



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Bingley

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Wednesday 15th November

In Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus told us a story about how it is important to be ready and prepared for whatever will happen. Some of the people in the story had prepared for Jesus' coming, but some had not and were left.

We know that God's kingdom will come. But we don't know exactly when. Jesus is telling us we should always be prepared, so we are ready and waiting when He comes again.

How do you think we can make sure we are prepared for the coming of God's kingdom? What could you do to show that you are following in Jesus' footsteps and you are ready?

God of all, help us to share what we have, to treat others as we would wish to be treated and to try to make the world a fairer place, so that we may be found ready when your kingdom comes. Amen.

Our statement to live by this week is:

I try to be Just and Fair

A massive **thank you** to you all for bringing in over **90 shoe boxes** for our appeal. This is marvellous, much appreciated and will really make a disadvantaged child's Christmas.

Thank you to Mrs Wall also for organising the collection.



Class	Attendance this week:	Attendance to date this year:	Whole School % this week:
Seacole	92.7	96.7	96.8%
Teresa	98.0	98.4	
Nightingale	95.8	96.1	
Mandela	99.7	97.9	
Barnardo	100	98.5	
Gandhi	93.3	97.0	
King	98.2	98.1	

Gold Medals:

Class	Gold Medals this week:	Gold Medals Leader Board:
Seacole	34	●
Teresa	39	● ●
Nightingale	28	●
Mandela	36	
Barnardo	31	
Gandhi	22	● ● ●
King	24	

Stars of the Week:

EYFS Frank Pietrzak

Year 1 Oisin McCann

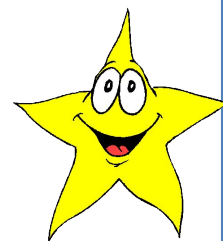
Year 2 Bettsie McShera

Year 3 Beatrice Rayner

Year 4 Lilianna Ossowska

Year 5 Cara Picton

Year 6 Millie Dobson





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Dates	Time	Who	What
Fri 17th Nov	9:05	Whole school	Y6 assembly
Saturday 18th Nov	5pm	Y3 children and parents	Enrolment Mass for Reconciliation at St Mary and Monica's Church
Wednesday 22nd Nov	am	KS2	Basketball taster morning
Fri 24th Nov	9:05 3.20	Whole school	Reception assembly YEAR 5 BUN SALE IN THE PLAYGROUND AFTER SCHOOL.
Fri 1st Dec	9:05	Whole school	Y5 assembly

News:



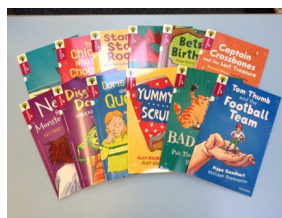
On Saturday 18th November, Y3 will have the opportunity to enrol to make their **First Reconciliation** at a special Mass at St Mary and Monica's, Cottingley at 5pm.

The local authority would like us to remind all parents that you need to apply as soon as possible for your 30 hours eligibility codes for **tax free childcare** and then confirm your eligibility for 30 hours childcare every 3 months. Google *new parent communications toolkit* for further details.

Reminder—please do not block in other drivers when you park either on the surrounding streets or in the school carpark. Please be considerate of our neighbours, other road users and other parents. Thank you.

Safer Future Workshops- During the next 2 weeks, Catholic Care's Schools, Children & Family Wellbeing Service will be delivering a 'Safer Futures' Education Programme to all classes. The children will be learning on how to keep themselves safe and how to maintain healthy relationships now and in the future.

Reading- Last year, during our Book Week and the 'Where's Wally' sponsored event you managed to raise over £2,000 to help improve our St. Joseph's reading scheme. We have recently spent your donations on lots of new books for the children in Key Stage 1 to take home and read. In the New Year, we will be holding another fundraising event to help raise money for new Key Stage 2 books. Watch this space!



The Catholic Schools Partnership Teaching School Alliance of Bradford & Keighley are holding a Teacher Training Open Evening at St Anthony's Catholic Primary School, Bradford Road, Clayton, BD14 6HW on 22nd November at 6.30pm.

If you are a graduate and interested in becoming a teacher in our Catholic schools then please come along to find out more.

Further details are available from the Director of the Teaching School, Simon Gallacher, by emailing: csptsadirector@outlook.com



If you are worried or concerned about the safeguarding of any of our pupils, please make an appointment to speak to Mrs Robinson, Miss Lister or Mrs Garbus who are our safeguarding leaders. Any other concerns should be raised with the class teacher.

