

Love, live and learn with Jesus Christ.

27th May 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

<u>Time to return to Mass!</u>

Returning to Mass at Pentecost - Catholic Bishops' Conference (cbcew.org.uk)

Please follow the above link to read the statement from the Catholic Church in England and Wales stating that **the Sunday 'obligation' for Catholics to attend Mass has been reinstated**. The Mass is a beautiful gift left to us by the Lord and should be central to our family life. It is apparent from the behaviour of <u>some</u> pupils during school Masses that they are not used to behaving appropriately and participating in Mass. If Mass is not already present in your weekend plans, please consider returning to this most important celebration as a family regardless of which parish you choose to worship in.

Happy Half Term!

We come to the end of a short but intense half term. This half term has seen statutory assessments for Years 2 and 6 and sacraments for Year 3. Next half term will see the Phonics Screening Check for Year 1, Multiplication Check for Year 4 and the Sacrament of Confirmation for Year 6 among many other events. Wishing everyone a safe, enjoyable and sunny break. Enjoy the Jubilee celebrations - watch out for details of our own Jubilee celebrations which take place on Friday 10th June.

INSET Days

A reminder that Monday 6th June and Friday 1st July are both INSET days.

Gospel Virtues - who's got a wristband this week?

The following pupils have received 'Grateful and Generous' wristbands this week as they have been seen living out our Gospel Virtues, Jack M, Nancy, Niamh & Orlagh-Mae (Y1).

Wednesday Word - follow the link below to enjoy the Gospel as a family

https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/half-term-holidayspecial?pid=MTA101634&v=61.20

Home Phonics Link

Please click the link below for a recap of information on the 'Read Write Inc' phonics scheme we follow at St Nicholas.

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1JQ3j5okMiG0zbTjeah6YbQd6q5klckqu/edit

Red: m/r/h/f

https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/X09GpAPZ/MmodFwtA https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/HzXbigjw/Qlfk6HQj https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/j6uRwlaH/5AgSPOrm https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/H1QvNs3g/rm3aQScy

Green/ purple: air and ir

https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/YuMtxK7V/Zdymptq4 https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/WWoqN7qj/h9vgcAZL

Orange: o-e and i-e

https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/fn6GLmTz/f5jjk778

https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/693zigSY/G5xJxtKx

Blue: ow and ow

https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/rfSnbIZn/6ZXrHjZS https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/69pLRnpw/5BzKloWO

Grey: i-e

https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/vWtHTodI/MZcpjFuY

Dates for your diary

w/c 30th May	Half Term - school closed
6th June	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
7th June	School reopens for second half of the Summer Term
1st July	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
21st July	Last day of this academic year
Mon 5th Sept	INSET Day
Tues 6th Sept	Pupils' first day back (Years 1-6) for academic year 2022-23

God bless,

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