



St. John's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter Monday 30th January 2023

Our values: In Christ we are: **Joyful** in our faith , **Aspirational** in our learning, **Confident** in being me, **Caring** in our hearts.

Taken from the Gospel for Sunday 29th January 2023 - The Beatitudes (Matthew 5:1-12) Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up the hill. There he sat down and was joined by his disciples. Then he began to speak. This is what he taught them: 'How happy are the poor in spirit; theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Happy the gentle: they shall have the earth for their heritage. Happy those who mourn: they shall be comforted. Happy those who hunger and thirst for what is right: they shall be satisfied. Happy the merciful: they shall have mercy shown them. Happy the pure in heart: they shall see God. Happy the peacemakers: they shall be called sons of God. Happy those who are persecuted in the cause of right: theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Happy are you when people abuse you and persecute you and speak all kinds of calumny against you on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.



Stars of the week

Reception: Harry for being brave and coming into school with a smile on his face every day!



Year one: Eloise for being exceptionally kind and considerate.

Year two: Olive for a beautiful piece of writing on escaping the Great Fire of London.

Year three: Isabelle for fantastically presenting her persuasive piece of work to the class, using various techniques to encourage the audience to act now!

Year four: Antonia for her effort and stamina in our PE lessons. She has loved our fitness PE and her press up technique is as good as an Olympic athlete!

Year five : Blanca for being kind and caring - nominated by Serena year 6

Year six: Lea for her total dedication to her English work - she was fearless in her editing and produced a wonderfully descriptive diary.

Reading Awards

Bronze reading awards - 50 reads

Year reception - Jacob M

Silver reading awards - 100 reads

Year three - Harry

Year four - Aiden B

Year Six - Rosie S, Eva, Mia

STRIKE DAY

If we have contacted you by telephone and confirmed your child's place on Wednesday, please send your child in at the normal time, with winter PE kits, trainers and a water bottle (lunch box if that is the norm).

Children will be doing a range of activities during the day supported by staff in school.

Just to confirm the school will be closed to all other children and we look forward to seeing them on Thursday.

Many thanks

Mrs Farr

Headteacher

Hamster Cage/accessories!

The school is thinking about getting a pet hamster! If anyone has a cage and accessories in good condition they are willing to donate, please let the office know.

