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ST. MARGARET MARY'S
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Week ending Wednesday December 21st 2016.

Thought for the week:

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

Dear Parents,

School Mass. *Thank you to those that came along to our end of term Mass today.* 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.

Saturday December 24th Christmas Eve Mass at 3.00pm (crib service for children) and 6.30pm.

Sunday December 25th Christmas Day Mass at 10.00am.

Christmas Concerts 2016. 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 **ALL the staff** for their hard work in getting the children prepared. Finally a special thank you to all the children who battled through various coughs and colds to perform so admirably, thank you all.

Christmas Dinner. Thanks to Mrs Hawthorn and her team for a lovely Christmas dinner today.

Christmas Raffle 2016. Father Simon made the draw on Sunday and the results are:

: £200 Won by Ella Lafferty

Christmas Hamper won by Maria Chinyere

Multi present pack was won by the Onuba family

Bottles of Wine were won by David Richardson, Sheila Gannon and Dot Parkes

Bottle of Cognac was won by Jo Connelly.

Congratulations to all of our winners!!

End of Term. School closes for the Christmas break **1.00pm tomorrow Wednesday December 21st,** the children return at the usual time on **Monday January 9th 2017.**

Finally thank you to Father Christmas for finding time in his busy schedule to come and see us on Monday, for all the cards and gifts you have very kindly sent into school thank you. Thanks also to Mrs Killeen for taking our “Christmas photos” yesterday. 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 **EVERONE** 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 2017!*

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

