

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 7th March

- Y1 Class Assembly at 10.10am

Friday 9th March

- First Holy Communion – First Reconciliation at St Mary's Church at 4.30pm

St Joseph's -1, The Beast-0

It has been a week of wild weather across the country but that hasn't gotten in the way of our children's learning. I would like to thank all of the staff, parents and families who have shown incredible commitment to St Joseph's by helping the children get to school this week despite the severe conditions.

To celebrate Book Week and World Book Day on Thursday, the children have had great fun dressing up as Roald Dahl characters and taking part in The Enormous Crocodile workshops. The PTFA held a bake sale yesterday to celebrate a wonderful week of literacy learning.

On Wednesday, Year 2 delivered an excellent assembly, sharing with the school all their recent learning. Parents and children were treated to a dramatic enactment of Florence Nightingale's life and heard all about the book that Year 2 are currently focusing on, 'Lila and the Secret of Rain'.

Stay safe and warm this weekend. Let's beat The Beast from the East!

Mrs Wyatt - Executive Headteacher

★ Extraordinary Result - 125 Nights Reading! ★

The following children have shown incredible dedication to their learning by reading for 125 nights since the start of the academic year. Wonderful work, children! Special thanks to the families that have helped them achieve this fantastic result. Reading at home is an essential part of developing a child's literacy skills.

Reception – 100 nights: Perico, Isabella, Martino, Hugo, Alexandra, Elizabeth, Liboria, Cecelia, and Christopher. – 125 nights: Macarena, Steve, Augustin, Marta and Benjamin

Year 1 – Jose, Daniel, Arthur, Clementina, Oliver, Camille, Luana, Talia, Anna, Sofia, Alyssa and Abigail

Year 2 – Nicole, Elisa, Joshua, Harry, Victor, Abigail, Vivienne, Cassidy, Sebastian, Diaz, Riley, Valentina, Zianne

Year 3 – Alexander, Tristan, Giselle, Thomaz, Royd, Angel, Nikita, Fabian, Sophia, Matthew, Joseph, Andrei, Dennis, Nicolas, Khloe and Tereze

Year 4 – Milo, Ezana, Ieva, Mila, Emily M, Sophie A, Ines, Victor, Anastasia and Jayden

W E D N E S D A Y !



Our Wednesday Word for this week which links in with the Sunday Gospel is: **ENTHUSIASM**

Reception



Reception had a lot of fun enjoying the snow this week. We had snowball fights, wrote in the snow, made snow showers, and explored big pieces of coloured ice that had formed on our Georges Marvellous Medicine work area.

We also said goodbye to our ducklings on Thursday. This week we enjoyed watching them swim and giving them goodbye cuddles. So long, ducklings!



Catholic Life

On Monday, as part of our focus on almsgiving and enriching our prayer life, the children were all given a Catholic Children's Society (CCS) collection box. Children have been asked to donate what coins they have over Lent and return the boxes on Friday 23rd March. The money raised will go towards helping local disadvantaged children and families through mental health services, family centres and emergency grants.

Catholic Children's Society (Westminster)
Making A Difference



Pupil Voice

"We have had so much fun this week learning about Roald Dahl and reading his fabulous books." – Malachi, Year 3.

"Thursday was great as we got to dress up as characters from his books!" Micah, Year 3.



Attendance

Well done, Reception! You had 97% attendance this week!

