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# NEWSLETTER

## 7<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Dear Parents / Carers,

Thank you to everyone who attended the Merit assembly this week to celebrate our Star of the Week children's achievements.



## Star of the Week!

Reception	<b>Priestley</b> for fantastic progress in phonics. <b>Amelia</b> for a lovely contribution during our Retreat Day.
Year 1	<b>Amelie</b> for always working hard and trying her best. <b>Cian</b> for always being a kind friend.
Year 2	<b>Noah</b> for creating a lovely story map based on a real experience in English this <u>week</u> . <b>Viktorija</b> for always presenting her work beautifully.
Year 3	<b>Ethan</b> for having wonderful manners all of the time <b>Bella</b> for working so respectfully during our Retreat Day.
Year 4	<b>Layla</b> for a beautiful painting of Van Gogh's Sunflowers. <b>Morgan</b> for fantastic participation and thoughts shared during our Retreat Day.
Year 5	<b>Ryan</b> for his deep understanding of the Scriptures. <b>Finley</b> for excellent knowledge and deep understanding of the scriptures.
Year 6	<b>Jacob</b> for showing great reflection during our Retreat day. <b>Mia</b> for making superb progress in reading comprehension. <b>Liam</b> for excellent drumming skills in music.



### Golden Ticket Winners

Congratulations to Jenson in KS2 and Libby in KS1 who are our lucky winners this week.





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### Retreat Day

On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February the whole School took part in a Retreat Day led by Dan and Emily from One Life Music. The day was a chance to have some time away from lessons and to focus on our spiritual needs. The theme of the day was 'The God Who Speaks' which is the Pope's focus for this Liturgical Year, he has asked all Catholics to think about the messages God gives us through the scriptures.

The whole School joined together for Morning Prayer before splitting off into groups to do work in classrooms.

At the end of the day the whole School joined together again for a closing liturgy. This was a lovely celebration of prayer, music and scripture reading. Thank you to the parents and grandparents who were able to join us.

### Football After School Club

Due to the Parent/Teacher Consultations next week, football club will take place on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February instead.

### Parental Questionnaire

Thank you to everyone who has completed and returned the Parental Questionnaire which was sent out last week with the First Half Spring Term Newsletter. If you haven't returned yours, could we please ask that it's returned by Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February at the latest. Thank you.

### Parent/Teacher Consultations

We are looking forward to seeing you next week. Sadly, Reception's Parent Consultations are postponed as Mrs Bentley is not with us due to her mom being seriously ill. Mr Hinton and Mrs Clews are available to see you if you need us; just ask. We are both in school for the morning sessions, Mrs Clews will be there to see you Monday afternoon as Mr Hinton is at St Joseph's Primary School and Mr Hinton will be there for you on Thursday afternoon. We look forward to seeing you.

### Lunchtime menu

The menu choice for week commencing 10<sup>th</sup> February is week 3. A copy of the choices can be found on the School's website in the Parents' information tab and then click on school meals.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mr M Hinton

Executive Headteacher