



Monday 2nd October 2023  
No 3

## Prayer Corner

Dear God,

*"Thank you for all your messengers who help us to know you.*

*Help us to be faithful messengers, so that others will come to know the joy of loving you.*

*Amen.*



## RE Reflection of the Week

*"May we help people to discover the joy of Jesus' message"*

*Pope Francis.*



# St Francis' News Brother, Sister Let Me Serve You.

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## Autumn Term 2023

### Parents Evenings

Please make every effort to attend your appointment on Thursday 12th or Tuesday 17th October.

Arrive a few minutes early to look at your child's books before speaking with their teacher.

If you cannot make your appointment please let the teacher know that time can then be allocated to another parent.  
Thank you.

### First Holy Communion

You can now enrol your child for First Holy Communion classes for 2023/2024  
The QR code is on display in the school office.

Children need to be in Year 3 or above to enrol.

### Friends of St. Francis

*Friends of St. Francis will be holding a cake sale after school on Friday 20th October in both KS1 & KS2 playgrounds.*

### Christmas Fair

*Friday 8th December*

*At 2pm*

*More information to follow.*



### Year 6 Secondary Schools

Take time to visit prospective schools with your child in the coming weeks.

Collect & return all Catholic supplementary forms by their closing date to each school.

**The online form must be submitted by 31st October.**

### Reception & Year 6 Weigh & Measure

The school nurses will be on site on Monday 20th November.

Return the slip to the school office if you DO NOT want your child to be included.

### Contact Details

Have you moved house in the summer or updated your email or phone number?

Please come to the school office to let us know your new details. It is imperative that we have up to date contact details for emergency purposes.

Thank you.

	<b>Merits</b>		<b>Star of the Week</b>
Love: Nursery	Jaden	Loren	Amaziah
Joy: Reception	Oluwafikayomi	Zhane	Emmanuel K
Honesty: Year 1	Emily	Chidi	Fiona
Gratitude: Year 2	Noah	Matias	Joanne
Hope: Year 3	Jakob	Taliyah	Naomy
Generosity: Year 3/4	Kimille	Joy	Bryan
Justice: Year 4	Goodness	Elizabeth	Mariam
Tolerance: Year 5	Kian-Amor	Markaila	Milan
Courage: Year 5/6	Sinan	Susan	Hector
Wisdom: Year 6	Farida	Mirabella	Obinna

## House Points

House	Points
St. Francis	60
St. Claire	60
St. Mary	70
St. Joseph	50

## Winning House of the Week



## Half Term 2023

Monday 23rd—  
Friday 27th  
October

School reopens on  
Monday 30th  
October



### After School Clubs

#### Monday

Girls Football:  
Years 4,5 & 6

#### Tuesday

Choir: Years 4-6

Multi-Sports: Years 2 & 3

#### Thursday

Boys Football:  
Years 3 & 4  
Years 5 & 6

Please collect  
your child promptly  
at 4.25pm

## INSET DAYS

**Monday 3rd June  
2024**

**2 more days tbc**

### Snacks & Packed Lunches

Health & Safety: Reminder to  
Parents & Carers, packed lunches &  
snacks

#### MUST NOT

contain any type of peanuts, tree nuts  
or sesame seeds such as cereal bars,  
peanut butter, Nutella etc due to some  
children having a severe nut allergy.

Thank you for your  
cooperation.

## Diary Dates

### Parents Evenings

Thursday 12th &  
Tuesday 17th October  
(Please arrive a few minutes  
before your appointment  
to look at their books)

### Thursday 16th November

Anti-Bullying Workshop  
Years 1, 2, 3 & 3/4

### Friday 17th November

Anti-Bullying Workshop  
Years 4, 5, 5/6 & 6

### Monday 20th November

Reception & Year 6  
Weigh & Measure

### Tuesday 21st November

Flu Immunisation  
Reception—Year 6

### 'GDPR :

Whenever we process (staff,  
parents and pupil)  
data, we need to comply  
with GDPR.

For more information on how we  
process data,  
check on our website  
[www.stfrancis.southwark.sch.uk](http://www.stfrancis.southwark.sch.uk)