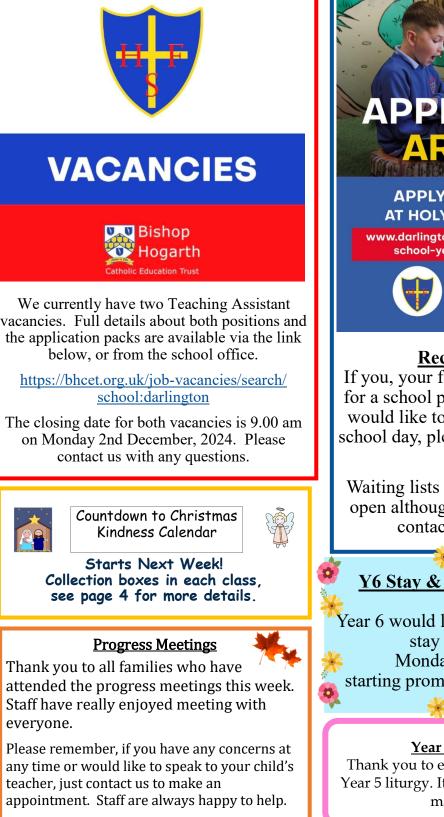


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w/e Friday 29th November, 2024

Welcome, Ласкаво просимо, добро пожаловать, Witamy, Sveiki, Bienvenido, Bienvenue, ยินดีต้อนรับ to our weekly newsletter.



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### **Reception Class 2025**

If you, your family or friends are applying for a school place for September 2025 and would like to visit or revisit us during the school day, please contact the school office.

#### Nursery

Waiting lists for Holy Family Nursery are open although places are limited. Please contact us to arrange a visit.

Y6 Stay & Make with Grandparents

Year 6 would like to invite Grandparents to a stay and make session on Monday 9th December, 2024 starting promptly at 2.30 pm until 3.30 pm

#### Year 5 Class Liturgy

Thank you to everyone for attending the Year 5 liturgy. It was lovely to welcome so many families.







## Dates For Your Diary!

#### **Christmas Productions**

Reception Class On Thursday 12/12/24 at 2.15 pm

Year 1 & Year 2 on Tuesday 17/12/24 at 2.00 pm

Year 3 & Year 4 Production on Thursday 19/12/24 at 2.00 pm

Year 5 & Year 6 Christmas Liturgy on Friday 20/12/24 at 2.30 pm

More details to follow!

# Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 11th December, 2024

 Menu

 Roast Turkey

 or

 Quorn Roast

 Served with

 Yorkshire Pudding

 Sage & Onion Stuffing

 Roast Potatoes

 Seasonal Vegetables

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 Christmas Crispy Cake

 or

 Sprinkles Fairy Cake

#### Christmas Lunch on Wednesday 11/12/24

The Christmas lunch menu is available for all children. For Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 the cost is £2.20, which can be booked and paid for via the Dinners section on My Child At School. Children can also order in class on the day. There is no charge for children entitled to free school meals and children in Reception Class, Y1 and Y2, as they qualify for Universal Infant Free School Meals. The usual charge will also apply to children in Nursery.



# Christmas Fair Donations Please

We would be very grateful for donations of:-

Raffle & Tombola Prizes. Sweets & Chocolates Cakes, Cookies/Biscuits, Mince Pies Good quality books. Bottles of anything such as, wine, water, shampoo, juice etc. Unwanted gift & bottle bags.

Items can be sent to school with your child or dropped off at the school office. Thank you

#### <u>Christmas Jumper Day</u>



On Monday 16th December, 2024, children are invited to wear their festive jumpers with their uniform.

#### Christmas Jumper Donation / Swap Box

There will be a box in the main school entrance for donations of any unwanted/outgrown Christmas jumpers. Please donate one that doesn't fit and/or help yourself to one from the box.

#### **Reverse Advent Calendar**

We are starting our reverse Advent calendar next week. We are encouraging children to think of others in the run up to Christmas and we would be very grateful for donations of the items on the reverse advent calendar towards some 'freshen up' and 'keep warm' gift bags.

When I have taken some of our collections to the foodbanks and shelters, the staff have said that often they are short of donations of warm socks, gloves and also hygiene products, such as toothpaste, toothbrushes and deodorant. They said that often this causes great embarrassment to homeless people because they are aware they have been unable to wash.

Children in Year 6 are helping to organise and co-ordinate the Advent appeal as part of their Faith In Action Pin Award and have given a lovely presentation to all classes to explain how everyone can help.

If families would like to contribute, there are collection boxes in each classroom or items can be delivered to the school office.



# Countdown to Christmas Kindness Calendar

