



May – The Month of Mary. During May we pray the Hail Mary every day.

2nd May 2019

Dear Parents

Mass and Assembly – Mass will be celebrated by Year 4 on **Tuesday 7th May** in the chapel at 9:00am Parents and Grandparents welcome. The next class assembly will be Year 5 on **Friday 3rd May** 2:45pm Parents and Grandparents welcome

First Holy Communion – Year 3 will make their First Holy Communion on **Saturday 18th May**. Please could the school choir arrive at school in their uniforms for a final rehearsal at 9:00am.

Red mission boxes - once again we are supporting the children's mission. This week Mrs Murphy presented an assembly explaining the charity and its works. More information can be found on the school website under the section: Spiritual, Moral > Charitable Support. The charity red boxes were sent home for families to use. These need to be returned to school by Friday 28th June. Thank you for your continued support.

Dinner Money/Nursery snack fund – Please would you bring any outstanding payments up-to-date. Please ensure that money is placed in an envelope clearly marked with the pupil's name and class and handed to their class teacher, alternatively you can pay through the Tameside website www.tameside.gov.uk school & education > school meals. ***We will not be able to issue a school dinner to any child where there is a debt of more than £20.00. In such cases parents will be expected to provide their child with a packed lunch.***

From September 2019 any pupils moving up to year 3 will not be entitled to the Universal free school meals therefore any meals taken will have to be paid for. Please see above with ways regarding making payment. If you wish your child to change to a packed lunch, please would you let the office know by the 12th July.

Year 6 dinner money - please check with school office before making any payments in advance as any overpayments at the end of the academic year cannot be refunded.

School fund for the term will be £5.00 per family for the term payable to St. Peter's Catholic Primary School.

Nursery snack fund - for the term will be £17.50 payable to St Peter's Catholic Primary School; alternatively you can use the School Money on-line system www.eduspot.co.uk

Year 6 trips – text messages have been sent today showing outstanding balances owing. The next payment due is on Friday 10th May £22.00.

PTA - we desperately need new volunteers to help co-ordinate the fundraising and social events we have throughout the year. Please could you think seriously about giving a small amount of time. There are 3 main events each year, which will be unable to go ahead without parents' help. St Peter's has always had a great PTA and it would be so sad for this to finish. If you can give anytime at all and are a willing volunteer then please contact either Mrs Broadbent, Mr McClure or myself.

Mr McClure is stepping down as Chair of the PTA and we offer our grateful thanks for his enthusiasm and the support he has given over the years. Thank you Mr McClure!

Community events

Wildcats Girls' Football – Astley Sports Village Dukinfield Monday 13th May 2019 6:00 – 7:00pm. For more information and to book please email josmithdyjfc@gmail.com or nicolagrime@sky.com

Dukinfield Youth - Saturday morning Soccer School 10:00 – 12 noon every Saturday. Midweek Training Tuesday 6:00pm and Thursday 5:30pm. For more information leaflets available from the school office.

Diary Dates

Monday 6th May – Bank holiday school closed.

Monday 13th May – Year 6 SATS week.

Saturday 18th May - First Holy Communion 10:30am in Church.

Monday 20th May – E-Safety training for parents 8:50 – 9:50 am. All Welcome.

Tuesday 21st May – First Holy Communion Thanksgiving Mass 9:20am.

Friday 24th May – school closes for half term.

Year 6 Leaver's Events

Tuesday 16th July –summer production 6:00pm (Year 3,4, 5 and 6)

Tuesday 23rd July – Leaver's Assembly 9:15

Wednesday 24th July – Leaver's mass 9:15am. School closes at 2:00pm on this day.

Kind regards

Mrs E Summersgill

Headteacher