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5th April 2019.

Dear Parents / Carers,

Congratulations to our Gold Star Children this week who are:

Reception: Callie for fantastic literacy work about Little Red Hen.

Y1: Xander for an excellent effort during mass.

Y2: William for playing an active role in class discussions.

Y3: Siena for showing fantastic progress in maths.

Y4: Logan for producing beautiful work with correctly formed handwriting.

Y5: Dylan for showing great improvement in tests this week.

Y6: Oliver for excellent listening skills in music lessons.

Golden ticket winners:

Last week: Freya and Joby

This week: Lexi and Molly

Thank you to the children who led their Class Liturgies:

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R: Amelie and Irene

Y1: Kamyah

Y2: Ava and Sienna

Y4: Jude, Alfie and Ryan

Y5: Jacob, Millie and Mia

Y6: Leighton, Matilda and Lara

Catholic Virtues.

As we are part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham, we have embraced the Catholic Schools' Pupil Profile, which teaches the children a set of eight pairs of virtues that enable them to grow as individuals in the image of God.

Each half term the whole school will focus on one pair of words; we will spend time reflecting on the meaning of the words; how we see these virtues in action in our lives and in the lives of others and how we can work to develop these virtues in our lives.

Learned, finding God in all things; and **wise** in the ways they use their learning for the common good.

Congratulations goes to the following children who have received certificates for showing these virtues in their actions.

Reception: **Enzo and Emily**

Y1: **James** and **Leah**

Y2: **Evey** and **Jacob**

Y3: **Faith** and **Amelia**

Y4: **Tom** and **Freya –Mary**

Y5: **Daisy** and **Kyra**

Y6: **Gianna** and **Francesca**

Cross Country: well done to **Mia** who came 6th in the inter-county Cross Country competition representing Dudley.

Well done: to the guitarists from Y4 and Y6 who played in Dudley Performing Arts concerts at Dudley Town Hall during the week – “they did us proud”.

Y3 and Y4 Open Session: thank you to all the parents who attended to work alongside their child. I hope you enjoyed your afternoon learning about Vikings.



Fun Day Friday: today we all had MAD hair and gave money to Mary's Meals. We collected **£142.10**

Next Thursday, 11th April, dress as “**Bright as you Like**” and wear your Easter Bonnet – any money donated this week will go to School Fund.



HOLY WEEK

Holy Week and Easter Assembly

Week beginning 8th April we will be holding “mini” assemblies every day, with one class leading a reflection:

Monday Y4 - Palm Sunday at 2.40pm

Tuesday Y3 -The Last Supper at 2.40pm

Wednesday Y5 - Agony in the garden and arrest of Jesus at 2.40pm

Thursday morning at 9.15am we will have a whole school assembly, with Y6 completing the Holy Week reflections with the Journey to Calvary. The assembly will then move to the celebration of Easter.



Children from Reception, Yr1 and Yr2 are invited to make an Easter Bonnet.

Children from Yrs 3 – 6 are invited to decorate an egg



There will be a prize for the winner in each class.



Tuesday 9th April
Reception, Y1 and Y2 from 5.30pm to 6.30pm
Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 from 6.45pm – 8pm.

Tickets are now on sale in school at £2 per child. For younger children, please put payment in a purse/wallet or named envelope – please do not give to money to staff on the doors in a morning.

There will be lots of “goodies” to buy so the children can bring their pocket money. Entrance and collection via the main door on Catholic Lane.

Easter Raffle: Tickets now on sale 20p each.



Dudley Catering Easter Competition: the Catering Department are also running an Easter competition, again, there will be a prize for each class.

Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 – to complete an Easter Colouring Sheet

Class 3, Class 4, Class 5 & Class 6 – to design their own Easter Egg.

Entry forms for this competition have been given out to the children this week, we have spare copies in the school office. Entries need to be returned to school by **Wednesday 10th April**. Children will also need to have a school lunch on **Thursday 11th April** to be eligible to enter the competition.

Missing Jumper Yr 1: we have a missing jumper from a child in Year 1, their name is clearly labelled. Can you please check your child’s uniform and return to school if it has come home by mistake.



Breaking up for Easter: the school closes for children at 1.30pm on Thursday 11 April.

School menu: next week is **Week 1** – there is a special Easter Menu for **Thursday**, an Easter themed boxed meal with either hotdog, vegetarian sausage or fish goujons.

Have a good week,

S. M. Mason.