



St Joseph's Catholic Academy







Friday 18th October 2024

Dear Families.

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our first Mass in school, our **Harvest Mass on Tuesday 15**th **October**, it was wonderful to see so many of you there. Thank you to all the children who were so generous with their donations to the <u>The Jubilee Foodbank</u> you have all made a difference to the people in our local community.



Thank you to all the families who supported us for the Bingo Night last Friday! It was good fun and helped to raise much needed funds for our PTFA.

Finally, the children have loved being back in the hall this week to eat their packed lunches and school dinners. Their table manners and behaviour has been exemplary. We are so proud of all of them. The new menu has proved very popular! Thank you to Sam, Gemma and Finn who have ensured that everything has run smoothly in the hall this week. Well done.



A few notices...

Please note that the school will be closed to all children on Friday 29th November for a Staff Training Day.

We will be hosting a celebration to mark the official opening of the hall on Friday 1st November at 3:30pm with a cake, coffee and a raffle. We invite all family and friends to attend. Donations of baked cakes welcomed and all monies raised will go to school funds.

Have a wonderful half term week. God bless, Mrs Dabbs

Key dates for your diary:

Friday 18th October

Last day of the half term

School closed: Monday 21st to Friday 25th October

Monday 28th October Back to school

Friday 1st November All Saints Day

- 1. Children come to school dressed as their favourite Saint.
- 2. Mass in Church at 10am

Friday 15th November Homework projects deadline

Wednesday 20th November Open Classrooms

ALL SAINTS DAY

Friday 1st November

For the Feast of All Saints. Come to school Dressed as your favourite Saint!

Let's celebrate the saints of the past and be inspired to be Saints of the Future!

