



# St. Jerome's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

## Collective Worship

This week we have been thinking about Remembrance Day and praying for all those who have lost their lives in wars or conflict around the world.

## ESFL - Redgate Tournament

Our boys' football team played really well in this annual tournament on Friday and their performance in the final means we are once again the winners of this competition. We will now go on to compete in the regional tournament. Congratulations everyone!

## Bike It Breakfast

Thank you to everyone for supporting this event so well - we had over 150 people on the day and we all enjoyed a hearty breakfast together. Well done to the Bike It Councillors who helped Mr. Whiffing with the shopping.

## Anti-Bullying Week - All Different - All Equal

Next week schools across the country will be focusing their thoughts on bullying and how we can equip children to deal with it. We will be thinking about this in various ways in school and our Anti-bullying Governor will be visiting school to talk to children about this issue.

## Children in Need

Next Friday is Children in Need day and we are asking everyone to wear their spottiest school uniforms for the day and to bring a donation. Let's see how much we can raise!

## Tesco "Bags of Help" Update

We are currently in second place behind the Red Cross so please vote for us if you shop in Tesco. There is no minimum spend required in order to obtain a token so please ask for one if the cashier does not offer them. Ask your friends and family for their tokens if they live out of this area and would like to support us!

## Talent Night - November 10th

We have a group of parents who have offered to help with this and we are very grateful to them as this is always a highlight for the children who take part.

## Comedy Bingo - December 1st

Tickets are still available for this event - please purchase them from the office or send a note in to reserve some. We hope that lots of you will be able to join us. It is open to all of our families and their friends – tickets cost £10 per person. You are welcome to bring your own nibbles and the bar will be open.

### Children's Liturgy - St. Jerome's Church

The children's liturgy group meet during 9am mass every Sunday at our church and are very keen to welcome more of our pupils to join in. There is also a Family Mass on the 26<sup>th</sup> November at a different time of 12 noon so please come along, you will be very welcome.

### Admin Assistant Vacancy

We are currently advertising for a part-time, term time only Admin Assistant for the school office. The hours are 9.00am – 12.30pm Monday to Friday. The hourly rate of pay is £8.34. Further details and application forms are available on Sefton's website at [www.sefton.gov.uk](http://www.sefton.gov.uk).

Have a great weekend.

Regards,

Mrs. Monaghan

### Dates for your Diary

PTA Talent Night - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November - Parish Hall

PTA Children's Disco - Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November

Family Mass - 12 noon Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November at St. Jerome's – all welcome

PTA Comedy Bingo (Parents) - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December - Parish Hall

PTA Christmas Fair - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December - Parish Hall