



Guardian Angels Catholic Primary School

Newsletter No. 37

Friday 5th July 2019

Guided by the teachings of the Church we pray, work, celebrate, and care for each other and other people using the gifts we have been given by God the Father, Son and Spirit.

This half term's virtues are:

Intentional: Planning our actions and choosing to live how God wants us to. Every action we make has an impact on other people and the world around us. If we live intentionally, we listen to our conscience and deliberately decide that the actions we take will have a positive impact. We use the earth's resources wisely, think about the choices we make, and care for God's creation.

Prophetic: Spreading the word of God through how we live our lives. As we choose to act intentionally and make good decisions, we encourage others to do the same. We set a good example through our words and deeds and inspire other people to act in a positive and wise way. We help people to make the right decisions themselves and think about how God wants them to live their lives.

Dates for your diary		
Wednesday 10 th July	9.15am	Flute Concert – Year 4/5 parents by invitation Year 6 Residential to Alton Castle
Thursday 11 th July	8.45am	Year 3 Trip to West Midlands Safari Park Reception - Year 5 reports will be sent home
Friday 12 th July	All day 3.15pm	Non-uniform day – cake and sweet donation please Guardian Angels Summer Fayre
Tuesday 16 th July	9.15am	Leavers and End of Year Mass (All welcome) Year 6 reports will be sent home
Wednesday 17 th July	9.15am 4.30pm – 6pm	Year 6 Assembly (parents welcome) Year 6 Leavers disco

Invitation to Mass

All are welcome to join us on Tuesday 9th July 2019 at 9:15am for our school Mass, which will be led by EYFS and Year 1 (all invited to attend).



All families are invited to **Family Mass** on the first Sunday of each month at The Mother of God and Guardian Angels Church:

Sunday 7th July 2019 at 9:45am.

Please join the FIA (Faith In Action) for tea, coffee, cakes and biscuits which will be served in the porch following Mass. We hope to see you there!



Summer Fayre and Family Fun Day

Our bigger and better Summer Fayre and Family Fun day is on **Friday 12th July 2019 at 3.15pm**. This year, we hope that all families join us to explore our new and improved stalls and activities such as:



The Stocks

Mrs Milligan and Mr Spindlow will be in the stocks on Friday 12th July.
Cost: 3 sponges for £1.00 - worth every penny!

Uniform Stall

This year, Guardian Angels Summer Fayre will have a 'Nearly New' uniform stall. Each item is priced reasonably and ALL money taken will go directly towards school fund for your children.
Please help support the school by purchasing these items.



Transition Day

On Tuesday this week, all our children got to spend the day with their new class teachers. This was a fantastic opportunity for each class to get to know their new teacher a little more and to have a small insight into next year. We also welcomed Miss Beckett for the day who will be joining us next September as a Year 4 class teacher.

Sports Day

KS2 sports day took place this week and we were lucky enough to be blessed with good weather for our second attempt. The children were totally engaged in each activity and it was fantastic to see both the competitive nature of our children but also their compassion for one another. Thank you to Miss Foote for organising this event and thank you to the parents who could attend. A big well done to all our event winners and the winners of our parent races.

Sports Day House Competition

Part of our sports day included a house competition where winners of events were given points towards their house total. The results of the house competition are:

4th Place with 127 points Matthew

3rd Place with 150 points John

2nd place with 181 points Mark

1st Place with 270 points Luke

A massive well done to Luke for this colossal win!

Raffle

Raffle tickets will be on sale from Monday 1st July in class at a cost of £1 per strip.

Changes to School Hours from September 2019

Last week, all parents received a letter informing them of the outcome of the recent consultation. Following our recent Governors meeting, it has been decided that we will change the timings of the school day. This means that school will begin at **8.55am Monday to Friday and close at 2pm on Friday, starting from September 2019**. All other timings will remain the same. If there are any parents with extenuating circumstances who cannot collect their child at 2pm on a Friday, please contact the school to arrange a time to meet with me. Thank you again for your continued support.

Parish Party

Mother of God and Guardian Angels Church are hosting a Parish Party on **Sunday 14th July at 2pm – 4pm**. Please make every effort to attend, as this is a wonderful opportunity for the school and parish to come together and for everybody to have a great time.

Term Dates 2019/20

	<u>Autumn 2019</u>	<u>Spring 2020</u>	<u>Summer 2020</u>
Term Starts:	Monday 2 September 2019 (New Reception class dates to follow)	Monday 6 January 2020	Monday 20 April 2020
Half Term: School Closed	Monday 28 October 2019 to Friday 1 November 2019	Monday 17 February 2020 to Friday 21 February 2020	Monday 25 May 2020 to Friday 29 May 2020
Term Ends:	Friday 20 December 2019	Friday 3 April 2020	Monday 20 July 2020
Inset Days- School Closed to Pupils	Monday 2nd September 2019 Monday 4th November 2019	Monday 24th February 2020	Monday 1st June 2020 Monday 20th July 2020

Mass - Led By Year 2

Thank you to year 2 and to all of the staff that helped prepare Mass this week. It was nice to see Year 2 doing all the reading in preparation for Year 3.

Polite Reminder

Please be aware that our school site is a non smoking area - this includes vaping.



BIRTHDAYS 2018/2019. Last week, we wished a 'Happy Birthday' to:

Lilly (Rec) Martyna (3A) Katie (Y5)

This week, we wish a 'Happy Birthday' to:

Layla (Y2), Rose and Finley (3H) and Lowen (Y5)

Many Happy Returns!**THE CHILDREN WHO HAVE SHOWN THE VIRTUES OF INTENTIONAL AND PROPHETIC THIS WEEK ARE:****These children will be given an award on Monday 8th July 2019 at 2:40pm.****You are welcome to attend the assembly to support your child.**

Olivia (Rec) Isabelle (Y1) Adrian (Y2) Kaden (3G) Julian (3H) Dylan (Y4) Connie (Y5) Spencer (Y6)

STARS OF THE WEEK

There pupils have been 'Aiming High' this week. We look forward to congratulating:

Group	Selected Pupils
Reception	Blake and Lilly
Year 1	Liam and Erin
Year 2	Blessing and Logan
Class 3G	Mason and Caitlin
Class 3H	Isabella and Jack
Year 4	Jude and Jenna
Year 5	Honey and Albert
Year 6	Kalum, Zak D, Jack, Ryan, Zak W, Katie and Sommer

Parents of the selected pupils are invited to attend the assembly on Monday 8th July 2019 at 2:40pm**ATTENDANCE FOR W/C 24-06-2019 - WELL DONE Y2!**

Group	Attendance
Reception	95.6%
Y1	93.9%
Y2	100%
3H	96.4%
3G	92.9%
Y4	96%
Y5	95%
Y6	99%
Overall total	96.1%

E-SAFETY TIP OF THE WEEK

Do not post any personal information online – like your full name, address, email address or mobile number.

SAFEGUARDING TIP OF THE WEEK

Communicate, communicate, communicate! Please keep on talking through any worries or concerns with your child. We are here as a team to ensure your child feels safe at all times.

*Christ our Messiah, you call us to follow you. Help us to be welcoming to others and spend time on the important things in life. Amen.*

God Bless and we hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Mrs H Milligan (Head Teacher)

Mr A Spindlow (Deputy Head Teacher)

**This is a Good School
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