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First Communion

We would like to say congratulations to all the children who will make their First Communion this month. We thank God for all the parents, teachers and catechists who have prepared them so well for this important part of their journey in faith.

Lord Jesus, we come to your sacred table to nourish ourselves,
not with bread but with Yourself, true Bread of eternal life.
Help us to recognise and celebrate your presence every day in our lives.
Walk with us on our journey of faith
as you once did with the disciples on the road to Emmaus.
Be with our children as they prepare in this year
to encounter you more deeply in the celebration of the Eucharist.
For the bread that gives everlasting life so that we can love God with all
our strength WE THANK YOU LORD
For the wine that gives everlasting joy and strength to serve our brothers
and sisters WE THANK YOU LORD
For offering us your body and blood WE THANK YOU LORD
For the Eucharist that proclaims your glory WE THANK YOU LORD
For you, Christ Jesus, who is always with us WE THANK YOU LORD

KS2 SATs

The year 6 children will be taking their SATs exams this week; keep them in your prayers as this can be a very stressful time for these children.

Half term break

The school will be closed for half term break from Monday 28th May 2018 to Friday 1st June and will re-open as normal on Monday, 4th June 2018.

Gadget Shop

The school raised a total of £1328.82 from the Science Week Gadget Shop. The school will be able to keep £328.82 of that amount as profit.

Weekly newsletters

As of Monday, 30th April, the weekly newsletter and other large pieces of information will be communicated via email to your preferred email address, please ensure that school has an email address in order to keep you up to date.



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Headteacher: Ms Natasha Scott

New Staff

A warm welcome to Mrs O'Donkor who joins us a new teacher in Reception E and Mrs Mostowa who joins us as the us as a new teaching assistant in Reception P until the end of the term; I am sure you will make these new members of staff feel welcome as they join the St Francis' family.

Traffic - Maryland Park Entrance

For some time the traffic outside of the Maryland Park entrance of the school has been very concerning. There is often a long line of traffic at this entrance due to motorist being inconsiderate of each other. We have had some very unpleasant exchanges from parents at this entrance and a disregard for the yellow zig-zag lines which are there to indicate that motorist should not wait or park. The parking enforcement officers have made frequent visits to the school to ensure that parents are following the rules of the road and will continue to do so until it is evident that this is a regular and daily practice. I ask that parents are considerate of their fellow motorist; leave enough time in the morning so that they are not rushing and driving/parking illegally and that you do not stop on the zig-zag lines .This is for your child's safety and the safety of other children in the school.

Class Assembly

There will be a class assembly for **1K on Friday, 18th May 2018** at 9:05 am; parents with children in this class are warmly welcome.

There will be a class assembly for **Reception P on Friday, 25th May 2018** at 9:05 am; parents with children in this class are warmly welcome.

N. Scott
Head Teacher

