

Mission Stars

Congratulations to our award winners!

Nursery	Tigers	Leopards	Dolphins
	Edward	Louie	Hazel
	Sharks	Caterpillars	Butterflies
Reception	Meadows	Orla	Amelia
	RKP	RVR	RJG
	Mila	Sapphire	Alex
Year 1	1RB	1WT	1LM
	Meadow	Yudistran	Fikayo
Year 2	2AH	2VH	2SB
	Eleanor	Roman	Emmelise
Year 3	3AL	3PS	3TL
	Rithvika	David	Snigdha
Year 4	4MS	4LH	4AD
	Esther	Lewis	Olive
Year 5	5HC	5ZS	5DB
	Georgia	Damien	Poppy
Year 6	6TW	6FC	6MF
	Lilly	Whitney	Jacob



Attendance and Punctuality

W.E. 1st December 2023

Overall Attendance	94%
Best in KS1	RKP
Best in KS2	3TL
Best Punctuality	RJG & 5ZS



St Anthony's Bulletin

"Let your words teach and your actions speak."

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Dates for your diary

- 18th December** – Parishioners Christmas Lunch @ 1.30pm
- 18th December** – Gaudete Day of Joy – Christmas Activities
- 19th December** – Christmas Surprise!
- 19th December** – School closes for Christmas @ 1.15pm
- 2nd January** – School closed for INSET Day
- 3rd January** – Children return to school after holidays
- 9th January** – 5DB Retreat to the Marist Centre
- 10th January** – 5HC Retreat to the Marist Centre
- 11th January** – 5ZS Retreat to the Marist Centre
- 12th January** – 6TW Class Assembly @ 2.15pm
- 19th January** – 1LM Class Assembly @ 9.00am

Pope Francis says:



"Jesus entered into our human history to tell us that the Most High cares for us, and to remind us that being on God's side involves caring for others, especially for those who are in greatest need."

Messages from Mr Johnson

The Christmas festivities are well under way this week with the children enjoying Christmas Party Day on Thursday, including the delicious Christmas Dinner served up by our wonderful kitchen staff. The children have thoroughly enjoyed the festive celebrations and are looking forward to our Gaudete Day of Joy on Monday 18th Dec.

Nursery Nativity

What a performance Nursery put on for us this morning! It always takes a great deal of practice and hard work to get near to 90 children onto the stage, make sure they have learnt all of the songs and prepare the costumes, but every year our wonderful children and staff pull it off. The children's confidence shone and they truly kept us entertained throughout! What an amazing achievement for children so young, well done Nursery!

KS1 Christmas Carol Concert

Well done to all of our children in Years 1 and 2 who put on not one but two brilliant Christmas Concerts this week! The children sang beautifully and spoke confidently as they narrated the Christmas story. The stage was brightened by their smiling faces and Christmas jumpers and they were so excited to perform for their families. We are very proud of them!

Parish Christmas Masses

Please see below for the dates and times of the services at St Anthony's Church over the Christmas period. It is always so lovely to see our families at Church over Christmas and this year we have lots of children from school involved in the Christmas Eve Mass, helping to tell the Nativity Story. We hope to see you there.

Christmas Eve

Sacred Heart – 5.00pm – Carols followed by Mass
St Anthony's – 5.30pm – Nativity followed by Mass

Christmas Day

Sacred Heart – 10.30am
St Anthony's – 11.00am



St Anthony's Gaudete Day of Joy and a Christmas Surprise

Just a reminder that the children are still in school on Monday 18th and Tuesday 19th December. The children will finish at 1.15pm on Tuesday. We have an exciting two days planned for the children to celebrate the Gaudete Day of Joy, with Christmas games, activities and prizes to be won! There will also be a surprise performance on Tuesday!



Parishioners Christmas Dinner

It's not too late to book a place for the Parishioners Christmas Dinner on Monday 18th December at 1.30pm. If you know of anyone in the parish community who would enjoy an afternoon of delicious food and Christmas Carols, please phone the main office to book their place today!



Return to school

Just a reminder that the children return to school after the Christmas break on Wednesday 3rd January. We look forward to welcoming the children back after the holidays.



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