



Monday 13th November 2023  
No 8

## Prayer Corner

Dear God,

*Please help us to grow in wisdom, to be kind and loving and so one day to share with you in all the joys of heaven.*

Amen.



## RE Reflection of the Week

*"We can ask the Lord to grant us the gift of wisdom"*  
"Pope Francis."



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

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## Autumn Term 2023

### School Photographer

The children will have their picture taken this Wednesday, 15th November

Children will need to be wearing full school uniform.

Thank you



### Friday 17th November

#### Children in Need Day

Donate £1 and wear your pyjamas to school this Friday.

As the weather may be cold and raining please wear something warm under your pyjamas. Shoes or trainers must be worn to school (No slippers allowed).



### 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.

### ProStrike Event

#### Tuesday 21st November

Win prizes and raise money for our school!

Just over a week to go, so remember to bring your sponsor forms and money to the school office.



### Christmas Holiday

The last day of school is Tuesday 19th December

The children will finish at 2pm  
Please collect your child on time.

### Flu vaccination

The school nurses will be on site on Tuesday 21st November to give Reception — Year 6 children their flu immunisation.

Please complete an online form for each child even if you choose not to immunise your child.

	<b>Merits</b>		<b>Star of the Week</b>
Love: Nursery	Sally	Yulianny	Amakashe
Joy: Reception	Derrick	Asher	Ruhart
Honesty: Year 1	Anthony	Ryan	Sarah
Gratitude: Year 2	Isaac	Keeghan	Samantha
Hope: Year 3	Benedict	Qwidor	Sarah
Generosity: Year 3/4	Sidney	Precious	Shakay
Justice: Year 4	Temi	Ezra	Esther
Tolerance: Year 5	Nnaemezie	Emmanuel A	Sarah
Courage: Year 5/6	Sorochukwu	Bella	Alusine
Wisdom: Year 6	Nayara	Helena	Riko

## House Points

House	Points
St. Francis	100
St. Claire	60
St. Mary	70
St. Joseph	40

## Winning House of the Week



## Christmas Holiday 2023

Wednesday 20th  
December -  
Sunday 7th January  
2024

School reopens on  
Monday 8th January  
2024



### After School Clubs

#### Tuesday

**Choir: Years 4-6**  
**LAST SESSION:**  
**Tuesday 5th December**

#### Thursday

**Boys Football:**  
**Years 3 & 4**  
**Years 5 & 6**

**LAST SESSION:**  
**16th November**

Please collect  
your child promptly at  
4.25pm.

## INSET DAYS

**Wed. 20th December**  
**Monday 3rd June**  
**2024**

### 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

### Wednesday 15th November

School Photographer on site

### Thursday 16th November

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

Please pay your £3.50 into the  
office (Write you child's name &  
class on the envelope with the  
correct money inside. Thank you)

### Friday 17th November

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Years 4, 5, 5/6 & 6

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the envelope with the correct money  
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### 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)**



## **Christmas Events**

### **Tuesday 5th December**

*KS1 Christmas Performance*

*2.30pm*

### **Wednesday 6th December**

*KS1 Christmas Performance*

*2.30pm*

### **Friday 8th December**

*Christmas Fair*

*(More details to follow)*

### **Monday 11th December**

*Beauty & the Beast Pantomime*

*(on site for children only)*

### **Tuesday 12th December**

*KS2 Christmas Performance*

*2.30pm*

### **Wednesday 13th December**

*KS2 Christmas Performance*

*2.30pm*

### **Thursday 14th December**

*EYFS Carol Concert 9.15am—9.45am*

### **Friday 15th December**

*Upper KS2 Carol Concert 3.15pm—3.45pm*

### **Tuesday 19th December**

*Christmas Jumper Day*

*Children's Christmas Lunch*

***School Closes at 2pm***