#### The Week Ahead

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April

School reopens after the Easter holidays

## Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April

Y4 residential

# Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April

Y4 residential

Y5 St. Pius Sports Afternoon pm

Toddler group 9:15am-10:30 am

Y6 SATs booster 3.15 – 4.30 pm

#### Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April

Y3/4 After school football club 3.15 – 4.15 pm

# Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April

Wath Festival After School Club 3.15 – 4.15 pm

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April

Wath Festival

#### **Class Led Gospel Assemblies**

Each class takes a turn at leading our Gospel assemblies on Monday afternoons at 2:45pm. You are always welcome to join with us. Next half term's assemblies will be as follows;

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May Y1 Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May F2 Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May Y5

#### Jess Cup

The Jess cup is presented once a week to a child who staff consider shows impeccable behaviour and makes an exceptional contribution to the life of the school. The winner last week was Josh Harrison. Congratulations, Josh!

#### **Chocolate raffle**

Thank you for the fantastic response to the chocolate appeal. We have raised just over £200 so far for the Good Shepherd Collection which supports the Hallam Caring Service. Bishop Ralph asks all Catholic schools to raise money during Lent for Hallam Caring Services which offer support to children, young people and their families, as well as running two day centres also provide practical help and advice for homeless and vulnerable people.

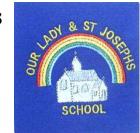
#### **Mother's Day Event**

Thank you to everyone who supported the Mother's day event. The children raised £423.88 towards the cost of their theatre visit next half term.

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# Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2017

#### **Easter Holidays**

We close on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April for the Easter holidays. This term has been very busy and the children have worked incredibly hard. Open evening was really well attended; it was lovely to see so many parents/carers there. Thank you to everyone who completed a questionnaire. Once the results have been collated, they will be published next term.

On Friday, we say farewell to Miss Hall who has been a valued member of our school community for the last four years. Miss Cuckson gets married during the holidays and will return as Mrs Martinho. We wish her and her fiancé every best wish for their future together. On behalf of all the staff, may I wish you all a very happy and blessed Easter and I look forward to seeing everyone back refreshed, ready to work on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April.

#### Mrs McLaughlin

#### **Y6**

When we come back Y6 will have two weeks until their Sats! Mrs Janvier will text revision ideas during the holiday. A little and often will just keep all that learning fresh in their minds! When we come back to school, there will be only nine school days left before Y6 Sats. We would like to invite any Y6 who is able to come, to attend to a special morning booster on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April from 9.30 am until 12.00 pm to kick start their final revision. We will finish the morning with an ice cream from Pastures Moo!

The early morning booster sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays will continue for those children who have been coming to them this term until Sats. The last one will be Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May.

#### **Holy Week Services**

# Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April

Palm Sunday Mass of the Lord's Passion St. Joseph's Wath 6.30 pm

## Sunday 9th April

Palm Sunday Mass of the Lord's Passion St. Joseph's Wath 11 am

### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> April

Penitential Service St. Joseph's Wath 7.00 pm

## Thursday 13th April

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper St. Joseph's Wath 7.00 pm

# Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April Good Friday Th

Good Friday The Lord's Passion St. Joseph's Rawmarsh 3 pm Stations of the Cross St. Joseph's Wath 7.00 pm

# Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> April

Easter Vigil St. Joseph's Wath 7.00 pm

## Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> April

Easter Sunday Mass St. Joseph's Wath 11 am

#### Dates for your diary

Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	Wath Festival –performance at 11:10am
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	Bank holiday
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	KS1 visit to Sheffield Theatre- details to follow
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> May – Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 Sats week
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	First Holy Communion reconciliation practice in church 6:30pm
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	First Holy Communion reconciliation practice in church 7pm
Sunday 21st May	First Holy Communion meeting in church 10am
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	School closes for the half term holiday
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	School opens after the half term holiday
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	First Holy Communion practice in church 6:30pm
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	First Holy Communion meeting in church 10am
Wed 28th June to 30th June.	Y6 residential to Castleton
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Celebration of First Holy Communion in church 10am
Tuesday 4th July	Family Fun Day 3.15 pm
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	School closes for the summer holidays

#### Attendance last week

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
93.7%	98.7%	99.3%	99%	94.8%	94.7 %	97.3%

Congratulations to Y2-99%. Keep it up.

#### **New Menu's-starting after Easter**

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			
Red	Lasagne	Hot Dog	Chicken Curry with Naan Bread	Roast Pork with Sage & Onion Stuffing	Fish Fingers			
Yellow	Quorn Cottage Pie	Cheesy Courgette Croquette	Cheese Flan	Cheese Plait	Quorn Tacos			
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings							
Blue- Sandwich	Chilled Choice	Chilled Choice	Chilled Choice	Chilled Choice	Chilled Choice			
	Garlic Bread/ Diced Potatoes	Seasoned Potato Wedges	Boiled Rice/New Potatoes	Roast / Creamed Potatoes	Chips			
	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables			
	Flapjack & Custard  Chocolate Mousse	Lemon Drizzle & Custard Rice Crispy Bun & Juice	Fruit Sundae Cupcake	Chocolate & Orange Sponge & Custard Ice Cream & Fruit	Banoffee Slice  Cookie & Milk			

## **Special diners**

Cereza Nodder, Cian Glazzard, Emily Cosgrove, Ella Beard, Ayaana Musa, Ayaan Goni, Mackenzie Stewart and Lucy Mae Waller.