



Believe



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Friday 17th March 2023

Dear Families,

What a busy week we have had... We enjoyed gathering for an early feast day celebration for our patron saint, St Joseph. It was wonderful to see so many of you at our celebration mass and at the blessing of our beautiful St Joseph carving – created by Peter Leadbeater and funded by the Market Harborough and The Bowdens Charity.



We were also extremely proud of the children as they took to the streets of Market Harborough to complete their sponsored walk.



They walked 2.5 km to raise money for CAFOD's Emergency Turkey-Syria Earthquake Appeal – so far we have raised nearly £300, but we are still collecting!

Thank you for showing such generosity as we reach out to help our brothers and sisters across the world.

Wishing you a wonderful weekend. God bless, Mrs Dabbs

******CHANGE OF DATE******

Please be aware that we have rescheduled our Open Classrooms for this half term so that we can welcome all of you into your children's classrooms after the heating works have been completed.

THURSDAY 30th MARCH - Year 1 to 6

FRIDAY 31st MARCH – Foundation

Open Classrooms from 8:40 – 9:30

Refreshments and Curriculum Exhibition in the School Hall from 9:30 – 10:30

Dates for the Diary

Friday 17th March – Tree Planting on the school field

2pm-4pm for parents and the Parish community

Weds 22nd March – Year 5 Residential to The Briars

Mon 27th March – Y3&4 The Passion of Christ (afternoon)

Tues 28th March – Y3&4 The Passion of Christ (evening)

Thurs 30th March – Open Classrooms for Years 1 to 6

Fri 31st March – Open Classrooms for Foundation

Fri 31st March – Last Day of Term

EASTER BREAK

Monday 3rd April 2023 – Friday 14th April 2023

Mon 17th April – Children return to school

Monday 17th April – Friday 21st April

Art Week in school – look out for lots of exciting activities!

Parish Support for Families at St Joe's

Our Parish family of Our Lady of Victories is beginning a new initiative to reach out to offer support to families within our school and parish community. Their objective is to ensure that charity begins at home, in our own community, by helping members of our school family to locate the resources and support that they may be seeking.

If you have any queries or would like to find out more, please speak to Mrs Dabbs. Thank you.



We are pleased to inform you that Phase 1 of the heating replacement works have finished ahead of schedule. This means that from Monday 20th March all children will move back to their base classrooms. Thank you for your support during this time, the children have been fantastic during this time. Please check Class Dojo messages for reminders of where to drop off and collect your children.