

1st April 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

God who speaks

"If there is one of you who has not sinned, let him be the first to throw a stone..." John:8

This week's Gospel is about God's love for us leading to a fresh start and about us not being judgemental of those around us. This weekend would be a great opportunity to have a conversation as a family about your Lenten preparations. Have you made any fresh starts during this Lent? It's not too late!

Wednesday Word - follow this Link to enjoy the Gospel as a family

Love, live and learn with

Jesus Christ.

https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/lent-easter-card?pid=MTA101634&v=57.15

Gospel Virtues

The extra **INTENTIONAL** and **PROPHETIC** Gospel Virtues wristbands have arrived! The following pupils have received one this week: Orla, Jimmy, Beau, Rosie, Ava & Greta (Y2). The pupils mentioned in last week's newsletter should visit Mrs Noble-Barton's office to get their wristband this week.

Wedding bells!

Congratulations to Miss Finn (Reception) who gets married this weekend! We wish Miss Finn & her fiance a lifetime of happiness, love and laughter. Upon her return to school, Miss Finn will be known as Mrs Finn-Taylor.

KS2 'Passion Play'

Tickets for this event have now gone out. The performances are at 9.15am on Tuesday and Wednesday (5th and 6th April). Please ensure you bring your ticket/s with you and please don't put school staff in the difficult position of having to turn away non-ticketed guests.

Our wonderful PFA volunteers will be serving refreshments afterwards for a short period and you are welcome to stay.

Fundraising for Ukraine

Thank you for your incredible support of last week's 'Ukrainian Flag' non-uniform day. We raised an incredible £418. Thank you.

Free Parent Webinars

Please find attached some flyers advertising a series of parent webinars designed to help parents in a range of areas such as:

- Bedtime and sleep
- Speech and Language
- Support programme for parents and carers of children with SEND

<u>Year 3 'Going Forth' Mass & Photography</u>

A date for the diary of parents in Year 3. Friday 15th July will be Year 3's 'Going Forth' Mass with photography and a party day. Pupils will be invited to attend school wearing their FHC clothes. Details will be sent out closer to the time but photographers will be ready to take family shots from 8.30am, individual shots and a class photo will follow. Mass will be at 10am in church for Year 3 and their parents.

Easter Half Term Athletics Taster Session

Please see attached to this email a flyer about a 'taster' session being run by Birchfield Harriers for any children who may be interested in pursuing athletics as an extracurricular activity.

Phonics Home Links

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/1JQ3j5okMiGOzbTjeah6YbQd6q5klckqu/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=1116334 88629756352211&rtpof=true&sd=true

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Pink- '00' '00'

<u>https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/QXF5TJBs/d9b9fkh1</u> <u>https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/jTllbWxb/vfi2M44B</u>

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Grey- 'ow' o-e'

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God bless,

Mr Porter Executive Principal

Mrs Noble-Barton Head of School Mrs Hannon-Dalby Acting Vice Principal