

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

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Virtue & Value Focus:

Faith—filled in their beliefs and **hopeful** for the future.

This weeks school attendance: 95.6% School target attendance 97%

This weeks winning class is: Y5 100%

Rec: 95% Year 1: 94.6% Year 2: 98.3% Year 3: 95.1% Year 4: 89.3% Year 5: 100% Year 6: 92.5%

Holy Week and Easter Break

We break up today for our Spring break and will sadly not be in school next week for Holy Week. Today, our children enjoyed a special 'Walk Through Holy Week' with a variety of special prayer stations—please see Class Dojo for photos. As we break today we continue our focus on our Easter preparations and all of our children will be taking home a small palm cross in readiness for Palm Sunday, this Sunday. Palm Sunday marks the start of Holy week, the day when we remember Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem, maybe they could bring this cross to mass on Sunday to show and share in the celebrations?



Palm Sunday also marks the beginning of Jesus' Passion leading to his crucifixion on Good Friday. We pray that through Holy week we may continue to grow in our understanding of Christs' sacrifice and our love of Him who conquered death that we may enjoy eternal life forever.

Have a holy and happy school break and we look forward to seeing you on

Monday 8th April at 8.40am.

Easter Gardens Homework

To celebrate Easter when we return from our spring break, we are requesting that our children create an Easter Garden. We would love to see the Easter Garden's brought into school on the first day back, Monday 8th April. Please see your child's Class Dojo for pictures, and ideas for their Easter Garden creation. All children who create a garden will receive a small Easter gift.

Earth Hour—Live Simply

Tomorrow, we celebrate 'Earth Hour' an hour dedicated to making a small difference in our daily life which could have a big impact upon the world. Of course, Earth Hour can be celebrated at any time, so please

consider how your family can turn off lights, plant some seeds, recycle more items in an effort to Live Simply.'



Almsgiving for Easter

A gentle reminder that we are continuing to collect the Father Hudson's loose change bags after Easter and on our first Friday 12th April, we request the return of the smarties tubes our children have been given. Please add any silver coins to the tubes and sellotape up for their return.

These monies will be passed onto CAFOD for their Gaza appeal. Thank you.



Dear Lord Jesus, as Holy Week approaches, we thank and **praise** you for giving your life for us, so that one day we too may know the joys of heaven. Amen.

Parents Evening Consultations

Thank you to the parents/carers who attended this weeks meetings. If you were unable to attend your child's meeting, please contact your class teacher to make an alternative appointment.

National Spring Clean

Representatives from Year 6 took part in a litter pick on St. Elizabeth's Road and Princess Street as part of this year's Keep Britain Tidy Spring Clean. Littering in Foleshill remains a concern and unnecessary problem. If we all continue to teach our children why littering is so wrong, hopefully we can look forward to a cleaner, healthier world and environment.

Mousike Ensemble

Our Year 1 and Year 3 children have recently represented us in this year's Mousike Ensemble events where they have sung and performed with other local Coventry Catholic schools. Well done and thank you to all of those children who represented us so well.



Attendance Winning House –18th—22nd March:

Each week we will be looking at the attendance for each of our Saint group houses. The winning Saint house group at the end of each term will receive a special attendance prize.

1st - St. Bernadette 98.26% **2nd** - St. Francis 95.13%
3rd - St. John the Baptist 94.25% **4th** - St. Therese 92.31%

Golden Certificates for this week

Nursery: Zakariya	Reception: Whole Class
Year 1: Ivan & Janojan	Year 2: Yotam & Maxwell
Year 3: Harley & Muaz	Year 4: Abu Jasmeen
Year 5: Sofia K & Emmanuel A	Year 6: Emmanuel
Mr Doyle: Kyden Y4, Mustafa Y2 & Success Y5 Mrs Miles: Nathaniel Y1	

After School Clubs for Summer Term:

Mondays: Netball—
Y4 & Y5 3.15—4.15pm
Tuesdays: Cricket—
Y5 & Y5 3.15—4.15pm
Wednesdays: Ball Games—
Y3 3.15—4.15pm
Thursdays: Gymnastics—
Y3 3.15—4.15pm
Fridays: YMCA— Y6



Glory be...

A Great Prayer to Praise God!

Glory be to the Father and to Son
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and forever shall be,
world without end.
Amen