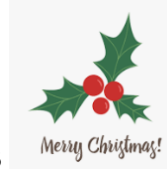




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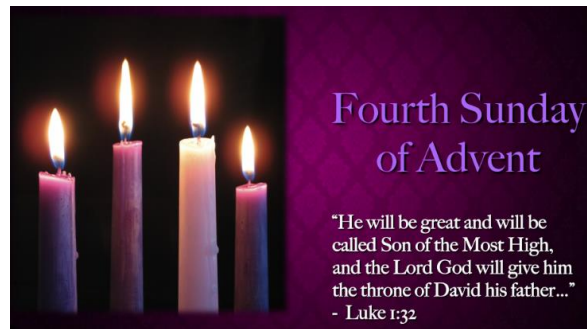


Thursday 21st December 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Prayer Life of the school:

This Sunday we light the fourth candle on our Advent wreath, the last one before we light the white candle on Christmas day.



EYFS class assembly

EYFS performed their Nativity play last Tuesday morning and it was absolutely wonderful. The singing and dancing were fabulous. A huge well done to the whole class!



Year 2 and Year 3 Nativity

Last Thursday, Year 2 and Year 3 performed a fabulous play for everyone. It told the true story of Christmas and it was a great performance from everyone.

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Upper Phase Carol Service

On Tuesday, 19th December, Year 4, 5 and 6 performed their carol service in the Italian Church. All classes sang individual class songs as well as whole school carols and acting. Many children helped us join together in prayer and we heard readings from the Bible. It was a fitting end to a busy week, when we reflected on the real meaning of Christmas.

A huge thank you to baby Lucia who had the starring role as baby Jesus.

A huge thank you to all who contributed to our collection for The Passage. We raised £150 that will go towards helping the homeless around Westminster.



Helping Others

A massive thank you to all who contributed to filling up our shoe boxes that will be donated to the homeless people around central London. Miss Towner worked tirelessly all week to get them organised and Father Chris collected on Wednesday afternoon, to distribute them. Everyone should be very proud of all the donated and know that they are helping people less fortunate this Christmas.

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The Peel Centre

Today, Thursday 21st December, some children went to the Peel Centre to distribute gifts that had been made in school and to sing carols to the elderly. They sang beautiful and brought tears to many eyes!



Moor Place

On Monday 11th December, the choir went down to Moor Place at Moorgate to sing carols. The crowd thoroughly enjoyed listening to the Christmas songs and the choir did a fantastic job!



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Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day

On Wednesday 13th December we had our school Christmas dinner as well as our Christmas jumper day. A huge thank you to Florence and her team who cooked us all a delicious dinner. Well done to everyone who wore such beautiful Christmas jumpers. They were all fabulous!!



Christmas Craft Fair

On Friday 15th December, we held our Christmas Craft fair. Each class made a decoration to sell and then we had food and drinks stalls as well as Santa and other fun activities. A great way to end the school term.



Class Christmas Parties

On Wednesday 21st December we celebrated our class Christmas parties. We all ate, drank, sang and danced the afternoon away. We also had some special guests in school to bring some real Christmas cheer!

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Year 5 Trip to The House with Chicken Legs at the Southbank Centre

Year 5 went to the South bank Centre last Thursday, 14th December to see The House with Chicken Legs. It was a brilliant show and the children absolutely loved it. We have been reading the book in class and it was a great opportunity to bring it to life.



Year 2 Trip to the Unicorn Theatre

Last Friday, 15th December, Year 2 visited the Unicorn Theatre to watch The Bolds! A show about hyenas pretending to be humans!



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Year 5 and Year 6 Swimming Gala

On Friday 8th December, 4 children took part in the swimming gala in Ironmonger Row and we won 2 silver medals and a bronze!



Pope Francis

Each year on the last Sunday of Advent, we look to Mary, our heavenly mother. In this Sunday's Gospel, the Angel Gabriel announced God's will, and Mary accepted it and put her trust in God.

"Let the model of Mary be reflected in our lives."

On behalf of the staff thank you for your kindness and generous gifts.

Have a very happy and holy Christmas and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday 8th January at 8.30am.



Kind Regards,

Miss T Peters and Mrs F Gormley

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