



THE ST CHARLES' NEWSLETTER

Friday 27th May 2022

"Bring Forth Christ"



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***** SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 3:30PM TODAY FOR THE HALF-TERM BREAK *****

***** SCHOOL REOPENS AT 8:55AM ON TUESDAY 7TH JUNE 2022 *****

WORSHIP FOCUS

This week we have been reflecting on what the Holy Spirit can teach us. We have reflected that the Holy Spirit is always with us and will help to protect us when times are getting hard. We have also talked about the Feast of the Ascension which took place on Thursday.

We are now preparing for Pentecost when the Holy Spirit appeared to the disciples. We will learn more about this when we return from half-term.



JUBILEE WEEK CELEBRATIONS

Thank you to those who have made our Jubilee Week celebrations in school a success. The children have had a wonderful time. This was made apparent to me yesterday when during our Jubilee Street Picnic (which had to take part in the school hall due to the traditional British weather), a Year 1 boy turned to me after looking around the hall and said, 'This is amazing!'

Today, our school community have astounded me with some of their costumes. There has definitely been lots of effort gone into them, THANK YOU!

Through the various activities this week, we have raised £565.20. Thank you very much for your support. There have been lots of pictures taken this week which will be uploaded onto our school website and our Facebook page later today.

I have been notified that all the children will receive a Queen's Platinum Jubilee commemorative book. Unfortunately, these haven't been received in school yet. I have been informed that we will receive them before the 11th July! They will be sent home as soon as we have them.

CLASS DOJO – EVENTS CALENDAR FEATURE

There has been a new function added to the ClassDojo! software we use which enables school to share events with parents to make sure they are kept up to date. I have started to investigate this feature but will explore its usefulness more after the half-term break. If any parents have any feedback on this function over the coming weeks, please don't hesitate to let me know.

RISHTON FESTIVAL 2ND OF JULY

Rishton Festival is due to take place on Saturday 2nd July. There will be the usual parade followed by the usual stalls and activities. In preparation for this, we will be holding a 'Craft Our Crown' night on the 21st June in the hall from 4:00pm - 5:30pm with Mrs Ursula Hurst. Tickets are priced at £2 each or £5 per family. All members of our school community are welcome to attend and tickets can be purchased through ParentPay after half-term or via the school office. There will be snacks, crafts and smiles all round.

If you are able to help on the day, parade volunteers will be needed to support our school. Please let the school office know if you will be able to help.

On the day, we will be having a 'Red, White and Blue Jarbola Stall' to raise funds for our PTFA. If you are in a position to donate a jar filled with sweets for our stall, please send them into school after half-term. Thank you for your support!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

First Holy Communion is now run by Fr. Ian Farrell. The parish newsletter this week says: *If you come to Mass regularly and you think your children are ready to prepare for receiving Holy Communion Fr Farrell will, at Mass on the weekends of 18/19 and 25/26 June, be inviting you to inscribe in the next preparation course.*

STARS OF THE WEEK

RECEPTION	Jake	YEAR 4	Erin
YEAR 1	George	YEAR 5	Cole
YEAR 2	Poppy	YEAR 6	Finlay
YEAR 3	Toby		

HALF-TERM REMINDER

School closes at 3:30pm on Friday 27th May for half-term (ASC will operate as normal).

We re-open at 8:55am on Tuesday 7th June.