



St. Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

*"a place of educational excellence
with Christ at its centre"*

Trinity Term 2

Head teacher: Mrs L. Concannon

Message from the Headteacher ...

Dear Parents,

The children in Shepherds and Carpenters class have had a fantastic afternoon visiting the first ever St Mary's Job Fair! I have attached the gallery link to the email so please do take a look. Our head boy and head girl will be writing a letter of thanks that I will send out with next week's newsletter.

I have attached a letter to update parents on the two upcoming strike days and as always we are happy to support any parents where we can. Please email the school office if you require a place for your child. Due to the final strike day of this academic year being on Friday 7th July a day that we had planned to have the summer BBQ the Friends of St Marys have decided to move the date of the BBQ to Friday 21st July which is the last day of the academic year. We do hope you will all still be able to join us! Mrs Iley will be sending an update out to parents of children in Year 6 as we will have to now change the Year 6 leavers gathering.

I am pleased to share with you today that DfE has announced the end of the KS1 Statutory assessments as of the 1st September 2023. This means that schools will no longer be required to test the children at the end of year 2 using the DfE provided SATS.

Kind regards,
Laura Concannon.

Important dates to note...

Dates for the Diary:

- **Thursday 22nd June: Jobs Fair**
- **Wednesday 28th June: Stay and Play session/ St Joseph Cinema Trip**
- **Thursday 29th June: Mass St Peter and St Paul/ Teddy Bears Picnic**
- **Wednesday 12th July- 14th July Year 6 Residential**
- **Monday 17th July: Reports to go home**
- **Tuesday 18th July: Sports day**
- **Thursday 20th July: Leavers Assembly**
- **Friday 21st July: Leavers Mass and Summer BBQ**

Safeguarding Lead: Mrs Concannon

Deputy Safeguarding Lead: Mrs Vale

Safeguarding Governor: Mrs Brimson

Jobs fair

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Cooking Club

In cooking club this week the children made lemon cake and lemonade with the left over lemons.



Value focus : Love

*I have found the one
whom my soul loves.
Song of Solomon 3:4*

*A big thank you to the year 6 parents for
providing the photos for the Year 6 leavers
presentation. Mrs Smith is coming in
tomorrow to start learning the year 6 leavers
song!*



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