

# St Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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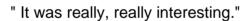
"To Grow strong in God's Love as we Learn, Care and Pray."



## A Message from Mrs Yuen...

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week has been very exciting as well as being Catholic Schools' Week, we have also celebrated National Space Week. We welcomed Atomic Tom to our school. He enthralled the children with his exciting science demonstrations. Some quotes from the children:



"It was very good and makes me want to find out more about stars."

Thank you to everyone who participated in the "Around the World" competition. There has been an overwhelming response. The pictures and models are absolutely brilliant. What a talented group of children. An exhibition of the work has been created in our new classroom. Winners will be announced soon.

Mrs Yuen

Have a wonderful weekend.

Warmest Regards

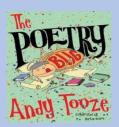






#### **Term Dates**

### Visit from a Poet



On Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October the children will be taking part in poetry workshops with a Local poet, Andy Tooze. Andy has to date written two books of poetry for children

'The Poetry Bug' and 'The Poetry bug Strikes Again'.

The aim of the workshops is to inspire the children to have a go at writing their own Peom and ultimately instill a love for the art

in the younger generation. He will be bringing signed copies of his books with him when he comes to visit and is Offering them for sale at a reduced price of £5 (normal selling price £8.99) if you would like to purchase one of these for your children.

#### Autumn Term

Term Starts:

Thursday 3 September 2020

#### Half Term:

26 - 30 October 2020 Term Ends:

Friday 18 December 2020

#### **Spring Term**

Term Starts:

Tuesday 5th January 2021

#### **Half Term:**

Monday 15 - 19 February 2021

Term Ends:

Friday 26 March 2021

#### Summer Term

Term Starts:

Monday 12 April 2021

#### Half Term:

31 May - 4 June 2021 Term Ends:

Friday 16th July 2021

## **First Holy Communion**

Congratulations to Paddy Gleeson who celebrated his First Holy Communion on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at St Aidans. May you experience peace, love and happiness together with our dear Lord Jesus Christ.





## Harvest Celebration – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

We are inviting the children to wear colourful clothes in celebration of Harvest.

We are asking for a small donation of £1 to support The McArthur-Dixon Foundation. A charity who have helped support lots of us during the lockdown period. We would also like to support The Hope centre with tinned/non-perishable items.



## **Around the World Competition Entries**











We were inundated with amazing entries for Mrs Yuen's 'Around the World' competetion. Thank you everyone who entered. Winners to be annonced this week.

