## St. Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter



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

Pentecost Term 1 - 2016

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#### Message from the Headteacher

#### Dear Parents,

Welcome back everyone; we hope you had an enjoyable and restful break. The children have quickly settled back into routines and the school is once again buzzing. Behind the scenes preparation for the new website is going well and the launch is imminent. There are lots of exciting events enriching learning planned for this term. Please keep a check on dates as more events are being planned and will be scheduled soon.

Have an enjoyable weekend

Mrs K. Yuen

#### Important Dates to note...

12th April (Tuesday) Back to school

W/B 9th May - SATs Week Year 6

13th May - School Disco

26<sup>th</sup> May – Choir Competition

27<sup>th</sup> May- Confirmation

W/B 30<sup>th</sup> May - Half Term

9<sup>th</sup> June – Party in the playground for the Queens's 90<sup>th</sup> Celebration

11<sup>th</sup> June – First Holy Communion

13th June -Science Week Atomic Tom Visiting school

18<sup>th</sup> June – Village Fete – School choir to sing

23<sup>rd</sup> June –Olympics Day - Sports day in the afternoon (more details to follow)

11th July - Reports to parents

12<sup>th</sup> July - Opportunity to discuss report with class teacher

15<sup>th</sup> July – PTFA Barbecue

20th July - Last day of term

#### Easter Celebration Day

Our first day back had an Easter celebration theme. The children enjoyed planting flowers and bringing new life to our outside area. Please look at our outside reflection area. The art work was created by every child in the school. There has also been great excitement with the arrival of 4 baby chicks hatching.





#### A big thank you for your generosity during Lent

We are pleased to announce the final figure for the amount raised for the Lenten Charities as £1305.10 which will be shared out between Educaid, Helen + Douglas House Hospice and CAFOD In reality this means that the money we send to Educaid is enough to send 3 children to school for a year in Sierra Leone which also includes a home and food. Isn't that wonderful!

# MUSIC LONG PORCE

#### Music Mark

We are delighted that our continued commitment to music has been recognised with the award of the Music Mark.

### Value for March - Joy



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