Heading

St John Fisher R.C. Primary School Summer Term 2022/23 school@st-johnfisher.merton.sch.uk

<u>Week Beginning – 26th June</u> Sports and Wellbeing Fortnight—Week 1 2STF - swimming lessons all week

Monday 26th

Tuesday 27th

Wednesday 28th

Thursday 29th St Peter & St Paul Feast Day Mass (Pupils and staff only) Blessing of the Woodland Garden

<u>Friday 30th</u> Yr6 Worry Ninja Workshop

<u>Saturday 1st July</u> SJF Summer Fair - 12pm - 4pm

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We have had yet another fun filled week at St John Fisher this week.

At the beginning of the week Year 6 returned exhausted but exhilarated from their PGL residential. Throughout the week St Francis class have been enjoying their daily swimming lessons and Year 1 visited Morden Hall Park.

We also celebrated St John Fisher Feast day with a special school mass and whole school picnic and, ending the week in style, earlier today Reception classes performed their wonderful class assembly to a huge audience.

This assembly linked to the Letter from Pope Francis, 'Laudato Si'. It discusses how we need to all take care of our planet and how we need to work together as a family, for our 'common home'. This continues to spread the message of our Catholic Social Teaching principles that we have been learning about in assembly.

We look forward to the beginning of Sports and Well-Being fortnight on Monday and an action packed end to June!

Enjoy the sunshine and have a wonderful weekend.

Congratulations and all God's blessings on those children who are receiving the sacrament of First Holy Communion at St. John Fisher church in the coming weeks. We hope that your day will be special and sacred and that you continue to grow in God's love, nourished by the

Eucharist and ask God to watch over an guide them through this next step in their journey of faith.



Designated Safeguarding Leaders

Ms J Kenna DSL Mrs C Ellerker Deputy DSL Miss C Higgins Deputy DSL







If you have any concerns about a child please contact school@st-johnfisher.merton.sch.uk

The SJF rounders team played brilliantly in the Yr5/6 Borough Championship today coming third against some very strong competition.

They were extremely proud to be awarded the **Refspect** award today in recognition of the respect they showed to all competitors and other teams - representing SJF in the best way possible.



Congratulations to them all.



Reception children celebrated the beauty and wonder of the 'Creation Story' in their assembly on Friday. We were reminded that Pope Francis, in his letter 'Laudate Si' said 'The earth is God's gift to us....and it belongs to everyone'.

We learnt that we all need to look after

our common home—the Earth.



THE GOSPEL IN CHURCH Sunday 25th June 2023



Jesus instructed the twelve as follows: "Do not be afraid. For everything that is now covered will be uncovered, and everything now hidden will be made clear. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the daylight; what you hear in

whispers, proclaim from the house-tops. Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; think more about God who has power over both body and soul. Can you not buy two sparrows for a penny? And yet not one falls to the ground without your Father knowing. Why, every hair on your head has been counted. So there is no need to be afraid; you are worth more than hundreds of sparrows. So if anyone declares himself for me in the presence of men, I will declare myself for him in the presence of my Father in heaven.

Adapted from Matthew 10:26-33 The 12th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A

You are warmly invited to learn more about the Gospel through your local parish church.

"Let us learn to face moments of difficulty with courage, certain that Jesus never fails to give his support." Pope Francis



PGL was a great experience! We had such an amazing time doing the fun activities such as the giant swing, rock climbing, zip-line and Jacob's ladder. All the helpers were supportive, patient and had such a good sense of humour. The cabins were perfect for three nights, the showers worked fine and the beds were comfortable. On the first night we had a campfire. They taught us a lot of fun different songs. The adults were funny. The food was just divine and the selection of food was incredible. The orange juice and chilled water tasted so tasty!

By Eden and Arthur

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Cheese & Tomato Pizza 🍈 with Wedges	Beef Lasagne with Garlic 📢 Bread	Roast Chicken, Roast Potatoes, Stuffing & Gravy	BBQ Quorn with Savoury Rice 🔷 🌘	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Crunchy Veg Topped 🛛 Vegetable Pasta Bake	Summer Tomato & Butterbean Pasta	NEW Sweet Potato & Spinach Flan with Roast Potatoes	Vegetable Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Cheesy Bean Puff with Chips
Sweetcorn Salsa with Peppers	Broccoli Carrots	Peas Cauliflower	Roasted Carrots Green Beans Iced Vanilla Sponge	Peas Baked Beans
Apple Flapjack 🔥	Fruit Jelly with Mandarins 🔶	Freshly Chopped Fruit 🔌	icea formio oporige	Oaty Cookie 🏾 🍈 💊

Caterlink have introduced a wider option cold menu. The menu for the hot option is above and the cold option is below.



IMPORTANT REMINDERS

YEAR GROUP EMAILS:

Year group emails must **ONLY be used for curriculum based topics**. Staff will endeavour to respond to these within 48hrs.

All other correspondence should be sent to the main school email: school@st-johnfisher.merton.sch.uk it will then be passed directly to the relevant staff member if appropriate

Photography/videos:

Parents and carers who accompany a school trip or attend an event as a spectator must at **no time** take any photographs or videos of pupils.



The sun shone brightly on us all throughout our celebration of St John Fisher's Feast Day. We started the day with Mass led by St James' class which allowed us to reflect on St John Fisher, his impact on us and how we

can all now live our own lives in memory of his work and actions.

We all then enjoyed a wonderful whole school picnic outside, followed by a delicious ice lolly treat, supplied by our PTFA. Thank you—we loved our treat!





These pupils have shown that they care about the '*common good*' and think of others

St Scholastica - Santiago R

- St Aidan Jude L
- St Ninian Piotr S

St Teresa - Arturo V-C

St James – Luke L

St Osmund - Jayce C-W

- St Hugh Dylan N
- St Nicholas Isaac D
- St Francis King O
- St Ignatius Daniel H
- St Susanna Isla N
- St Helena Lily P
- St Elizabeth Alex G
- St Rose David M

Nursery – Olivia F

This week's overall winner of Ms Kenna's BIG PENCIL.....

** Felix H**

Attendance Percentage week beginning 12th June 2023

Class	Week commencing 12/06/23	Week commencing 05/06/23
St Rose	96.00	97.30
St Elizabeth	97.30	95.70
St Susanna	98.70	94.30
St Helena	98.00	98.00
St Francis	97.10	94.50
St Ignatius	97.00	95.00
St Nicholas	97.60	97.60
St Hugh	96.40	96.80
St James	96.60	97.60
St Osmund	99.30	96.90
St Teresa	97.30	97.70
St Ninian	97.00	93.70
St Aidan	98.30	90.00
St Scholastica	95.00	91.30
Overall	97.30	95.40

Best Class: St Osmund



WELL DONE

St Anne and St Mary

for being on time, in class and ready to learn every morning. St. John Fisher did incredibly well at the Merton Borough swimming gala on Monday.

All children in the SJF team won medals including one gold medal, three silvers, one bronze and a silver for the girls relay race team. The children should all be very proud of themselves.













Year 1 had a fantastic trip to Morden Hall Park this week. They learnt about plants in our local area and enjoyed using the equipment to investigate different parts of flowering plants.



HOUSE POINT WINNERS

All pupils in Water House will enjoy movie afternoon on Friday 14th July as their reward for being House Point winners last half term.