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**Thought for the week:**  
**'Those who are brave are free.'**

**The Pope's Monthly Intentions for February 2022**



**Religious Sisters and Consecrated Women**  
 We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.

Dear Parents

Friday 18th February 2022

**School Mass**

*Sadly we were unable to attend mass this morning. However, we all began our day with a prayer to mark the end of half term. We gave thanks for all the wonderful learning that we have shared and reflected on the gospel virtues that we celebrated in our daily lives.*

**After School Clubs**

*All clubs will resume on Monday 28th February. Please ensure that you let the school office know if your child is being collected by anyone different, or let us know a name to add to the collection book.*

**Parents Evening**

*Parents evening went very well. Thank you for all your feedback. I asked many of the children today if they were pleased with what their teachers shared with parents. They were all proud of themselves and looking forward to learning and growing more in the next half term.*

**Swimming**

*Thank you to Mrs Williams and Mrs Coates for overseeing swimming this term. All pupils in 4C have received their certificates today. Well done!*

**Key Stage Two Fruit/Snack**

*Following our drive to be healthier in school, I have arranged for all classes (Y3-Y6) to receive a piece of fruit for snack time after half term. This will commence on Tuesday 1st March. Children can still bring their own snack if they choose to but crisps will not be allowed at playtime.*

**Class Newsletters**

*Pleased find attached the class newsletters informing you of all the wonderful things the children have learned this term. Many thanks to the teachers for organising this.*

**Prayer Intentions**

*We have introduced prayer intention corners this year in school where the pupils can leave a prayer intention as they pass the displays. This has proved to be very popular.*

*Many thanks for your continued support and co-operation. Mrs J Logue*

**Prayer of the Month**

**Nunc Dimittis**

Now, Lord, you have kept your word: let your servant go in peace. With my own eyes I have seen the salvation which you have prepared in the sight of every people: a light to reveal you to the nations and the glory of your people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

**Diary Dates**

Y4M commence swimming on Wednesday 2nd March

**After school Clubs:**

Monday—Y3 Y4  
 Tuesday—Y1 Y6  
 Thursday—Y2 Y5 Y6

**Learning Corner**

**Why not test yourself over the holidays and see how many you can write and recall.**



Assembly Awards:	Gospel Virtues	Good Work	Achievement
Nursery	Leo	Violet-Rae	Amara
Reception	Joshua & Mercyel	Jaime & Hannah	Adari & Poppy
Year One	Naomi & Laura	Alicja & Tyanah	Nicai & Kaian
Year Two	Raeena & Harley	Isabella & Eryk	Mukt & Ta'Jae
Year Three	Elsie & Samuel	Lucian & Amelia	Kaydrah & Eijah
Year Four	Naomi & Prosper	Ocean & Grayson	Logan & Grace M
Year Five	Iqra & Meghan	Tyra & Benita	Pru & Shalom
Year Six	Isyla & Marvellous	David & Muna	Daisy-Ella & Maria S



**Adonis, Emmanuel, Victoria, Kamsi, Eliyam, Damon, Leo,**

**Emily-Grace, Isabella, Valentina, Jordan, Esrom,**

**Adnan, Alicja and Daniel. L.**



Snippets of News from our  
School Parliament

*The Wellbeing Council are planning a non uniform day for St David's Day.*

*We ask that everyone wears yellow and brings in £1.00 for our charities on Tuesday 1st March.*

### Attendance Notice Board

It is vital that your child is on time and in school every day, unless there is a medical reason for them not being here. If your child is off school and we haven't seen them, you may receive a visit from myself, Mr Mulligan or Mr Barton as part of our Safe and Well checks. Please remember that our children have a right to an education - this is laid out in [UNICEF's Article 29 - A Right to an Education](#).

**Our overall attendance : 94%**

#### ATTENDANCE WINNERS THIS WEEK:

EYFS Attendance = 93%    Y1 Attendance = 93%  
 Y2 Attendance = 98%    Y3 Attendance = 96%  
 Y4 Attendance = 97%    Y5 Attendance = 88%  
 Y6 Attendance = 96%

Article of the Week



Article 3 -

The interests of the child.



Good attendance at St Margaret Mary means being in school at least 95% of the time [180-190 days]

