

# **St. Peter's Catholic Primary School**

## Newsletter 08 Friday 20/12/24

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Local Parish Mass Times	St Peter's	English Martyrs	St Augustine's
Saturday	6pm		6.30pm
Sunday	9am 10.30am 5.30pm	9am	11am





Dear Parents, carers, governors, staff and wider school community,

I wanted to write to you all to thank you for your wonderful support this term. It feels like we have finished a marathon. Everyone is exhausted but it has been a very positive and productive term.

Thank you to everyone for making me feel welcome as I joined the St. Peter's family. This is a really special school and it is full of special people. This was clear again at the beautiful Mass we had this morning, gracefully led by Father Liam.

As a Catholic school, recent weeks have been very special to us on our journey through Advent. Growing closer to Jesus and to God are crucial to us as Christians and I would like to wish all of you a very Holy and beautiful Christmas. For those in our special community, who are not Christian or are of other faith, I would also like to wish you a restful and peaceful break.

The staff and children have been amazing over recent weeks. Unfortunately I was off for a short period with a chest infection so I was unable to see the Nativity but I am reliably told that it was excellent. We have also enjoyed an Hour of Prayer throughout this week and the children have enjoyed a range of Christmas activities. I would like to thank the staff team for their incredible hard work and dedication to our wonderful children.

I would also like to thank our very experienced and very capable governing body. They perform a challenging yet vital function in the leadership of the school. They are an excellent team who work hard to make sure that myself and the leadership team have high ambitions for each of our children.

Finally, thank you to the parental community for your ongoing support. You have worked collobaratively with me and the staff team through some early changes which we hope will have a positive impact on your child's learning and development. I am grateful for the feedback and support; I look forward to continuing to work closely with you to ensure that every single one of our children feels loved and valued and makes the best possible progress in their learning here at St. Peter's Catholic Primary School.

I would like to take this opporunity to wish everyone a wonderful Christmas and I look forward to seeing all of our children on **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2025** when we return to school.

Kind regards,

Mr. Kurt Doyle

Headteacher

#### DATES FOR THE DIARY

Friday, 20th December	Whole School	Finish at 1.00pm	
Monday, 6th January	Whole School	INSET	
Tuesday, 7th January	Whole School	Start of the new term	8.45am

### DINNER MENU – w/c 6th January 2025

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
INSET	Meatballs	Roast Gammon	Chicken Tikka Masala	Fish Fingers & Chips
	Cheesy Pasta	Vegan Sausage	Mild Mexican Chilli	Cheese & Tomato
				Quiche
	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato

#### DINNER MENU – w/c 13th January

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Macaroni Cheese	Cowboy Casserole	Roast Turkey	Spaghetti Bolognaise	Breaded Fish & Chips
Vegan Plant Balls	Cheese & Tomato	Vegan Quorn	Chinese Vegetable Curry	Cheese & Red Pepper
	Pizza			Frittata
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato