



# St. Felix RC Primary School

## March 2022 Newsletter



*We should not accustom ourselves to war. Instead, we need to convert today's anger into a commitment for tomorrow, because if, after what is happening, we remain like we were before, we will all be guilty in some way.*

*27<sup>th</sup> March Pope Francis*

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been wonderful to welcome more of you back into school in the last few weeks. The LKS2 Easter Play this week has been a particular highlight.

Thank you for taking the time to complete our annual parent survey whilst you attended our parent consultations. The results were overwhelmingly positive. 100% of parents said their child is happy at this school and 99% would recommend it to another parent. Whilst the 95% of parents felt that St Felix has high expectations for pupils, the strength of agreement was less secure than in other areas. We had already identified that we need to strengthen our curriculum, so I hope to keep you updated about this as we implement our changes.

As you know from our recent survey we are also looking at our uniform and assessing what changes should be considered to meet the new government requirements. There was a clear majority for each question so these will be factored into our uniform policy which will come into effect for September 2022. Thank you for your input and I will let you know when it is published.

With just two weeks left to go, I shall take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy and holy Easter.

Best Wishes,

Mrs Dodds

### Upcoming Dates

LKS2 Gospel Show	Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March
KS1 Maths Workshop for Parents	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> April 9:30am and 4pm
Non-Uniform Day -HSA	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April
<b>End of Term</b>	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April
New Term	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April
First Holy Communions	Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> and 15 <sup>th</sup> May
Bank Holiday	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May
KS2 SATS week	9 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> May

Children's Service for Holy  
Thursday (14 April)

3pm at St Felix Church

Children's Service for Good  
Friday (15 April)

12 noon at St Felix Church

Easter Sunday – 17 April

**MASS FOR EASTER  
SUNDAY**

10am in St Felix Church

**CAFOD**



On 16<sup>th</sup> March we completed our Wide Welly Walk for CAFOD. It was great fun and thank for your donations which totalled £289.



### **Renew The Face of Earth**

We have been hard at work keeping some more of our school promises.

The crisp packet recycling was delivered to Keep Haverhill Recycling's Nick Keeble.



We have also planted 6 cherry trees donated by local tree warden Angela Wilson as part of the Jubilee Canopy. The Eco Council showed remarkable skills and teamwork to undertake this with minimal adult support.



### **St Peter House Captains Appeal**

A big thank you to the Mika family who co-ordinated the Ukraine appeal with the help of our St Peter house captains Asia and Maja. The generosity was astounding.



### **Would you like to be a foundation governor at St Felix?**

Please speak to the office for more details.

**Ofsted** 

#### **Parentview**

The school is due an Ofsted inspection. However you don't have to wait and can comment on the work of the school at any time using:

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>

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<b>End of Term</b>	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April
<b>Start of Term</b>	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April
Y5 Swimming	29 <sup>th</sup> April / 6 <sup>th</sup> May
Spring Bank Holiday	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May
KS2 SATS Week	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> – Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> May
HSA Disco	Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> May
Y6 Swimming Starts	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> May
Music Concert – Piano/Drums	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May time TBC
Jubilee Street Party	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> May
Ascension Mass	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> May
<b>Half term</b>	27 <sup>th</sup> May – 3 <sup>rd</sup> June
Pentecost Celebrations	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June
Year 1 Phonics Check	6 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> June
Year 4 Multiplication Check	6 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> June
Y6 Kingswood Residential	8 <sup>th</sup> - 10 <sup>th</sup> June
Governor Monitoring Day	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> June
First Holy Communion Children join Parish Mass	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> June
UKS2 Play at Arts Centre	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> July
Y6 Linton Village College Transition Days	6 <sup>th</sup> and 7 <sup>th</sup> July
Summer Fayre	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> July
Sports Day	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> July
Y6 Leavers Mass – Parents welcome	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> July 1.30pm
Reports out to parents	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> July
Y6 Samuel Ward/Castle Manor Transition Days	18 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup> July
Y6 St Benedict's Transition Days	20 <sup>th</sup> – 22 <sup>nd</sup> July
<b>End of Term</b>	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July

### Dates for 2022-23

PD Day	Thursday 1st September and Friday 2nd September - No pupils
Pupils back to School	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> September
PD Day	Friday 21st October No pupils
Half term	24 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> October
End of Term	Friday 16th December
PD Day	Tuesday 3rd January - No pupils
Pupils back to School	Wednesday 4th January
Half Term	13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> February
End of Term	Friday 31st March
Pupils back to School	Monday 17th April
Half Term	29 <sup>th</sup> May – 2nd June
End of Term	Thursday 20th July
PD Day	Friday 21st July - No pupils