



We had a "Guess who" game to start assembly this week. The children and teachers had to guess the secret voice. They did a great job and proved that we know each other really well, just like Jesus knows our voice and chooses us all by name. As our shepherd, shown in the gospel reading this week, Jesus cares for us, keeps and us safe and guides us. In this week when we celebrate the coronation of King Charles the III, we pray that God guides him in his knew task to care for us and our planet in the same way.- **Mrs A M Kendal, Head of School**

"In the Heart of the Good Shepard, the Father's love shines forth" **Pope Francis**

Pupil of the Week:

Pupils who gained a certificate this week are:

Reception- Joey

Year 1 – Elias

Year 3 – Mayowa

Year 5 – Rob

Year 2 – Adam

Year 4 – Zion

Year 6 – Nana



House Points: Well done to **St Theresa** this week's winners with 100 points!

St Bernadette – 73

St Francis – 71

St Paul – 92

St Theresa – 100

St Thomas More – 80

St Anne Line – 62

Cycling Festival: The festival we did some courses, the first course was about maneuverability and going through cones and after that we did a long ride all the way round the field. All of us were exhausted. But we were 3rd. Also we made our own course and they learnt about what they want to improve. I was proud, exited and I was full of pride, that was quite the experience – Shaun, Year 5

Year 5: Thank you to Year 5 for sharing your mass on Tuesday helping to know and understand Mary more. We are always grateful to Fr Bernard for joining us and giving us this opportunity to celebrate the sacrament together. Parents also had the opportunity to look closer at the RE books and see the children's learning in action. Do keep an eye on the calendar as to when your child's next mass or prayer service is.

Congratulations to Mrs Williamson who left us last week to start her maternity leave. She had a baby boy yesterday and mother and baby are doing well.

Class Photos: Order direct online with YEP before **Monday 8th May** for free delivery back to school.

Super Heroes: We had a marvelous visit from Spider-Man and Wonder Woman who arrived in Reception and very quickly were put to action saving Mrs. Cargill from the evil pea!! What a great way to learn more about stories and their heroes. Luckily the children were just in time to save her!

Coronation Celebrations: What a brilliant day we have had celebrating the coronation. With the theme set by the King of the "The Big Help Out" our wonderful school council hosted a volunteers breakfast to raise the awareness of all they do. We had guests who volunteer their time at our school, our local parishes and Girl Guiding. They were all entertained and served by pupils within the school.

The school then celebrated with a picnic lunch together and some brilliant activities linked to themes from the coronation, including the music, art, culture and traditions associated with this great event. All the children have been given a commemorative bookmark to mark this special day.

We hope you enjoy your celebrations too.

Karate Club: Jeff the karate teacher has had to reschedule the lesson on Tuesday 23rd May to **Monday 22nd May**.

Water Bottles: All children should have a suitable water bottle from home with them each day to be used at school. Please note that advertisement bottles (e.g. Prime) are not permitted.

Nintendo Settings: Use the attached advice on how to change settings and stay safe on Nintendo devices.

A message from Dawson (one of our pupils) to the whole community. On the 10th June my family are going to take part in a 5k Walk in London for JDRF who research diabetes type 1 like the type I have. Our target was £150. So far we have raised £210 so are already £60 over our target. I wonder what our final total will be? You are very welcome to donate see this [link](#)

Bishops request: Bishop Alan is really keen to hear from everyone within his diocese and to know and understand more about our families. Please take some time to complete his survey to help him serve you better.

Dinner Menu: Our School Dinner Menu can be located [here](#). Week commencing 9th May is Week 1.

Upcoming Dates:

Mon 8th May: School Closed for Bank Holiday

Tue 9th May: Year 4 Mass 2.30pm. Parents Welcome

Fri 19th May: Y3 Class Assembly 9.05am

Tue 23rd May: Sports Day

Thur 25th May: Relationship Education Meet 5pm – Virtual

Mon 26th June: Year 5 PGL talk 5pm – Virtual.

Please see the link for **updated key dates** within the Summer Term

[Key Dates 2022-2023](#)

Mass Times:

Holy Cross Parish Mass Times are

Saturday 5.30pm **Sunday** 9am and 11am

holycrosschurchharlow.co.uk

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Mass times are

STM Church **Sunday** 8.30am

OLF Church: **Saturday** 6pm

Sunday 10.30am, 12.15pm (Polish)

<https://olfstm.weebly.com/>

