



St Mary's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter Week 14 11/12/2023

Mrs Tomlinson's Message

Thank you to FOSM for their Christmas Fair. It was lovely to see parents and school working so closely. The raffle will be drawn on Friday and we will have a grand total of how much has been made next week.

Following our KS1 Nativity 'Jesus in a Manger' there will be a collection for Year 2's charity Help for Heroes.

It is a very busy week ahead next week with the KS2 Advent Service in Church at 2.00pm. Parents can take their children home after the Advent Service. You are then able to collect their siblings from school.

Pupils are able to wear their own clothes on Thursday for the pantomime 'Treasure Island'. Please remember that the clothes need to be suitable for playtimes.

On Friday school closes at 2.30pm and Allstars finishes at 5.00pm.

This week in school

The Second Sunday in Advent

Monday- Topic Showcase Yrs 1-6
School Hall parents welcome form 3pm

Tuesday - 9.30am LDSSP Concert.
Yr4 and 5 Parents welcome.3.10
Class Virtue session and Collective Worship

Wednesday; KS1 (Yrs 1 & 2)
Nativity 9.30am; Yr 5 Mass at St Mary's Church 9.00am 3.10pm Staff led Collective Worship; 3.30PM Spanish Club

Thursday -3.10pm Class Collective Worship; KS1 Nativity 5.30pm. Yr1 and 2 children to arrive at 5pm

Friday - 9.10am Rock Steady Concert. Y6 and other children Flu Immunisations

Stars of the week



Family Prayer

God of love, you sent your Son Jesus into the world to show us how to live. Help us to be ready for when he comes again. Amen.

Birthdays

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Our Virtue is 'Patient'

Virtues to Live by

I am patient

when

I can wait.

I use strategies to keep myself calm.

I can do something now that will help me in the future.

I can accept things I cannot change with humour and grace.

I am patient with myself when I make mistakes.

I am patient with others when they make mistakes.

Christmas Children's Mass at Church

Saturday 31st December at 10.00am

Christmas Children's Mass is on the Sixth Day of the octave this Christmas, at 10.00am. This mass is specially for the children of the parish and their families, together any other children that would like to join us with their families.

Father William

Dates for your diary

Monday 18th December – **Reception Christmas Stay and play with carols and crafts 9.00-10.00am; KS2 Advent Service in church at 2.00pm**

Tuesday 19th December – Christmas Dinner

Wednesday 20th December – **Advent Mass in school 10.30am**

Thursday 21st December - Party Day pupils can wear their own clothes; 2.00pm whole school pantomime 'Treasure Island'.

Friday 22nd December – School closes 2.30pm

Saturday 31st December – **Christmas Children's Mass at St Mary's Church 10.00am. All welcome.**

Monday 8th January – TRAINING DAY

Tuesday 9th January – School opens

Friday 19th January – 9.00am Year 6 Celebration Assembly

Wednesday 24th – Friday 26th January – Yr5 Robinwood

Friday 26th January – 9.00am Year 4 Celebration Assembly

Friday 2nd February – 10.30am Whole School Mass

Friday 9th February – 9.00am Year 5 Celebration Assembly

Parents/carers are welcome

Our Parish

Octave of Christmas – Masses at Church

<https://stmarysknaresborough.org/docs/20231203ChristmasOctave20232024.pdf>

St Mary's Catholic Church, Bond End, Knaresborough

Latest Parish Bulletin

<https://stmarysknaresborough.org/Bulletins/20231210Bulletin.pdf>

Father William's Sunday Message

<https://stmarysknaresborough.org/docs/20231210SundayMessagefromFrWilliam.pdf>

Sunday Mass Times: Saturday 6pm, Sunday 10am with Children's Church and Sunday 5pm

Parish Priest – Father William

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