# St John Vianney Catholic School School Closure Newsletter

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"Everything we can be, with Christ in our hearts."

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we reach the end of another very strange half term, I'd like to say thank you again for all the support and resilience you have shown throughout this closure period.

With each passing week, we hope that we will come closer to the point where we can start to rebuild our school community once more. We watch the news, read the papers and plan for the future...which is something.

After half term, the teachers and I will be working together to review safety advice and measures available to us to build towards that point where we can welcome some of our pupils back. No guarantees yet, no certainties, but work has started.

I hope that you are able to enjoy the half term – looks like the weather will be kind – and that you are able to make that difficult transition from 'working and learning at home' to just 'being at home' – it's hard to do, as I'm sure you've all found.

I hope you enjoyed our Virtual Assembly this morning – the message is apt, and the children delivered it perfectly.

At the end of a storm, there's a golden sky, and the sweet silver song of a lark...

View on our website or via Showbie

Have a blessed half term everyone. Stay safe.

Mr. McNicholas

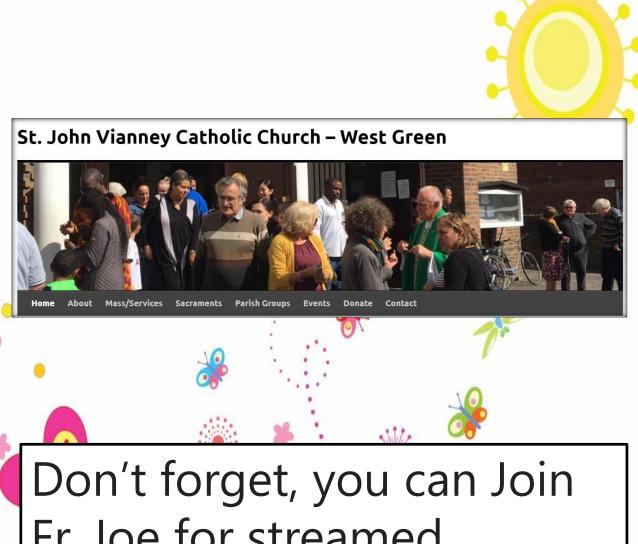




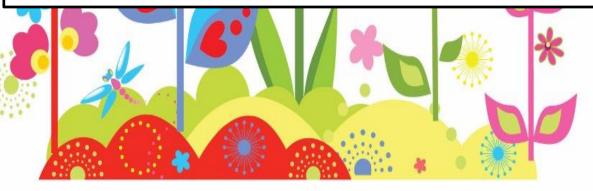








Don't forget, you can Join Fr. Joe for streamed services via the <u>Church Website</u>. Also available are Rosary liturgies and daily prayers.



These resources, made available by Ten Ten (which we use in school) gives families a daily prayer resource and a Sunday Mass liturgy reflection. I hope you find these useful.



Prayers for Every Day at Home



Sunday Liturgy for Families

### For the outbreak

God of compassion, e close to those who are ill, afraid or in isolation

In their toneliness, be their consolation; in their anxiety, be their hope; in their darkness, be their light; through Him who suffered alone on the cross, but reigns with you in glory, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

15 Prayers for Lockdown







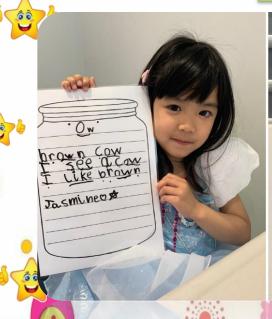






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<u>J</u> For doing fantastic writing of the <u>'ow'</u> sound. She even wrote some words and a sentence by herself. J was very proud of her work and told her Mum to take a picture and show Ms Duah straight away! Well done.



**R** For trying his best with his numbers .On his Tapestry page R can be heard chanting his numbers up to 30 and ordering them with support by himself in the correct order. He had to cut up the numbers first and then stick them down in the grid in the correct order really tried with his cutting skills too. Good effort!

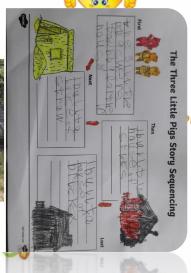


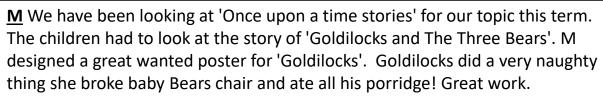
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**E:** For really trying his best with his writing. Edward sequenced the 'Once upon a time' story of 'The Three Little Pigs' by writing down what happened first next and then finally. The children also had to design a new home for 'The Three Little pigs' to now live in altogether as they were all getting squashed in the 'third Little pigs brick house'. E designed a great castle that they could all live in with their own coat of arms! Great imagination!

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### 15th May 20



**Nursery:** We'd like Reece for his superhero exercising with his sisters and Matias for his forest trail activity. I'll attach screen shots of tapestry in another email.



**Year 1:** Ala, For uploading some amazing pieces of work where it is clear she has put a lot of thought and effort into what she has completed. I am impressed with the beautiful handwriting!

