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### **Dear Parents**

#### Stars of the Week

**Reception** Nicholas for fantastic independent writing

St Cecilia Robin for excellent improvement with handwriting

**St Bernadette** Gabriel for improving his work output in every lesson and being an

amazing role model

**St Anthony** Angela for super progress in swimming

St Christopher Viktor for excellent ideas in innovating our class text - The Promise

# **Good Disciples of the Week**

**Reception** Emily for always sharing with everyone and looking after her friends

St Cecilia Guillermo for being an enthusiastic learner

St Bernadette Eva for trying her best and working more independently

St Anthony Maja for meeting challenges head on

**St Christopher** Harry for working hard to ensure excellent learning behaviours

Well done to you all.

### **Mission Team**

The Mission Team continue to work hard, making and giving get well cards, organising the weekly attendance draw, taking a lead in our Lenten project to help with the children's chapel at St Peter's church and many other activities. I just want to pay special mention to Amrita, who after giving a Get Well Card to a resident of Sir Aubrey Ward, went to visit the lady. Amrita has asked can she visit her again when St Anthony's go across to read. A true example of St Peter's Mission Statement 'Live and Learn as Friends of Jesus'. Well done Amrita you really made the old lady's day.

## **Lenten Project**

Attached to this newsletter are details of a prayer card competition being run during Lent. These prayer cards will be used by those children using the refurbished 'Children's Chapel' at the back of St Peter's Church.

### Attendance

The draw for the week before half term was carried out just before the 70's disco! The name drawn out belonged to Beta in St Anthony's. Well done Beta!

Remember attendance and punctuality are extremely important. Attendance and punctuality took a dip before half term after showing improvement. Let's continue the previous improvements!

## Football Club: St Anthony's and St Christopher's

Reminder: there is no football club on Monday 26 February 2024 as there is a match against Spinfield at home. The team will have received a letter. Good luck to the team.

# **World Book Day**

On Thursday 7 March 2024 we will be celebrating World Book Day. On this day we are inviting children to come into school in their pyjamas with their favourite book. We have some activities planned for the day that we will let you know more about nearer the time, but wanted to let you know the plan for clothing.

## **Clean Up Morning**

On Saturday 9 March 2024 we will be having a clear up morning in our school garden. We know that weekends are precious but we really cannot do this alone! Mrs Boyle will be at school from 9.00 am – 12.00 pm and would love as much help as possible. Jobs include painting, fixing/building fences, planting, clearing. Please let her know via the office if you can be of any assistance. If you cannot come but wish to help in some way, then donations of compost, plants, rakes, dustpans and brushes would be greatly received.

## First Holy Communion Preparation

Reminder: Session tomorrow (24 February 2024) in Pugin Rooms 2.00 – 4.00 pm. Remember to bring your 'I Belong' books and to have completed your homework.

St David's Day: 1 March 2024

Next Friday (1 March 2024) is St David's Day. Children may wear official uniform, Beavers, Rainbows, Brownies, Cubs, Guides, Scouts etc to celebrate St David.

### **Lenten Lunches**

Every Friday from 16 February 2024 - 22 March 2024 12.00 - 2.00 pm at Pugin Hall, St Peter's Church. A bowl of soup, bread, tea/coffee £5. All money to Third World Aid.

Yours sincerely

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