Twitter page**

*I hope you have been able to look at our school Twitter page over the week, it is filled with so many incredible photos showing memorable learning from your child's class over the past week! Please have a look if you haven't already!*

## **Donations**

**Have you any Christmas jumpers or Christmas t shirts that your children have grown out of? Please donate these to the school office. Thank you so much for your kindness.**

## **Marvellous Me app**

*Please can you make sure that you have signed up and downloaded Marvellous Me,*



*as this is the main form of communication between school and home. Please ask the school office for your child's Marvellous Me code if yours has stopped working. We will also Marvellous Me out the Holy Spirit Weekly newsletter each week and once a month we will have our Fruit of the Spirit newsletter to share with you all.*

### Important diary dates for this term

24.11.22	Y3 Weekday Mass at St Vincent de Paul Church 9.05am	Year 3
24.11.22 25.11.22	Bikeability Balance training Reception and Year 1	Reception and Year 1
25.11.22	Non uniform day for a bottle (KS2) / chocolate (KS1/EYFS) for Christmas Fayre	Whole School
28.11.22	Year 2 Learn and Share experience 'Explorers' Geography 9am	Year 2
29.11.22	Parents online safety information session with Ms Devaney	KS2 parents welcome
29.11.22	Forest school Year 3 and Year 4	Year 3 and Year 4
30.11.22	Y5 Reading for Pleasure with Parents 2.30pm	Year 5
01.12.22	Y5 Weekday Mass at St Vincent de Paul Church 9.05am	Year 6
01.12.22	Mouse Club EYFS – 9am	EYFS
01.12.22	Choir singing carols at Madison Court	Choir
02.12.22	Christmas Enterprise Fayre – Children may wear a Christmas Jumper with their uniform	Whole School
05.12.22	Whole School Santa Dash Fundraiser	Whole School
05.12.22	Choir singing at the lighting of the Christmas tree at Parr	choir
05.12.22	EYFS where in the world project: Christmas around the world 2pm	EYFS
07.12.22	Reading For Pleasure Y6 – 2.30pm	Year 6
08.12.22	Y4 Weekday Mass at St Vincent de Paul Church 9.05am	Year 4
08.12.22	First Holy Communion preparation session 3 3.05pm	Holy communicants

09.12.22	Christmas jumper and dinner day	Whole School
11.12.22	Family Mass 9.30am St Vincent de Paul Church	All welcome
12.12.22	Breakfast with Santa – Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2	EYFS, Year 1 & Year 2
13.12.22	EYFS Nativity 9.15am	EYFS
14.12.22	KS1 Nativity 9.15am	Year 1 & Year 2
15.12.22	Y6 Panto at Everyman Liverpool	Year 6
16.12.22	9am Carol Service at St Vincent de Paul Church	Year 2, 4, 5 and 6
19.12.22	Christmas Party Day – party clothes	Whole School
20.12.22	School Closes 1:30pm	Whole School

\*All dates and times are subject to change

# Parr Christmas tree Switch-on

Join the Mayor of St Helens and  
your local Parr councillors, as  
we light up Parr

**MONDAY, 5TH DECEMBER  
@4PM**

**OUTSIDE ST PHILIPS CHURCH,  
DERBYSHIRE HILL ROAD, WA92NQ**



Singing by children from Broad Oak &  
Holy Spirit primary schools