



Christ is our light

All Souls' Catholic
PRIMARY SCHOOL

13th May 2022

NEWSLETTER

Liturgies of Holy week at All Souls Church

Maundy Thursday – 14th April – 7:30pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by Solemn Watch
Good Friday – 15th April – 3pm - Solemn Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord
Holy Saturday – 16th April – 8:30pm - The Easter Vigil & First Mass of Easter
Easter Sunday – 17th April – 9:30am - Family Mass & 11:15am Solemn Mass (Divine Worship)

Confession before Easter

Confessions are regularly heard 10-11am on Saturdays or by appointment, and in Holy Week at the following times:
Good Friday – 15th April – 10:30-11:30am
Holy Saturday – 16th April – 9:45-11am

First Holy Communion & Confirmation Sacramental Preparation

Please keep the dates for the monthly Sacramental Preparation sessions in your diary:
Saturday 30th April / Saturday 21st May

Summer uniform now optional

Children may return in summer uniform; however, your child may continue to wear their winter uniform for the time being. Please note that All Souls' branded polo tops **are not compulsory**; plain white polo tops with buttons and a collar will be fine. We still have a small stock of fleeces available – please take a look at Pay360 to purchase one.

Sports News

What a week for sport! The boys and girls cross country teams won in the team event. Niamh and Roman also came 1st individually and Livia 2nd! The Year 3 gymnastics team competed in the Coventry Schools competition. They performed their routines brilliantly finishing in 3rd place overall. A big thanks to Miss Jade from Elite Dance Academy for helping the children practice. 11 girls took part in their first football match against St Christopher's. Although they lost 4-1, the girls played superb and were a credit to the school.



Celebration Day

We had so much fun on the last day of term! We started the day with an assembly for our fabulous Headteacher, Mr Cooke, to wish him a very happy 40th birthday. This was followed by an Easter reflection. We then spent the day off timetable and took part in a wide range of activities. We were blessed with dry weather all day so there was plenty of time for everyone on the assault course and bouncy castle. We also enjoyed an ice cream!



Fundraising updates!

Thank you to everyone who has donated to the various fundraising events we have held recently. The Junior Leadership Team's sweet tombola raised over £200 for Cancer Research! The Easter Egg raffle raised over £250 which will be donated to the Ukraine Humanitarian appeal. Our Mad Science day raised over £125 for our Science curriculum. We will keep you updated on how much we raise for CAFOD and The Good Shepherd appeal. As always, we are extremely grateful for your generosity and support!

