

# St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

#### A message from the Headteacher

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2018 Summer 1 Week 2

Well done to Year 5 for leading their class assembly this morning about the 'Transformation' – we all enjoyed it very much. Thank you to all the Governors who worked with their designated class on Tuesday afternoon. The children enjoyed you coming in to work with them. Year 6 have been working hard in preparation for their SATs – not long now. I have listed below the rest of the dates for this academic year, so that you can make arrangements to come and see your child in assembly, sports days or other school events. I can't believe we are coming to the end of another school year. Time is passing so quickly – they do say, "Time flies when you're having fun." Please note the following dates:

### Dates for your diary

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April** - Science Week – Please ensure you bring in your £3 so that your child can visit the Gadget shop. **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April** – Year 1 Hearing test.

Friday 27th April – FOSJ Ladies night (Tickets available at the school office)

Monday 7th May - Bank Holiday

Thursday 10th May – Holy day of obligation – The Ascension 9.15am Whole School Mass in Church – all welcome

Friday 11th May - Year 1 Class assembly Please note - Changed from 18th May to 11th May

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May – Year 4 children's First Holy Communion 10am in St Joseph's Church

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May – Year 4 children to take part in the May Procession at 11.30am in St Joseph's Church

Monday 14th May - Year 6 SAT week

Monday 21st May - Wednesday 23rd May - Year 6's residential trip PGL

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May - 5<sup>th</sup> Well-Being Wednesday

Thursday 24th May - Coffee afternoon for parents - details to follow

Friday 25th May - Break up for half term.

Monday 4th June - Back in school.

**Monday 11**th **June –** Phonics screening week for Year 1 children.

Monday 18th June - World Cup Week

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June – KS2 Junior Sports day 1.30pm start

Friday 29th June – Year 4 lead the mass of St Peter & St Paul (Wearing their First Holy Communion clothes)

Friday 29th June - KS1 Infants Sports day 1.30pm start

Wednesday 4th July – Our last Well-Being Wednesday this year

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 end of year Show (supported by year 5) 6.30pm start in St Joseph's hall. Doors open at 6pm

Sunday 8th July - FOSJ - School Summer Fayre

Wednesday 11th July - Year 6 Leavers' Mass in the school hall at 9.15am

**Friday 13**th **July** – End of year school reports sent home.

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers' assembly.

Thursday 19th July - Break up for Summer holidays. Please note - Changed from 20th July to 19th July

## A big thank you to the FOSJ

Thanks to the hard work and support from the Friends of St Joseph's, they have now raised enough money to buy some playground markings for both Infant and Junior playgrounds.

Having consulted our School Council the playground designs include:

Two football pitches (5 a side) a netball court, What time is it Mr Wolf? a large number square, Copy Me game, a long jump, dance activity circles, hopscotch and an activity circuit.

Please check out our Twitter later today for the before and after photos of the playgrounds.

#### This weeks' Superstars/Lunchtime Friday Top Table

A very big well done to the following children who have been making an extra special effort, been a credit to themselves and have earned the most team points for their classes this week.

As an added bonus 'Top Table' winners will earn an extra ten points for their team!

Reception –Sophia Berrido-PetersYear One –Joshua HornbyYear Two –Bradley WeirYear Three –Laila ForberYear Four –Gabriella VauseYear Five –Oscar LythgoeYear Six –Nate Riding.