



July Newsletter 2023

“Faith We live it, Love it And Learn it.

Interim Headteacher: Mrs K. Bickley



Dear Parents/carers

As the school year comes to an end, I would like to thank you for your continued support. I sincerely hope that the children have enjoyed their year at school. Their enthusiasm for learning, excellent behaviour and faith filled hearts make St George & St Teresa the wonderful school it is.

I would also like to thank all the staff for their hard work and dedication during the year. No matter what their role in school, they have contributed to ensuring the children have been taught and cared for and the school has run efficiently.

Our Year 6 class have worked tirelessly throughout the year and leave St George & St Teresa's as great ambassadors ready to embrace the new experiences that lie ahead. We wish them every happiness and success in the future.

In the meantime, may I wish you all a very happy holiday with your wonderful children. I have thoroughly enjoyed building relationships with them and hope you enjoy reading your child's report.

Reflection for the month of July

MONTHLY REFLECTION

At the end of this school year we give thanks to God for our year together at our school. For all the things we have learnt, for our friendships and time to grow in faith and love.

Dear Lord

Bless our pupils and families may their time together provide them with memories to cherish. Pour out your love on us that we may return renewed and refreshed to continue our journey together. Amen

Classes for September 2023

EYFS: Mrs J. Evans & Mrs J. Ledbrook

Yr 1: Mrs R. Loftus & Mrs F. Rider-Forman

Yr 2: Mrs C. Grace

Yr 3: Miss E. Williams

Yr 4: Mrs C. Toal

Yr 5: Mrs L. Reynolds

Yr 6: Mr C. Blewitt

Attendance

Well Done to Year 2 again for excellent attendance during the month of June.



N – 94.78%

R – 94.08%

Y1 – 93.37%

Y2 – 97.31%

Y3 – 97.22%

Y4 – 92.52%

Y5 – 93.24%

Y6 – 95.69%

We will be collating a list of those children who will have achieved 100% attendance this year.

I hope we have lots of children!

Dates

Tuesday 4th July KS2 Sports Day Morning

Monday 10th July Music Concert 6.00pm

– 7.00pm

Thursday 13th July Nursery/Reception and all interested parents Stay and Play session in Early years and Meeting regarding provision 10.15am

Tuesday 11th July EYFS + KS1 Sports Day 9.15am

Tuesday 11th July 7.00pm Mass for Mrs A. Connolly

Monday 10th July 6.00 pm St Peter's Transition Evening—

Gates open at 5.45pm for parking

Wednesday 12th July Year 6 Show 2.00pm

Thursday 13th July Year 6 Show 6.30pm.

Friday 14th July Reports out to Parents

Thursday 20th July 10am Year 6 Leavers Mass:

Friday 21st July : Last Day in school



St George & St Teresa Catholic

Church 337 Station Road, Dorridge,
Solihull B93 8EZ

The Parish Centre

The Parish Centre is available at weekends for parties, baptism celebrations and other family events (not Sunday mornings).

Bookings can be made by contacting Oksana Zurak on 07967 846963



Goodbye and good luck Mrs A. Connolly



It is with much sadness we say a special goodbye to Mrs Connolly after 25 years of dedicated service. I'm sure she will have experienced many changes over the years and I know she will have special memories of her time at the school .

I'm sure you will want to join with me in wishing her a very happy and healthy retirement.

Please join us in school on Tuesday 11th at 7.00pm for Mrs Connolly's retirement mass.

Farewell from Mrs Bickley

It has been an absolute pleasure joining the school to serve the community from January 2023. The children are the school's greatest assets and I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know them and see them grow and develop.

I hope the school continues to flourish and grow as it continues on its improvement journey.

I know the school will be in safe hands with Mrs L. Flanagan. I'm sure you will welcome her as warmly as you welcomed me. Goodbye and good luck.



Year 6 Leavers Mass, Graduation and Picnic

All parents are welcome to join us on Thursday 20th July to celebrate with our Year 6 class.

The day will start with the Leavers Mass at 10.00am at school, followed by awards and a picnic lunch.

A picnic lunch will be provided for children and parents

It will be lovely to mark the children's time at St George & St Teresa's.

School Term Time Dates 2023-2024

Autumn Term 2023

Starts: Monday 4th September 2023

Half Term: Monday 30th October—
Friday 3rd November

Ends: Friday 22nd December 2023

**INSET DAYS: Monday 4th September
2023**

Friday 27th October 2023