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Dear Parent

February is dedicated to the Holy Family

Y5F Class Mass - Friday, 14th February – 9:15am.

Please join Mrs Keating's class who celebrate the liturgy of the mass together on Friday. They will follow the liturgy dedicated to the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes (whose feast we all celebrate today). All welcome!



The God who Speaks to us...

Blessed is she who believed that the promises made her, by the Lord, would be fulfilled.

Welcome to our new Parent Governor:

On behalf of the Governors, thank you so much for taking such an enthusiastic part in the election of our new parent governor. Many thanks to the four candidates who stood. Mr Lo, father of Daniel, Julian and Erina, has been elected to the role. We thank him and look forward to working with him for the good of our school.

Parent Consultations – 70 parents still need to book!

Our Spring Term parent consultations will take place on Monday 16th March and Wednesday 18th March 2020. The online booking will remain open until Monday 9th March. If you have forgotten your log in details to make your appointment please email

forgottenpassword@stmaryrc.bham.sch.uk

ONLY this email should be used and not the enquiry email. REMINDER: The format for logging in is: firstname.surname (lowercase) (eg: bart.simpson) plus your four digit PIN which is your password. Thank you to all who have booked so far.

INSET DAY- 1st June 2020

Our fifth INSET day has now been booked for 1st June 2020. Please note, this day the school will be closed to the children.

PARKING PARKING PARKING PARKING PARKING PARKING PARKING PARKING

I have been informed that we continue to have some of our parents who believe that the rules of the road / health and safety of children / courtesy and respect for others – is not for them! Yesterday, a parent parked onto the school drive with his car jutting out into the road. **It is becoming increasingly apparent that some people think that they should be able to do whatever they wish whilst the majority dutifully follow the rules!** This really is most unacceptable, very unsafe and is really poor witness to your own children!

Fifth week of Ordinary Time



There is no room around the school entrance so please recognise and accept this - arrive earlier and park where you are allowed to by law.

PARK appropriately and safely, please!

Condolences

Mrs Lassey's father died last weekend in Ghana, we pray for him that he will rest in peace and rise in glory. We also remember Mrs Lassey and family, her mother and siblings at this very sad time. Eternal rest grant to him, Oh Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen

Y6 Children are off to Parliament

A number of our Y6 children and junior councillors will be travelling to London tomorrow to meet some of the officials of our country. Perhaps they will be able to offer some much-needed solutions to those who lead us – especially regarding our schools.



Y4 SWIMMING after Half Term

When we return w/c 24th February – the Y4 children will be going swimming – replacing the Y2 children who have been this half term. Please ensure that all of the children have swimming kit on Tuesday mornings. Thank you!

Y4 Parents' Meeting

Miss Horton sent out letters inviting you to a meeting regarding the **timetables test** which all Y4 children will undertake this school year. **REMINDER:** Meeting will be held on Monday, 24th February at 6pm in the school hall. If any Y3 parents would like to attend, they are also welcome.

Tag Rugby – After School Club

If parents want their child to attend Tag Ruby after-school club, they can sign up at <https://www.clubs-hub.com/bournvillerfc> to start after half term. The discount code is 4STMTRC and will enable the person paying to only pay for the remaining sessions.

Yours sincerely,

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