Morning gate now closing at 8:45am

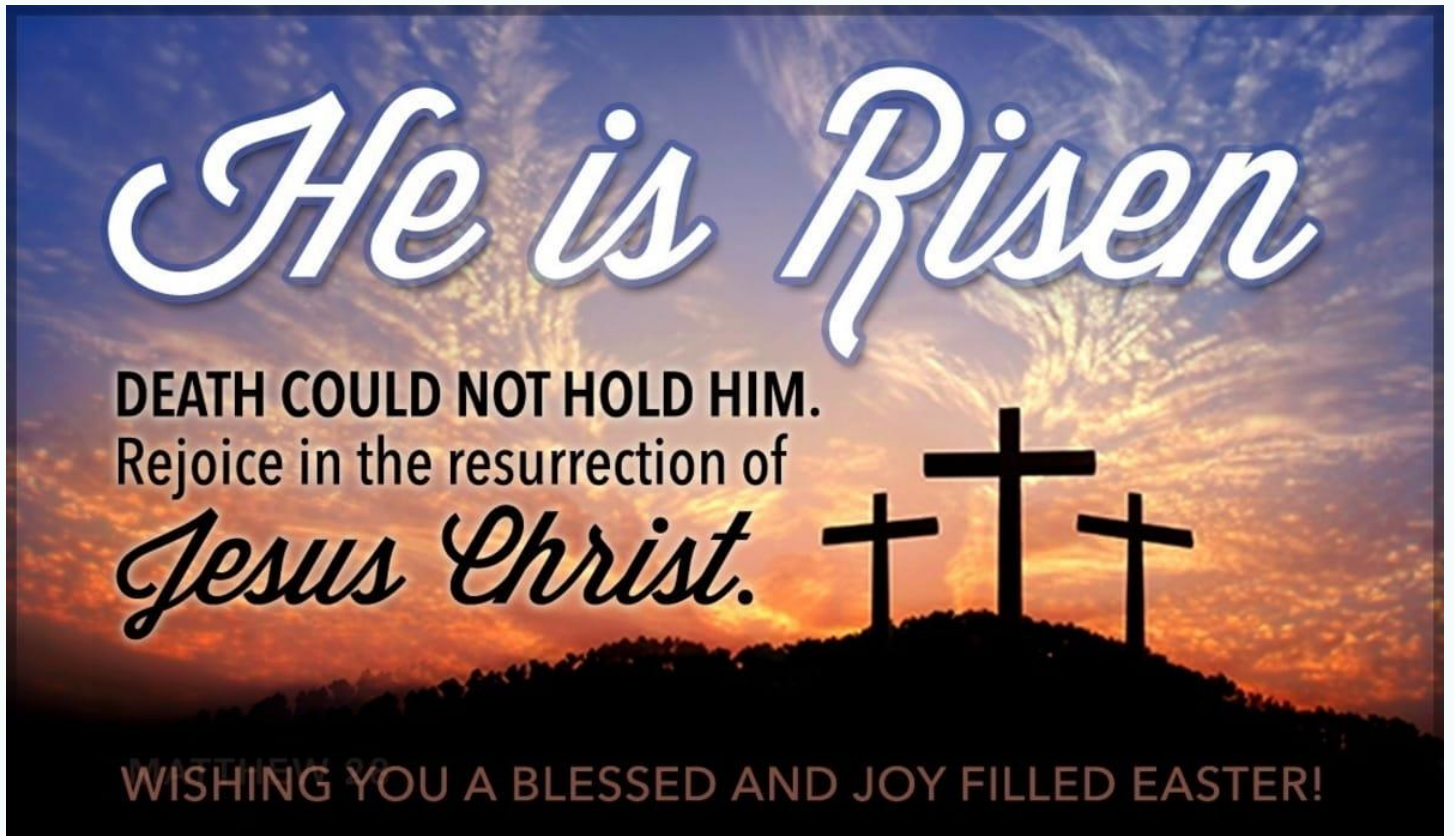
Please note that children should arrive at school no later than 8:45am to avoid a late mark.

Class photos and Year 6 head shots

On Wednesday 27th April, the children will be having their class photos taken. Year 6 will also be having individual photos taken. These photos will also be used in their end of year autograph book. Please ensure your child comes to school in full uniform (winter or summer) with their school jumper or cardigan.

Speed Sainting

Also on Wednesday 27th April, the Year 6 children will be staying behind at school until 4:30pm to showcase their projects at our 'Speed Sainting' event. Parents/carers/grandparents and sponsors of our Year 6 children are most welcome to attend this event – we look forward to seeing you there!



FIRST WEEK BACK			
Day	Time	Who	Where
Monday	TEACHER TRAINING DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED		
Tuesday	1-2pm	Year 2	Visit to Earlsdon Library
Wednesday	Morning 10:30-11:15am 3:30-4:30pm	All Nursery Year 6	Class photos & Year 6 individual shots Visit to the All Souls Church Dementia group Speed Sainting event – family welcome!
Thursday	Morning 3:15pm	Athletics team Choir	County finals – Solihull Cake sale outside the hall – please stop by!
Friday	All day	Year 3	Trip to Coombe Abbey (letter to be sent shortly)

School is closed on Monday 25th April for a teacher training day
We look forward to welcoming the children back on Tuesday 26th April