



# St Francis Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents,  
Thank you to all our families who joined us at the Mother's Day Mass on Sunday. It was a wonderful celebration of mothers, our Mother Mary, the Mother Church and all who care for us in the role of mother. The children led Mass with reverence and joy. They are a credit to you and a blessing for our school. Don't forget Parent Teacher consultations take place next week, please sign up for an appointment if you haven't already.

## Courtesy Cup

EYFS: Harley Tann and Abigail Johnson

Year 1: Ruby Rodriguez and Kyra Stokes

Year 2: Blessing Musendo and George Delaney

Year 3: Yasmin Gowing and Caitlin Kendall

Year 4: Charlotte Einosas and Jake Maher

Year 5: David Burstow and Apollo Booth

Year 6: Harry Kelly and Ewan O'Brien



## Attendance Ted

Attendance Ted goes to class St Anthony with 99.6% attendance. Our whole school attendance was 95%.



## Buster Reading Club

Readers of the week:

EYFS – Braiden McGuinness and George Phillips

Year 1 – Katie Walker and Neve Brown

Year 2 – Kamile Brauklys and Sophia Jardim

Year 3 – Luke Jestin and Mia Eldergill

Year 4 – Davis Lalichan and Sydney McNeil-Filmer

Year 5 – Eve Rogers and Angel Miranda

Year 6 – Nayana Rojo and Madeleine Arda



## Rosary Prayer in Lent

All parents, grandparents and carers are welcome to join the children in praying a decade of the Rosary every Friday morning between 8.45 am and 8.55 am in the school chapel.



### **Punctuality Pup**

Punctuality Pup goes to classes St Matthew, St Clare and St Paul with 0% lates. Our whole school lates were 0.6%.



### **Prayer**

Lord, thank you for walking with us through the seasons of our lives.

For the winter, when we are held safe in your arms through the darkness.

For the hope of spring, as we are filled with new promise and life.

For summer time, full of warmth and colour and for Autumn days as leaves fall to seed new growth.

You are always with us.

Amen.

### **Sport Relief**

#### **Pay to become a Try-athlete**

On Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March, as part of Sport Relief, staff will be offering children the opportunity to take part in a Try-athlon. We are asking children to pay £1 to learn two new sports. On Friday afternoon school staff will be leading lessons in lacrosse, pushball, volleyball, three sided football, juggling and other less common sports. The children should wear sporty clothes on this day.

### **Homework**

On Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March we will be having another exhibition of all the homework activities that children have completed during terms three and four. Please send any homework into school by Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> ready to be displayed.

The exhibition will take place in the school hall from 3:00pm until 3:30pm. We hope you will come and have a look at all the children's hard work.

#### **Diary Dates**

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March and Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March – Parent Teacher Consultations – School Hall

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March – Reconciliation Service – Year 3

**Golden Ties:** Martha Herron, Yasavi Gurung, Adam Amarzouk, Beatrice Lee, Denooshika Selvarajah, Marco Mendes, Ava-Rose Williams, Lee Shipley, Scarlett Beckett, Finley Shaw, Jasmine Izzard, Shay Wallace, Niah Soni, Luke Einosas, Thomas Knowles, Ciara Marshall, Ellie Ryan, Daisy Walsh, Antonina Detlaff, Austin Binu, Sofia Judd, Grace Doyle, Aleena John, Aidan Walsom, Ollie Martin-Brown, Eleanor Preskett, Whole Class, Harley Williams, Ophelia Ward, Whole Class, Arpitha Binu, Isaiah Tayag, Paddy Cooper-Hayden, Logan Bull, Shania Fisher, Joseph Hill, Chelsea Cordez, Mia Harms, Jonathan George, Isadora Watson, Lily Noble and John Barrion.