



## Notices

### • FEM 200 Club winners

#### March draw

- £100 - D J McDonald
- £20 - Anne De Kremer
- £10 - Denys Hancock

#### April draw

- £100 - Pauline Pitts
- £20 - Mr J O'Kane
- £10 - Nuala O'Rourke

#### May draw

- £100 - Mrs Linda Parkin
- £20 - Mr Chris Thomas
- £10 - Mrs Sara Passey

#### June draw

- £100 - Mr Chris Thomas
- £20 - Michael Jones
- £10 - Jennifer Williamson

### • Thank you Mr Thomas!

A big thank you to Mr Thomas for organising the school virtual quiz over the last 8 weeks. It was great fun!



### Prayer of the week

#### A prayer remembering God is with us:

Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your disciples,  
"I am with you always".  
Please be with me today.  
Hear my prayers for others and for myself,  
and keep me in your care.

Christ be with me, Christ within me,  
Christ behind me, Christ before me,  
Christ beside me, Christ to win me,  
Christ to comfort and restore me,  
Christ beneath me, Christ above me,  
Christ in quiet, Christ in danger,  
Christ in hearts of all that love me,  
Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

Extract from Saint Patrick's Breatplate



This week we say goodbye to our Y6 children as well as Joseph and Tommy in Y5. Thank you to Father Stephen who came to say Mass to both Y6 groups.

We wish all the children the very best in their new adventures, we will miss them! Please stay in touch!



## Message from Mrs Chambers

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your continued support and kind words during the last few months as well as the numerous kind gifts and cards the staff have received. We end the academic year in a very different way this year and although we are all looking forward to a break over the Summer we are sad that we have not been able to finish the year as we would want to. I am especially disappointed for the year 6 children who have not had a residential, end of year play or a proper send off but we celebrated Mass with both halves this week and reminded all the children of what they have achieved and how proud we are of all of them. We are especially sad to say goodbye to some of our families where the year 6 pupil is the last one of their children to be in the school, please come back and see us as you are all part of our school family.

I wanted to also mention the children who have been leaders this year, you have all done an amazing job as house captains, school councillors, little lights, mini chaplains, librarians, sports leaders, digital leaders, friendship finders, reading buddies and prayer leaders. I want to especially thank Thomas and Tosia in their roles as Head boy and girl this year.

We are also celebrating as a school retaining the title of small schools sports champions as we had the most points as a school just before we all had to partially close and it was great that Chris Thomas could present this trophy to one end of the year 6 group outside this week.

We are also so excited about seeing some of the children that have not yet been in school since March next week when they return for a transition morning or afternoon.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff at English Martyrs, they have all been amazing and through all the tough times recently, pulled together as a strong united team, supporting one another as well as ensuring that all the children have had access to high quality learning experiences.

Watch out for a digital surprise at the very end of term which is a thank you to all our families for their incredible hard work at home over the last few weeks.

Mrs Chambers



## Small School Sports Champions 2020!

Yesterday Mr Thomas presented us with the Small Schools Sports Champions trophy! We managed to secure enough points before the school closures to win the trophy for a fifth year in a row!



## End of Year Awards



At the end of every academic year we would under normal circumstances present our children with a range of awards listed below which also include specific sports awards. The awards are for:

Creativity ,Curiosity, Endeavour, Resilience ,Team Player

White Light - spiritual awareness

Sports awards – most talented boy and girl as well as most improved boy and girl.

Congratulations to all the children that have an award this year, certificates will come out to you from the class teachers today.

Award	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 5/6
Creativity	Marcus	Boglarka	Seth	Freya	Oscar	Evie-Grace	Sydney
Curiosity	Daniel	Douglas	Caleb	Jaden	Josiah	Isobel	Thomas
Endeavour	Madeline	Salvador	Oliver	Hermione	Esteban	Elisa	Gabi
Resilience	Ella	Declan	Grace H	Jasmine	Aubrey	Riley	Pitcha
Team Player	Logan	Isabella	Benny	Izzy	Madeleine	Serafina	Josh
White Light	Desiree/ Kara	Adrian	Deandre	Przemek	Matilda	Jaidan	Julian

Sport Awards	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Most talented girl	Torrin	Elizabeth	Alissa	Hermione /Phoebe	Matilda	Florence	Tosia
Most talented boy	William	Salvador	George C	Harry	Thomas	Adam	Mason
Most improved girl	Emmie	Grace	Erin	Sofia	Ola	Holly	Anna
Most improved boy	George H	Malakai	Jerome	Ethan	Esteban	Louis	Dom

### Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday to everyone who has celebrated a birthday this week and beyond!

Y1—Oscar and Grace F

Y2—Mya, Oliver, Reuben and Alissa

Y3—Ruby - May, Harvey, Lottie, Lukas and Jasmine

Y4—Seb, Matilda, Esther and Gabe

Y5—Serafina, Holly and Elisa year



Birthday cards will be sent via Parentmail!

## Ideas for the holidays!

### Summer school!

Click on the link below for Summer school activities over the holidays every morning for 7 – 11 year olds !

<https://offschool.org.uk/summer-school/>



### News from The Rutland Osprey Project

#### Be a Nature Reserve Expert

Your child can be a Nature Reserve Expert with a new nature-themed outdoor activity book **...for children!**

More information and orders can be made by clicking on this link **[NATURE RESERVE EXPERT](#)**

#### Get involved ! Osprey Education at Home

Each week since the Rutland Ospreys returned in March, they have been adding new fun and educational activities that children can do at home , in a garden, or green space.

All materials are free for parents and children to view, use, and download!

Click on this link to the Rutland Ospreys website to find out more **[Osprey Education at Home](#)**

#### Live streamed Holy Mass

Click [here](#) for more information about live streamed Masses.

You can also keep up to date with the Parish news [here](#)

#### See you in September!

**We hope you all have a lovely summer break and we look forward to welcoming back all the children in September! Keep an eye on your emails over the holidays in case we need to send any updates via Parentmail.**