

St Mary's RC Primary Swinton

Newsletter

School Fund

Thank you to all the parents who have contributed to the school fund. The money collected is to go towards the Diocese for the up keep of our Catholic school. Please keep sending your contributions.

Holidays

We finish today for half term and return to school on Monday February 25th. Can I remind parents that the Easter holidays are different this year. On Good Friday March 21st and Easter Monday March 24th the children are off school. We will be back in school on **Tuesday March 25th till Friday April 4th**

We will then start our two week holiday from Friday April 4th to Monday April 25th. That is Salford recommended holiday pattern and is the same as the majority of schools in Salford.

Dianne Tomkow

I received an e-mail from Dianne's husband thanking us all for our donation of £600 towards Christie's Hospital. Mr Tomkow put our donation with other contributions and a total amount of £2049.00 was sent to Christie's Hospital. Mrs Tomkow's wish was to have an electric bed donated to ward 10 to give comfort to other cancer patients. The money raised allowed for two beds.

Lent

It was wonderful to see so many people supporting our children as they prepared for Lent with the parish mission team. Many parents and families were able to join us at St Mary's Church for the Ash Wednesday service. We will be having three masses in school during lent at 8.30am. Everybody is welcome at these masses.

February 28th 8.30am in school
March 6th 8.30am in school
March 13th 8.30am in school

Dinner Money

If you wish to pay dinner money by cheque please make the cheque payable to Citywide Catering. We would prefer this method of payment. Dinner money is £8 per week per child. If you wish to pay termly from February 25th to April 4th please send £44.80 per child.

Welfare Assistant

We need a welfare lady for 1 hour each day in KS2 (Juniors) on a permanent basis. We also need people who we can call on at short notice. If you are interested could you please speak to Mrs Burchill.