



St Bartholomew's CE Primary School



News in school

Good afternoon,

As we know, generosity is wider than just financial giving and therefore does not exclude anyone. Paul, the writer of Corinthians, knew that God has established some common-sense principles when it came to generosity. All throughout the Bible, we see both natural and spiritual implications of this cycle. For example, in the natural world, if you plant a few seeds in the ground you will reap a small harvest, if you plant plenty your harvest will be plenty. In a spiritual sense, if you spend your time, talents and energy investing in others (whoever that may be), God will multiply those efforts.

I'm sure on those difficult days sometimes you can wonder if giving generously is actually enabling you to reap anything at all. On those days it might be helpful to think about what you may be reaping spiritually. And never forget, it takes time to reach the harvest: we may not see it now, but what you currently sow will make a difference in the future.

Bible verse of the week

Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. 2 Corinthians 9:6

School worship

Father, thank you that we are part of both a natural world and a spiritual world in which you are working. I pray that when I am sowing into the lives of others I will take heart that there will be a plentiful harvest whether that will be now or in the future. Thank you for walking alongside me and my school in the work we do.

Amen

There is a family friendly Flower Festival service at the church tonight (28th) at 6.45pm, where you can choose your favourite hymns. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The closing date for ordering Cream Teas and hot rolls for the coronation is the 1st of May. The children are all working incredibly hard on our concert, and we would really like as many children to be able to stay and perform as possible to make the event a great success. Please complete the ParentMail form as soon as possible so that we can get prepared. Why don't you take a look at our school Facebook page to see a video clip of the children practicing.

Just a gentle reminder that children need to bring full PE and swimming kit for their PE lessons. We seem to be lending a large amount of kit each week. Please ensure that you check your child's PE/swimming days (see end of

News in School) and help them to organise themselves so that they always have their kit. Thank you to those that consistently bring their own kit each week.

You will notice that our certificates presented during Friday's Family Celebration Collective Worship will now be printed on card rather than laminated, as we would like to reduce our impact the environment.

We have been contacted by Sergeant Sebastian Langham, from our local Neighbourhood Police Team. If you wish to report any dangerous driving, please email Sebastian.langham@lincs.police.uk and Sergeant Langham will arrange for a policeman to visit you and take a statement.

Please can I remind you that our school office is open from 8.30am to 3.15pm, Monday to Friday. If you wish to contact the school out of these hours, please email enquiries@stbartholomews.lincs.sch.uk or call 01775 640357 and leave a message on our answerphone.

Have a happy and safe weekend, take care.

Miss Ingle

Celebrated this week in Collective Worship

w/e 28.4.23	Fantastic award	Excellence award	Team Points award
Apple Class	Rosaleigh	Oscar	Thomas S
Palm Class	Emilia T	Rhys	Julia
Oak Class	Leah Ba	Charlie-Mai	Felix
Willow Class	Seren	Scarlett	Rehema

Attendance winner of the week

Oak Class are the attendance winners of the week!

Church/Village News

Flower Festival – Wednesday 26th April – Monday 1st May

The church will be open between 10am and 4.30pm.

Flower Festival Family Friendly service – Friday 28th April

The service will start at 6.45pm.

Thirsty on Thursday – 4th May 2023

The Church will be open between 9.30am and 11am for you to drop in any time for tea/coffee and a chat.

Dates for Your Diary

26 th April – 1 st May – Flower Festival at St Bartholomew's Church
28 th April – Flower Festival service at St Bartholomew's Church – 6.45pm
2 nd -3 rd May – Year 5 Bikeability
5 th May – Coronation Concert & Celebration – 3pm til late
8 th May - Bank Holiday – His Majesty's Coronation
19 th May – PTFA Curry & Movie night – 7pm
26 th May – Elmer Day (more details to follow)
26 th May – Term 5 ends
5 th June – First day of Term 6
10 th June – Pinchbeck Carnival (Rotten Row Playing Field)
11 th June – PTFA Car Boot Sale – 9am

14th June – Online Safety – Ask Dan Anything – 6pm (Virtual)
 21st June – Summer Concert – 5.30pm
 29th June – PTFA Summer Fayre – 2.30pm
 18th July – Whole school Trip – Woburn Safari Park
 20th July – Leavers Disco – 3.15pm
 21st July – Term 6 ends
 1st October – West Pinchbeck 10k/School FunRun

Any Other News

PE / Swimming Timetable

Every child will need a swimming costume (one piece) or swimming shorts (preferably tight fitting to make movement through the water more effective), a towel and a swimming hat. You can purchase a plain white swimming hat for £1 via ParentMail. If your child wears glasses and needs to do so in the pool, please speak to their class teacher as there is a safety form for you to complete before they are able to go in the pool.

	PE	Swimming
Apple	Monday	Wednesday
Palm	Tuesday	Thursday
Oak	Friday	Tuesday
Willow	Thursday	Friday

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