

# Newsletter

'In St Bede's we welcome everyone, grow and learn together as God's family, and use our gifts to serve with love'

## Welcome

### Dates for your Diary:

Thursday 13 June 5pm:  
Year 6 Residential Meeting

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June:  
Year 1 Class Worship 2:45pm

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June:  
KS2 Performance 1:30 & 6pm

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June:  
End of year reports to parents

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June:  
Summer Fayre

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> – Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> July:  
Y6 Residential

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July:  
Y1 – Y6 Open Afternoon 2-4pm

Mon 8<sup>th</sup> – Fri 18<sup>th</sup> July:  
Y6 Sacred Heart Transition

Mon 15<sup>th</sup> – Fri 19<sup>th</sup> July:  
Bydales Transition

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July:  
PD Day

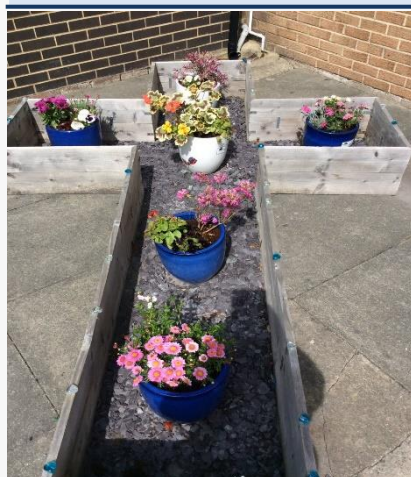
Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July:  
PD Day

*"When the Spirit of truth comes, He will lead you to the complete truth."*  
John 16: 12-15

This month is a busy one in the church calendar! Ascension Day and Pentecost Sunday take us to the end of Eastertide; then the church celebrates Trinity Sunday; and lastly the Feast of Corpus Christi, where we celebrate Jesus' gift of His body and blood to us on the cross and through the Eucharist.

A common theme across these celebrations is that of peace:

- Before Jesus ascended to heaven, He spent 40 days with His disciples on earth, giving them proof of Jesus' resurrection and personal peace in their faith.
- At Pentecost, the Holy Spirit brought peace and unity by giving the apostles the ability to speak different languages, enabling communication with all.
- Trinity Sunday celebrates the loving, peaceful community of the Trinity. This week is also Refugee Week, which calls for the global spread of peace.
- Finally, at Corpus Christi we celebrate Jesus' sacrifice, as a result of which peace is restored between man and God!



Lord,  
Make me a channel of your peace:  
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
Where there is injury, pardon;  
Where there is doubt, faith;  
Where there is despair, hope;  
Where there is darkness, light;  
Where there is sadness, joy.  
Amen.



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## YEAR 1 PUPILS PHONICS SCREENING

All children in Year 1 will participate in the Government's Phonics Screening Check this week. This is a very important week, so it is **vital** that attendance is high.



## A MESSAGE OF THANKS FROM SIMON FINCH E-SAFETY

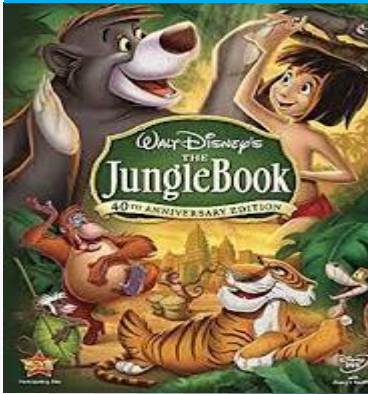


Thank you for the opportunity to work with your Y5 & Y6 pupils yesterday, and also the parents and carers.

I was very impressed by the pupils who were polite, enthusiastic, and many offered thoughtful and perceptive contributions. Please pass on my thanks to each of them.

The parents session was also positive and all parents were engaged and contributed to the discussion.

## KEY STAGE 2 PERFORMANCE 2019 – THE JUNGLE BOOK



On Tuesday 25th June, it is the Key Stage 2 performance of 'The Jungle Book'.

Children in Years 3, 4 and 5 will be in the choir supporting our Year 6 children. The performances take place at 1:30pm (during the school day) and 6:30pm.

The tickets will be sold at £3.00 each. This will cover the cost of the rights to 'The Jungle Book' which we had to purchase in order to perform the play. The tickets are now on sale at the office.

## FAMILY MASS – SUNDAY 9TH JUNE 2019

Thank you to all of the children who shared their learning with the parishioners at St Bede's family mass on Sunday. It was lovely to see you stand and speak confidently in front of a full church. Well done!



## DAISY CHAIN ASSEMBLY – AUTISM AWARENESS

This morning we had a beautiful assembly led by Daisy Chain. Pauline talked to the children from Reception to Year 2 and then Years 3-6 about Autism. She talked about their difficulties with changes to routines, sensory sensitivities, following rules, making friends, finding the words to engage socially and understanding. She also talked about how some children with Autism have special talents, such as in maths, music, art and other areas. Embracing and supporting others' differences was the key message. It was lovely to see the ideas the children had about supporting others with Autism, such as showing patience and tolerance, being good friends, and how children with Autism often feel worried and so need others' reassurance.



### Attendance Week Ending 7 June 2019

Morning Nursery – 88.9%	Year 3 – 96.0%
Afternoon Nursery – 91.5%	Year 4 – 98.3%
UFS – 100.0%	Year 5 – 95.3%
Year 1 – 95.2%	Year 6 – 92.8%
Year 2 – 100.0%	

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**THIS WEEK'S RIGHT:**  
**Article 6** – You have the right to be alive.