



St Joseph's News

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We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. Romans 8:28

Back To School!

The staff and children of St Joseph's were delighted to be back together on Monday morning. All the children have settled very quickly into our temporary accommodation at Newman Catholic College and we are back to learning.

Please continue to be considerate of our hosts at Newman Catholic College and to be mindful of our temporary neighbours on Holland Road and the surrounding streets.

I sent a letter to all parents on Thursday afternoon with some information and reminders. Please remember that the school is the only credible source of communication and this will be issued by the website, by text and by letter. If you are unclear about any aspect of school life, please telephone or send an email to admin@stjo.brent.sch.uk

Finally, on behalf of all the staff, I thank parents for their overwhelming support. Your kind messages have sustained us through the last few weeks and we are very happy to have your children back!

God bless,

Mrs Titus
Executive Headmistress

Message From Father Stephen

Fr Stephen reminds families that the October Procession of Our Lady is this Sunday at 7.00pm.

This year, one of the intentions of the Procession is for the staff and pupils of St Joseph's. Therefore, it would be wonderful for the St Joseph's children to take part in full school uniform.

Weekly visits from Fr Stephen and Fr Gabriele will continue while St Joseph's are on the Newman Catholic College site.

Wednesday Word

The Gospel reading on Sunday will be from Mark 10:17-30 which tells the story of the rich man who wanted to know how he could inherit eternal life. Jesus told the man to "go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me."

Jesus then tells his disciples "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God."

In your family prayer time this week, you may find it helpful to reflect on the importance we can place on 'things', when we should be thinking more about loving others and being more like Christ.

Attendance

Please ensure that your child aims for 100% attendance this year. Every lesson counts so your child can benefit from the excellent learning opportunities at St Joseph's.

Children must also arrive on time every day to ensure they access the full curriculum. Poor punctuality affects your child's learning, the learning of others and is very inconsiderate.

Parents who choose to take their child out of school during term time will each be issued with a £120 Education Penalty Notice Fine per child (reduced to £60 if paid within 21 days of issue date)