



St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School

'Doing our best for God'

Thursday, 14th April 2022

Dear Parents,

As we finish for the Easter holidays, I would like to reflect on the very busy term. It has indeed been a challenging one with many children and staff testing positive with COVID but as usual, we have all pulled together to support each other; I am immensely proud of all the staff and the children.

Our Holy Week has been slightly different as restrictions have permitted us from inviting parents into school. However, the children have shown their reverence through actions and prayers. All the children were able to visit the church to see and discuss the individual examples created by the different Year groups depicting the Stations of the Cross; we hope the parishioners were impressed with the children's creativity.

Years 3 and 4, were able to act out the Easter story and reflect in the moment; you will be able to view the short videos on our school website [here](#).

Years 5 and 6 led the Passion of Christ Mass in church during the St Bernadette' Mass for parishioners - so special. I would like to say a huge thank you to Father Peter for his support with Holy Week and the continued weekly Gospel messages; thank you to Mr Melling for his videoing expertise. - We are indeed lucky to have such a wonderful supportive parish.

We are very thankful for all of the messages of support and appreciation that parents voiced during their Parent Conference meeting and to myself personally in the playground; it is so important that school and home work together for the benefit of your children.

When we return after the Easter holidays, on the **25th April**, the children will be able to wear their summer uniforms. Please check the website for the correct uniform [here](#).

I am hoping to invite everybody into school, during the summer term, to share in their child's learning and of course we have the usual Sport Day events.



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On behalf of all the staff, I would like to wish you a peaceful and Holy Easter. I look forward to seeing you all refreshed and ready for our summer term ahead.

Yours sincerely,

Alexis Satterthwaite

Head Teacher



“We pray for everyone in our global family. May God grant us all the gift of an open-hearted, generous and compassionate response to those in need. Let us rejoice and praise you Our Blessed and triumphant Lord On this happy, joyful feast” -Easter blessing to you all.