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13<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Dear Parent



### **Ash Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February**

Our whole school Mass, at 10:00am, begins this most holy season. Lent is the time to reflect on who we are and where we stand before our loving God. We all have areas in our lives that need improving and so, this Lent, let us go forward together in humility and trust in His mercy and grace.

### **Y3J Class Assembly**

Please join us and our Y3J children as they lead our school in the final collective worship of this half term. Assembly begins at 9:15 and we ask that all visitors are seated before the assembly begins. All most welcome.

### **Stay & Pray Wednesday mornings during Lent 9:00am.**

Each Wednesday morning, throughout Lent, we invite you to join us for our School meditation gathering. Our silent time is the precious moments when we offer the children time to 'Be still and know' the God within them. All are more than welcome to share with us - in fact, we ask that you do.



### **World Book Day – Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March**

Forward notice for this special day – we invite the children to dress up / represent a favourite book character and to have the book of their choice with them – they will get the chance to share their book with another child in school on the day. Be inventive and try to represent your character *without* buying a costume.



### **Mrs Davis**

We say a temporary goodbye to Mrs Davis as she begins her maternity leave at the end of this week. We ask God to bless her through this time and grant her a safe confinement. My thanks to Mrs Davis for her professional integrity and hard work, she will be sorely missed. However, she must now focus on a new type of labour, we wish her all the best and we can't wait to meet baby Davis.

### **Break up for Half Term**

We finish on Friday for half term at **3:30pm**. Enjoy a safe and happy break.

**School returns on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February.**

My thanks to staff for their continued hard work and great commitment to our children and our school.

### **Dinner Money**

The charge for next half term is £54.00 payable to Birmingham City Council.

Yours sincerely,

*HMCusack*

H. M. Cusack,  
Headteacher

### **LOST PROPERTY**

Please claim any lost property that belongs to your child or any unlabelled items by Friday 16<sup>th</sup> as all unclaimed items will go the charity clothing bank over half term.