



The 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 summertime, full of warmth and colour
 And for autumn days as leaves fall to seed
 new growth.
 You are always with us.

Amen

'Well Done'

*to the following pupils who received
 special awards this week:*

Reception – Lily, Jasper

Year 1 – Izzy, Arthur, Hannah

Year 2 – Olivia S, Max, Olivia J

Year 3 – Emily M Alfie, Nancy

Year 4 – Amelie, Harry, Freddie

Year 5 – Ingrid, Natalia, Josh

Year 6 – Bea, Xavier, Ryan

Message from the Headteacher

This is the longest term of the academic year, and I want to congratulate the children for their continued enthusiasm and hard work in all of their lessons.

Just a reminder that the children will not be in school tomorrow and we return on Tuesday 2nd November.

The Junior Leadership Team would like to thank all the parents again for their kind donations to our harvest collection. These have now been packed up and delivered to the Chippy Larder



To commemorate Armistice Day and Remembrance Sunday we will be selling British Legion poppies in school the first week back. The week commencing 2nd November, all classes will be taking part in Remembrance activities and we will be sharing this work with you in the newsletter.

Thank you to all the parents who attended the parent consultations. I hope this gave you an opportunity to meet the class teacher as well as updating you on your child/children's progress.

Have a safe and restful half term.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Dates for Autumn Term	
Friday 22 nd October	INSET DAY
HALF TERM	25th – 29th October
Monday 1 st November	INSET DAY
Wednesday 3 rd November	Year 5 Swimming Lessons
Thursday 11 th November	Remembrance Assembly
Monday 15 th – Friday 18 th November	Antibullying Week
Thursday 17 th November	Antibullying & E-Safety Assembly/Workshop with ICT Consultant
Friday 19 th November	Whole School Trip to Chippy Panto (New)
Thursday 25 th November	Flu Vaccination - Whole School
	PTA Christmas Wreath Making – Over Norton Village Hall
Tuesday 7 th December	Reception Nativity Performance 1.30pm
Wednesday 8 th December	KS1 Christmas Performances
Thursday 9 th December	KS2 Christmas Carol Services
Wednesday 15 th December	Christmas Lunch & Jumper Day
Friday 17 th December	Whole School Mass
Friday 17th December	School closes for Christmas at 12.05pm

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The Squirrel

Storytelling & drawing with Fiona Lunn

Thursday 28 October 11:00am – 12 noon
at Chipping Norton Library

The event will start with a reading of the first few chapters of Fiona Lunn's *The Squirrel* from the author herself!

Following the storytime we will have time to draw things relating to the story, such as squirrels, pine cones and acorns!

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