



Sacred Heart RC Primary School and Nursery

Newsletter Spring 3

Learning to Love, Loving to Learn

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Sweet Heart of Jesus we implore,



**help us to love thee
more and more.**



Next half term our Sacred Heart Learning Power is...

ALWAYS IMPROVING

'For nothing will be impossible with God'

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Our Roman Catholic Statements to live by for the coming two weeks are:

I try to forgive others when they hurt me

I accept forgiveness from others

Tue 26.02.19 Deanery Mass at Sacred Heart

Wed 27.02.19 Y4 visit Sacred heart Church

Fri 01.03.19 Y2 Class Assembly

Fri 01.03.19 Y6 visit Chetham School of Music

Fri 01.02.19 Chaplains visit Salford Cathedral

04.02.19—08.03.19 Mission Week in School

07.02.19 World Book Day

10.03.19 first Sunday of Lent

14.03.19 Lent café Church 9-10am

Deanery Mass

"Be Who God Created You To Be "

This will be on **Tuesday 26th February, 7.00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church, Rochdale**

This Mass is to help the young seek and celebrate the "Hope in the Future" that they will carry through their faith in Jesus Christ.

The Mass will be attended by pupils and their families across our Deanery and I hope that Sacred Heart RC Primary will be very well represented.

The Mass will not be overly long and afterwards, there will be refreshments and stalls in the Parish Centre.

Well done to all of our children who have taken part this half term in the Rochdale Music Festival.

Our 'Talented Tinies' were brilliant as were our guitar players who all received Highly Commended!

Our children have enjoyed lots of visitors to the school over the last few weeks, we have welcomed an air hostess, nurses, fire fighters and a British Values theatre company to school. In addition, children have enjoyed an exciting trip to Manchester Airport, celebrating Chinese New Year and Internet Safety Day.



Friends of Sacred Heart

The next meeting for the Friends Group will be on Wednesday 27th February 3.30pm in the Retreat to begin planning for the summer events. Everyone is always most welcome and we are always delighted to see new faces!

PE / Sports

We have had a busy few weeks, our children took part in the Greater Manchester cross country and showed great determination. Thank you to all who came and supported us.

A group from Year 3 and Year 4 took part in a Mini Stars event hosted by Hopwood Hall students and thoroughly enjoyed it. We have also had two basketball tournaments organized by Rochdale School games and our football team put on a fantastic show at Oulderhill School achieving a draw and two wins. Well done!

Lent 2019

During Mission Week 11th – 15th March, all classes are to study the life of a Saint and be reminded in their daily lives of the corporal works of mercy and the Beatitude:

“Blessed are those who look into the eyes of the abandoned and marginalized and show them closeness”

£20 Mission Week Class Challenge

Following assembly on Monday 4th March, each class will be challenged to raise £20 to give to CAFOD towards their Lent Campaign ‘Give It Up’...

It will be up to the children to think creatively and to plan and organise their ideas and to try to raise as much money as possible!

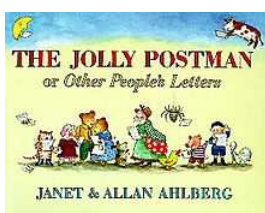


Key Dates for Pupils

05.03.19 Shrove Tuesday / Pancake Day	15.03.19 Pupils across the school share their mission week challenge
06.03.19 Ash Wednesday	15.03.19 CAFOD Lent Fast Day
08.03.19 Year 6 Attend Mass 9.30am	22.03.19 Year 4 Attend Mass 9.30am
10.03.19 First Sunday of Lent	29.03.19 Year 3 Attend Mass 9.30am
15.03..19 Year 5 Attend Mass 9.30am	04.04.19 Year 3 and 4 Easter Performance for Parents / Carers

World Book day 2019

This year to celebrate World Book day each of our classes across the school will study the same text but all at different levels appropriate to their age.



Our chosen text is a classic favourite ...

The Jolly Postman by Janet and Allan Ahlberg

Within the story we meet lots of characters from traditional tales and children are invited to come to school dressed as any of the characters from the story.

SNOW!

Well done and thank you to Mr. Brockett and the staff who helped us to keep our school open during the recent snow and to all of our families for getting the children to school.

Presentation

Well done to our Year 3 children who were presented at Church during a special Mass on Sat' 2nd February. We have once again received lots of positive comments about how wonderful you were.

Half Term Holiday

School closes Friday 15th February 2019 and we would like to wish all of our families a very safe and happy half term holiday, we look forward to welcoming you all back on **Monday 25th February 8.55am.**

