

All Saints' News

Core Value

This half term our Core Value is **Compassion**.

In your child's book bag you'll find an activity sheet to complete at home (work does not need to be returned to school). These exercises allow you to explore the concept of this value, share a Bible story and develop your child's thinking and empathy skills. We hope you find this a useful resource to promote open discussion at home.

Next week (wb 11th March) is 'Random acts of Kindness Week'! We will be embracing this theme in school and encourage you and your child to do so, too. These acts do not need glory or identity; they should mirror the true meaning of kindness - a selfless act of good. We hope the whole school community enjoys the week.

Today, Ash Wednesday, marks the start of the holy period: Lent.

Lent is a special time of reflection and spiritual growth and I urge all our children to continue to live out our values in everyday life.

Life-giving God,

Today lent begins, forty days of getting ready for Easter, when we celebrate Jesus dying for us and rising from the dead.

Help us on this day to commit ourselves to do all the things that will help us get ready, making us more open and alive to you, to one another and to your world.

May we really know you and love you more this Lent, for Lent is a time to grow, for Jesus' sake.

Amen



Church Film Nightl

HORIGIDOUN Day:

Tomorrow, Thursday 7th March, is national World Book Day! We've exciting activities planned for the children (including a fashion parade!), and ask that all children dress up as a character from their favourite book. Thank you.

To support the Church with additional funds for the Church Garden Project, we are hosting a 'Movie Night' experience in Church! On **Thursday 14th**March, for just £3 each, your child can enjoy watching a film with their peers in Church (snacks/popcorn provided!). If you would like your child to attend, simply send the money into school via your child's teacher (in a sealed envelope) and collect them from the Church at **5:30pm**. Thank you!

Parents' Consultations

The dates for the Spring term's parents' consultations have been agreed:

Wednesday 10th April (2-5pm) or

Thursday 11th April (4-7pm)

Appointments are available online - please book your slot now!

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Paris information evening for parents of children booked on the June trip is on **Thursday 7th March, 6-7pm**, at school.

See you then!

Au revoir!

Safeguarding



Our first priority is that ALL children and adults feel safe and happy in our school

If you do not feel safe or you are worried about someone else, you must speak to an adult you trust



Mr Sharp, Mrs Dumbreck and Mr Stuttard are responsible for safeguarding in school.

Please speak to them if you have any worries or concerns.



Keeping Our Children Safe

If you have any concerns or worries about the safety or well-being of a child, do not hesitate to contact Mr Sharp, Mrs Dumbreck or Mr Stuttard on 01422 367140 or email:

head@allsaints.calderdale.sch.uk

PTA Dates!

Next meeting: Tuesday 26th March, 6pm

Mother's Day Shop: Friday 29th March

Easter Bake Sale event: Monday 15th April (tbc)

Spring Fling Disco!: Friday 17th May

Summer Fayre: Friday 5th July (tbc with Copley Cricket Club following Sports Day)