



Dear Families

As we come to the last week of a very short spring term here at St. Winefride's we reflect on the Easter assemblies that form an important part of our own Holy Week. All of the children are involved in the retelling of the last week of the life of Jesus. It has been lovely to see so many parents supporting the children by attending the assemblies. We finish the week with the Stations of the Cross led by years five and six.

I wish you all a restful and joyous Easter.

Best wishes

Mrs Catherine Murphy

School reopens after the Easter break on Monday 9th April

You are the resurrection

How wonderful, Lord Jesus, you came back

*You suffered death but conquered it
 You laid in the tomb but on the third day*

You rose again

O joyful day, Lord Jesus, when you returned

You are the resurrection, our hope and our life

O glorious and victorious Redeemer

*Help us not to be afraid of death
 For we must pass through it to see you face to face*

And on the last day we will rise again

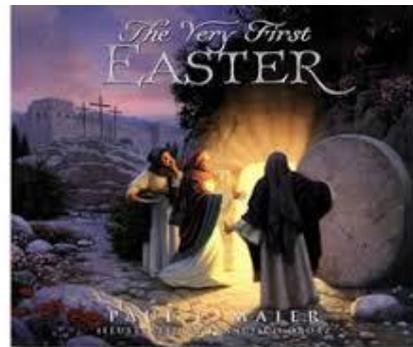
For you said so

Let us rejoice and praise you

Our Blessed and triumphant Lord

On this happy, joyful feast.

Amen.



Beyond Bullying Award Update

Along with this newsletter we will be sending you our revised behaviour policy.

This has been updated in conjunction with the Anti - Bullying Team at

Leicestershire County Council as part of our work towards gaining the Beyond Bullying Award.

Staffing changes:

We welcome Teaching Assistant Mrs Diane Britchford who has just joined our Foundation team.

Teacher Mrs Sue Richmond will be working with Foundation and year 5 on a Wednesday.





School Council Robot Competition

Congratulations to Fabienne and Poppy who won the KS1 and KS2 prizes and to runners up Clara and Oscar. The school council will be helping to decide what science resources to buy with £30 raised.

19th April Day of the Eucharist - at this time we will be sharing a live broadcast with Bishop Patrick and giving children the opportunity to be in the presence of Jesus present in the Blessed Sacrament.

SATS and phonics testing.

The Key Stage two SATS begin on Monday 14th May with the last test taking place on Thursday 17th.

Key Stage one tests take place in May.

Year One phonics screening in the week beginning Monday 11th June.

If you have any questions about any of the tests or assessments please talk to your child's teacher who will be happy to help. On our website you will find a useful guide explaining the testing system in primary schools.

Dinner money is £2.20 per day, £11 per week

After School Club – There are places available in the after school club which runs every school day until 5.30pm. Please see the website for more information or ring Mrs. Dunbar in the school office on 01509 503353. Please make sure that you book using the booking form as the payment and booking systems are separate.

Upcoming Events

Sunday 29th April we will be having a **Car Boot Sale** on the front playground. To book a pitch, please contact Mrs Dunbar in the office. The cost of a pitch is £10, entry to the sale will be 25p. A great opportunity to sell your unwanted items!



Friday 25th May – Minimarket

Friday 8th June – Sponsored Walk

