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Dear Families,


As we come to the end of the Easter term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your continued support and engagement with school life during what has been a faith filled and joyful few weeks.

Easter Celebrations

Thank you for your wonderful support of our recent Easter activities. The Nursery Easter Bonnet Parade was a delight, showcasing creativity and enthusiasm, and it was lovely to welcome our EYFS families to the Stay and Pray session. We are also extremely proud of our Year 4 pupils for their moving Passion Play, performed with reverence and confidence.


Holy Week Reflections

Throughout Holy Week, the children have taken time to reflect deeply. My thanks go to our GIFT Chaplains for leading such prayerful and reverent reflections and services, including the Stations of the Cross. We are very grateful to Fr Martin for leading the Stations of the Cross at Holy Cross Church with our Year 5 and Year 6 pupils.

 Thank you also to Year 3 and Year 4 for their beautiful hymn showcase, which was a wonderful expression of faith through song.

Lent & Fundraising


We are incredibly thankful for your generosity throughout Lent. The Lenten Walk was a huge success, raising an outstanding £979 for CAFOD.

 Thank you also for your Easter egg donations and for purchasing raffle tickets, which raised over £450 for parish fundraising in support of Missio. Your kindness and support make a real difference.



Staff News

Today, Mrs O'Shaughnessy begins her maternity leave. We are very much looking forward to hearing about her new arrival in the coming weeks. We would like to thank her sincerely for her wider contribution to our Catholic life and mission, particularly her leadership of Religious Education.

 This morning, she was presented with our Caritas Award in recognition of her fantastic work and dedication.

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Reception Class Update

For the remainder of the term, Mrs O'Shaughnessy's Reception class will be taught by Mrs Wilson, who has had a thorough handover and has spent significant time with the children to ensure a smooth and effective transition.

Parish Newsletter

I have a link below to the parish newsletter, which includes the times and dates of upcoming services and Masses during Holy Week and Easter.

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Finally, I would like to wish all our families a happy, peaceful and holy Easter break.

Best wishes,

Mrs A. Bell

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