

# <u>DATES</u>

## **January**

**Friday 19**th – Stay Safe Workshop for Year 6

## **FEBRUARY**

**Thursday 1**st – Visiting Poet in school all day

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> – HSBS Finance Workshops for Rec to Year 6 Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> – HSBC Finance Workshops Rec to Year 5

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> – HALF TERM Monday19th – school

re-opens at 8.50 am

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup>** – WWII Workshops for Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6

# **MARCH**

**Thursday 7**th – World Book Day

**Tuesday 26**th – Rocksteady Concert at 10.00 am

**Thursday 28**th – Mrs. Daly's last day before starting Maternity leave

**Thursday 28th** – School closes at 1.00 pm for EASTER **Friday 29th** – GOOD FRIDAY

### **APRIL**

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> –** School re-opens at 8.50 am

## May

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> – Year 4 Holy Communion Friday 24th – HALE TERM

**Friday 24**th – HALF TERM **Saturday 25**th – Year 4 Holy Communion

# St. George's Catholic Primary Newsletter 12th January 2024

## **HAPPY NEW YEAR**

Welcome back to school and a great start to our SPRING TERM! Hoping everyone had a happy Christmas and enjoyed some rest and recuperation over the holiday period.

This half term is exceptionally quick...in fact it's the quickest spring term we've known. We only have 4 weeks left until the half term break and six weeks following before Easter.

It is SO important that children are in school as much as possible to ensure they keep up with their classroom learning and maintain the progress that the rest of the class are making. Please make every effort to ensure children are on time and in school wherever possible.

## **COLLECTIVE WORSHIP**

This week in our assemblies and Collective Worship we have thought about the Epiphany and the journey the Kings made in their effort and their determination to visit Jesus. We have also been thinking about promises and the promises we can make to God to be brilliant members of St George's School and community; the values we should have and what our actions says about us and our school. These have become our collective goals for the New Year!



## **Year 4 Reconciliation**

Congratulations to all our Year 4 children who received the sacrament of reconciliation on Wednesday. The children, as expected, were brilliant and rose to the occasion. It was lovely to see the children taking their stone from the alter, keeping it with them, and then returning it after they had received reconciliation.

Many thanks to all the parents for t your support in helping prepare the children. Special thanks to Miss. Mawtus for all the work and preparation she has undertaken in work with the children, in sessions after mass and preparing the service.



Very special thanks also to Mrs. Smith in her role a catechist and support for the children, and to Father Chris and Father John for celebrating this sacrament with our children. It wouldn't have been possible without their help.

# **COOKIE & CAKE**

Our Cookie & Cake Fridays are a little treat at the end of the week. Please remember that you can pay in advance or week-by-week. As long as your money is in **a marked envelope**, staff will mark it off over the number of weeks you are paying for. If children don't bring in money, there is always a great selection of fruit instead. Children are welcome to bring their own fruit in for morning break but please don't send children in with anything else. Only fresh or dried fruit is allowed at break time. Thank you.

## **ATTENDANCE**

This week's attendance can be seen below. The school target is 96% - as represented by the black line.

Well done to Years 1, 2, 3 & 5 this week!

