

Friday 24th March

Dear Parents and Carers,

Wednesday Word is COMPASSION <https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/compassion?pid=MTA101634&v=88.1>

World Down Syndrome Day. Many thanks for wearing lots of socks and the purchase of the biscuits. Over £90 was raised for the charity. Thank you for your generosity.

Y4 Assembly – the children led a wonderful assembly on letting our love grow. It is the turn of Y5 next week so you are very welcome next Thursday at 9am.

Y4 Prayer Relay. The children are visiting Saint Elizabeth's this afternoon and I know that they will enjoy sharing their prayers and praying with the children there. Y4 have had a busy week!

Lenten Retreat. There will be a retreat day next week on Wednesday led by Ann Tipper reminding us all about this special time of Lent and preparing for Easter. Mass took place on Tuesday at 11am. Many thanks to Father Owen and the Y6 children who read at mass and also the parents and grandparents for coming along.

Food Bank. Many thanks for your contributions for the Food Bank today.

Vision and Hearing Catch Up – This is a catch up for our Reception children on Monday 27th March.

Mission Together – Pyjama Day Friday 31st March. The children can wear pyjamas next Friday and bring in a coin contribution, if you are able, for the Pope's charity for children. The children love coming to school in their pyjamas but I can assure you they will be doing work!

Thursday 30th March - City of Trees. The Y4, Y5 and Y6 children will be planting trees next week. We are all looking forward to it. – it will make our school even greener and hopefully encourage more birds and wildlife.

Phone Numbers are failing for some families.

There should be two numbers on our system for every child as a legal requirement so please can you make sure that we have the right numbers for you. Many thanks.

We break up on Thursday 6th April.

With prayers for a lovely weekend,

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