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## <u>Week ending Friday December 22nd 2017.</u> Thought for the week:

"Today a Saviour has been born for us, he is Christ the Lord"

Dear Parents,

<u>School Mass.</u> *Thank you in advance to those that came along to our end of term Mass Friday.* Below are the Mass times for our parish this Christmas. I would urge everyone to attend Mass over this most special of times remembering the true meaning of Christmas.

Sunday December 24<sup>th</sup> Christmas Eve Mass at 3.00pm (crib service for children) and 11.30am. Monday December 25<sup>th</sup> Christmas Day Mass at 10.00am.

<u>Christmas Concerts 2017.</u> The concerts are over for another year. I hope you managed to come along to the relevant performance and that you enjoyed it/them. I would like to thank all those parents across the school who managed to attend. Secondly a really big thank you to <u>ALL the staff</u> for their hard work in getting the children prepared. Finally, a special thank you to all the children for telling the Christmas story in a variety of ways, all of which were very special.

<u>End of Term.</u> School closes for the Christmas break <u>1.00pm tomorrow Friday December 22<sup>nd</sup></u> the children return at the usual time on <u>Monday January 8<sup>th</sup> 2018.</u>

Finally thank you to Father Christmas for finding time in his busy schedule to come and see us this week, for all the cards and gifts you have very kindly sent into school thank you. Thanks also to Miss McCarron for taking our "Christmas photos" last week. Thanks to the kitchen for the wonderful Christmas dinner, well done to all our attendance winners this term and finally congratulations KS2 for representing school so well at the theatre on Monday.

Christmas is incredibly busy in school and never has the term "team work" been more apparent. Everyone plays a part in that team so to **EVERY ONE** thank **you.** 

## On behalf of our governors I would like to wish you and your family a Happy and Holy Christmas. I look forward to welcoming you back in 2018!

Many thanks for your co-operation and support with these matters. M. Aldred Head teacher









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