Samantha, Since school has been closed she has regularly completed activities that have been suggested and is always keen to participate in the class discussion sharing her thoughts and ideas with her friends.





of a lizard.

### STARS OF THE WEEK

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Aryiana for her gripping diary entry written by Sam-I-Am from the book 'Green Eggs and Ham'. She also did an amazing job at reading this aloud for us.

S for recording herself read 'The Scaredy Cat' for her friends in Class 2 to enjoy. She read with great expression and hand gestures throughout.





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**Year 3:** I would also like to say how exceptionally proud I was of Mia and Alaina for singing so beautifully in last week's assembly. I had shivers! Absolutely gorgeous girls.

A for his continuous effort to reach excellence in everything he does, from magnificent Art work to beautifully presented home/school work and making sure he gets involved nonscreen time activities too.

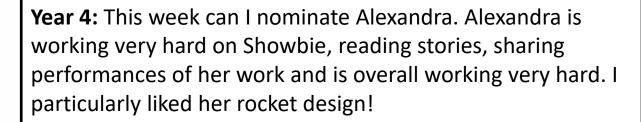


**M** for giving everything a go and really impressing me with the attention to detail she has displayed in her artwork and Greek project.

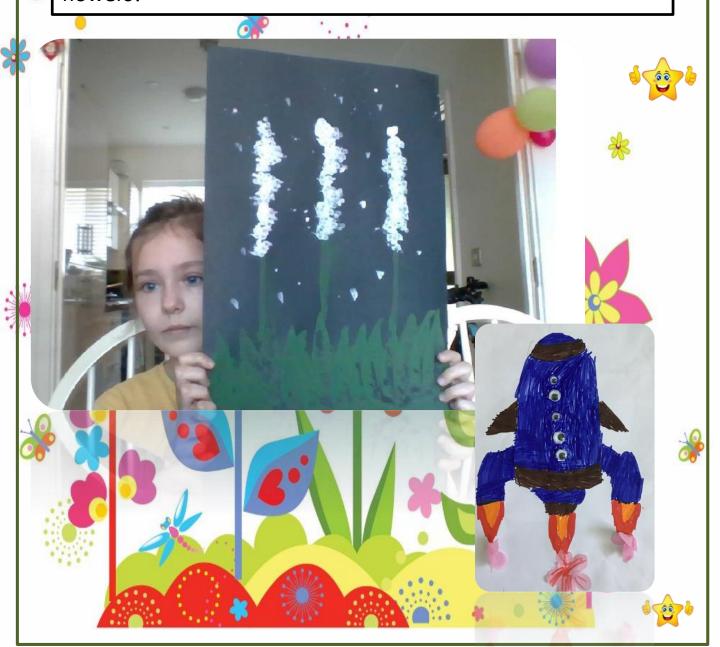








Also, can I nominate M, for her beautiful painting of some flowers!







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Year 5: Mani's letter about friends, and Raven and Tereza for their brilliant art!







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**Year 6:** M for his thoughtful comments in the daily class chat. He is always kind and caring and every day he will tell the class to stay safe, be happy and to have a good day.

H, for her insanely good ability to work out riddles! She has been the first to answer the riddle nearly every day!





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I would like to nominate K as star of the week please if its parents still who choose. Shes an all rounder.

- \*homework 🗸
- \* learning 2 new dances 4 1 hour virtual classes per week ✔
- \*virtual karate class 🗸
- \* do all other jobs mum asks 🗸
- \* be sensible 🗸
- \*not to spend too much time on tic tok X (We'll work on this one)







## Barnet, Enfield and Haringey NHS



Mental Health NHS Trust

# MHST Telephone Support Line











Schools are closed and things might be a bit different at the moment. When things are so uncertain it can be difficult to manage our emotions. Would you like to talk to someone about how you feel?

We're the Haringey Mental Health Support Team (MHST) and we're here to help! Call us on the number below.

Who are we? A team of Mental Health Practitioners When? 9am-3pm Monday-Friday.

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This uncertain time may present unforeseen challenges for children, parents and school staff. It can be difficult to manage emotions at a time like this.

The Haringey Mental Health Support Team (MHST) offers emotional wellbeing support to families and schools, as part of the Haringey Trailblazer project. We are usually based in schools, but during this period of school closure, the MHST is still here to help!

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# **Keeping Safe Online – DfE Guidance**

At this time, when children may be spending **more** time on the internet than usual, it is doubly important that we understand what they are doing (and with whom).

The best way of ensuring that children are safe is to make sure that they are working within your supervision, and that you regularly check what they are doing, and even work with them.

The Department for Education has listed the sites below as being useful for you as parents to make sure you are doing your best to ensure that your children's internet usage is safe and productive.

There is a lot of support available to keep your child safe online. Below are some useful links to help parents and carers:

<u>Thinkyouknow</u> (advice from the National Crime Agency to stay safe online)

<u>Internet matters</u> (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)

<u>Parent info</u> (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)

LGfL (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)

Net-aware (support for parents and careers from the NSPCC)





