



St Francis Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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A Community Growing in Love for Learning and Life Rooted in God's Love

Congratulations to this month's **Writers of the Month**. **Mason Moss, Maisie Denney, Aoife May, Grace Emmott, Sadie Crunden, Kyra Stokes, Olivia Maclellan, Leo Allen, Luke Jestin, Elizabeth Cooper, Faith Musendo, Charlotte Einosas, Angel Miranda, Tia Mountain**. These children have shown excellence in their writing and have made the staff feel joyful at the effort and progress they have made. Come and read the fantastic writing which is on display in the main entrance.

Punctuality Pup

This week Punctuality Pup will be visiting St Ann, St John, St Clare, St Bernadette class with 0% lates.
Our whole school percentage of late arrivals was 0.7 %.



Attendance Ted



Attendance Ted goes to St Matthew class with 99.4 % attendance.
Our whole school attendance was 96.9 %.



Mother's Day Mass

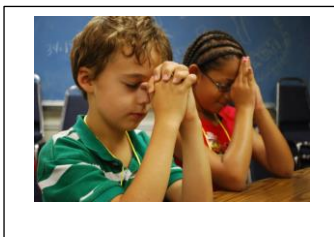
On Sunday 26th March we will be leading 9.00am Mass at St Francis Church. We would like as many families as possible to join us for this special celebration for Mary, our Mother, mothers in our community, the wider community and across the globe.

Diary Dates

This is an additional date which is not on the school calendar. We would like to invite all parents of pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 to attend a phonics workshop on Thursday 20th April at 9.10am in the infant classrooms. The session will last about an hour. You will have the opportunity to see how phonics is taught, have a look at some of the resources we use and enhance your knowledge of the language and methods of phonics teaching in order to support your child's progress.

Joyful Cup

- EYFS: Lilly Nguyen, Philip John
Year 1: Isabelle Rolland, Xavi Nuez
Year 2: Summer Huckstepp, Niamh Humphrey
Year 3: Lottie Ryan, Isaiah Mujuni
Year 4: Georgia Finnegan, Pearl Woolley
Year 5: Ciaran Cooper-Hayden, Alice Marshall
Year 6: Natalia Sharp Martin, Katherine Hook



Buster's Reading Club Most Improved Readers

- EYFS: Poppy Buckley, Annalise Phillips
Yr 1: Alvin John, Imogen Lee
Yr 2: Sadie Crunden, Katie Walker
Yr 3: Summer Rose, Kamile Brauklys
Yr 4: Antonina Dettlaff, Bethan Davies
Yr 5: Noah Spice, Jacob Gayleard
Yr 6: Bruna De Melo, Jarema Gatkowski

May the Strength of God pilot us.
May the Power of God preserve us.
May the Wisdom of God instruct us.
May the Hand of God protect us.
May the Way of God direct us.
May the Shield of God defend us.
May the Host of God guard us.
Against the snares of the evil ones.
Against temptations of the world
May Christ be with us!
May Christ be before us!
May Christ be in us,
Christ be over all!
May Thy Salvation, Lord,
Always be ours,
This day, O Lord, and evermore.

Amen.

Joy to me is when we go to Greenwich Park because I've been going there since I was born.
Jacob

Joy

Joy means great happiness which spreads to other people to create a ripple of joy.
Byron

Joy means to me when the sun is shining, it's a nice day and when people are lovely to me and definitely when I help injured animals.

What brought me joy was that we did something new and fun. I loved it, I liked sprinkling sugar on the peach slices
Rejoice

Golden Ties

Jacob Witt, Kiran Pallaram, Amelia Zajac, Millie Collins, Alice Creigh, Denooshika Selvarajah, Adam Amarzouk, Julian Peter, Harriett Davis, Matthew Cripps, Abigail Johnson, Lee Shipley, Shayana Ghale, Vanessa Chung, Katie Walker, Joseph Arda, Eirwen Bana, Ryan Moss, Rowan Rajan, Kamile Brauklys, Anna Allen, Teddy Kelly, Mia Sage, Daniel Robinson, Ayesha Shaikh, Class St Paul, Antonina Dettlaff, Mahad Islam Chowdhury, Neha Jose, Ophelia Ward, Harley Williams, Byron Bengoechea-Torbett, Conor Kiely, Aleksandra Yarmus, Jeswin Paulose, Tessa Rojo, Jarema Gatkowski, Apollo Booth, Briano Binu, Adam Hughes, Alfie Holding.