



St Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Advent Term 2024 Newsletter 14



"With Christ as our guide, we let our light shine."

A Message from Mrs Yuen...

Dear Parents and Carers,

This term has been eventful in many ways. We have had cinema visits, sporting fixtures, discos to name just a few... Thank you to everyone who came along and supported the annual, 'Carols on the Square' in Kings Heath organised by Rev. Roger, a regular visitor to the school. We had such a large number attend. The children together with families and passers-by joined together in song. The children sang beautifully spreading joy to all around. Well done to everyone.

As the term ends, I reflect with a great sense of Joy. Your children truly are a credit to you. Each day they really shine giving their very best. With our Nativity Performances and Advent reflections, we have all heralded the arrival of Christmas time. I hope your Christmas is a blessed one, and one in which spending time with your children is considered far more important than spending money. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all who support our school in making it a place where all can flourish. We look forward to welcoming your children back on **Monday 6th January 2025**.

I wish you all peace and joy at Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Best wishes,
Mrs Yuen



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Ring out the Bells - KS2 Performance



This week we enjoyed our Key Stage 2 carols around the tree entitled 'Ring out the bells'. The children led us in singing many familiar carols and created scenes depicting the story of the birth of Jesus.

Key Dates

Christmas Holidays

21st December- 5th January 2025

Lent Term

6th January- 4th April

Half term Break

17th – 23rd February 2025

Easter Holidays

5th April -21st April 2025

Summer Term

22nd April- 18th July 2025

Bank Holiday 5th May

Half term Break

26th May- 1st June 2025

Last day of school year

18th July 2025

A special delivery.....



Father Christmas made a 'flying' visit on Thursday afternoon to deliver gifts to all children at St. Mary's. Sleigh bells were heard in the corridor, although there was no sign of the man himself. Later however, a strange object was spotted in the sky above the school.

Advent Reflection- 'Let His glory shine.'



Last Friday the whole school experienced an Advent retreat. Through, prayer, song and activities, this was a wonderful way for the children to prepare their hearts and let His glory shine.

PTA Christmas Disco



Everyone had a fantastic time at the disco. The children danced and enjoyed dance party games. Thank you to the PTA for organising this and for your support.

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Key Stage 2 Carols around the tree



Reception and Key Stage 1 'Little Big Nativity'



School Choir Carol Performance



....more on the website soon.

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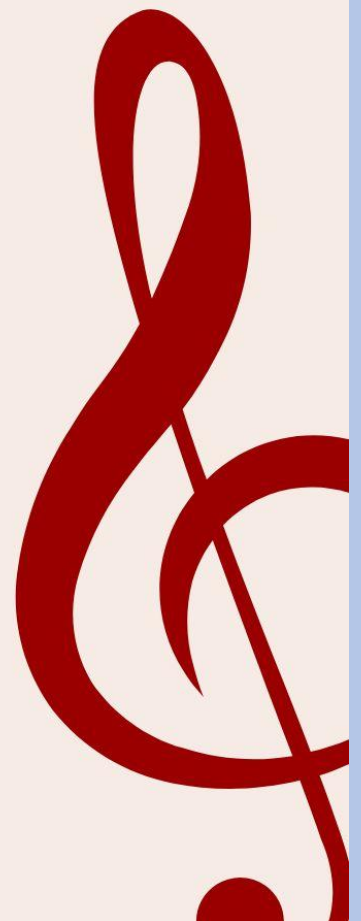
DIOCESE JUNIOR CHOIR



For children ages 7 to 11.

Choir leader: Ms Marcela Campana

Every Wednesday 4.15pm to 5.15pm
at the St Thomas Centre (NN2 6AG)



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