

The Holy Spirit Newsletter

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> *'Go to the poor, there you will find God'* St. Vincent de Paul

Summer Term - Friday, 12th May 2023

In School this week:

- •SATs A huge well done to all our Year 6 children for showing great resilience and perseverance throughout this challenging week. They have been working extremely hard in preparation and we are really proud of them all (no matter the results), as they have tried their very best.
- •Infant Music Festival The Emeralds are very excited to be taking part in the 'Song for Every Subject' Music Festival. Unfortunately, there is no audience for this event but they would like to perform the songs for you on Monday, 22/5/23 in a special assembly at 14.40.
- •SATs Good luck to our Year 2 children, who will be sitting their tests in the week beginning 15/5/23.
- •School Mass We are looking forward to take part in a whole school mass at the Holy Spirit Church on Tuesday, 16/5 from 14.00 you are welcome to join us.

Diary Dates

- Amethysts PE day is changing back to Monday
- •CAFOD walk against hunger week WB Monday, 15/5/23
- School Mass Tuesday, 16/5/23 at 2pm with Father Peter
- A residential parent meeting for Topaz Ullswater on Wednesday, 17/5/23 at 9.15 am
- Topaz residential visit to Ullswater Friday, 19/5/23 to Sunday, 21/5/23
- Infant Music Festival Wednesday, 24/5/23 from 13.30 to 14.30 at The Heath School, Runcorn, WA7 4SZ (Could you please return the permission slips and make your payment by Friday, 19/5/23. Thank you.)

 Farmer Ted's trip - Diamonds and Emeralds - Monday, 3/7/23 (separate letter has been sent out) 		
Virtue Stars	Achievement Stars	Attendance
Congratulations to all our stars!	Keep shining bright!	Winners this week are Emeralds - 100%
Diamonds - Noah	Diamonds - Ellie-Grace	Diamonds - 91%
Emeralds - Freddie	Emeralds - Sadie	Sapphires - 94%
Sapphires - Sienna	Sapphires - Tommy	Amethysts - 91%

Topaz - 94%

Wholes School - 94%

Topaz - whole class Maximillian Kolbe Parish

Amethysts - Alexis

Sixth Sunday of Easter 'If you love me, you will keep my commandments.' John 14:15-21

Topaz - whole class

Amethysts - Lewis

We are looking forward to celebrating our children's First Holy Communion this **Sunday**, **14**th **May at 10.30 am at St Edwards Church**. Congratulations **Liliana**, **Alan**, **Louie**, **Alicja**, **Eva**, **Oliver**, **Isaac** and **Holly**! *May you always know the peace of Jesus, the light of his love, and the joy of his life within you*! Other mass times in the Parish of Maximilian Kolbe this weekend:

The Holy Spirit Church - Sunday 9am. For more information please click on the link to access Fr Peter's Parish Newsletter: <u>http://www.saint-maximilian-kolbe.org/blog/weekly-newsletter/</u>

CAFOD Against Poverty (Catholic Agency for Overseas Development)

Next week, we will be taking part in a whole school walk in support of people who are fighting poverty caused by climate change. Please contribute by donating any small change to help make a positive change (however small) to our brothers and sisters around the world. Thank you in advance.

Birthdays

Congratulations to **Emmie** and **Jamie**, who celebrate their birthdays this week - we hope you have a wonderful time!

New Pupil Drop off (building independence)

Children in Key stage 2, Sapphires, Amethysts and Topaz are to be dropped off by the blue railings. Please avoid coming to classroom doors to chat to staff, your concerns are very important to us but this can cause disruption and impact on teaching time and class timetables. Teachers and Teaching Assistants need to be in class teaching your children and managing their class. Please use class dojo if you need to pass on a message. If you have any concerns and need to speak to a member of staff you can make an appointment at the school office to see your child's class teacher at a more convenient time. Thank you very much for your support.