

# St Clare's Catholic Primary School



## Newsletter



4th March 2022

### Mrs Charnley's Message:

Wow, what an amazing week in so many ways. We have had quite the World Book Day celebration with dress up day, book treasure hunts, family members coming in to share stories, outdoor reading areas, domino book challenges...there was a real buzz around school about reading. The power of seeing adults reading and sharing their favourite books with children was wonderful. Thank you to all parents, aunties, cousins, grandparents and uncles that were able to spare some time to come and read with the children. We hope you enjoyed it as much as the children did. Thank you so much to staff for all their hard work in preparing such an exciting day filled full of happy memories for our children.

We have also spent time thinking about Lent and how we can live simply in Jesus' image. The children behaved impeccably in Church as we gathered to receive our ashes on Ash Wednesday. This was an opportune moment to reflect upon what is happening in the world. The hardships that people are facing in the Ukraine are staggering and we hold them in our thoughts and prayers. We have been overwhelmed with the generosity and thoughtfulness of the school community. The clothes, toiletries and basic supplies that have been sent in, we hope, will go some way in making a very difficult situation more bearable for those abroad. Thank you very much for your contributions - we are truly living our mission statement of being a 'Christ-centred family'.

Have a wonderful weekend.

**Mrs Charnley and the Staff of Saint Clare's.**



### Headteachers Award

**Little Saplings - Esther**

**Rowan - M. Adil**

**Willow - Leah Manoj**

**Hazel - Farida**

**Beech - Deon**

**Pine - Alayna**

**Elder - Frederick**

**Cherry - Daina**

**Oak - Ben**



## Diary Dates

11th March—Non Uniform Day

6th April—Close for the Easter Holidays

19th April—School Re-opens

**Non Uniform Day**— There will be a non uniform day on 11th March to raise money for outdoor play equipment . Donations of £2 per child or £4 per family can be made via Parentpay.

**World Book Day** - Congratulations to our World Book Day Winners;

Tilly - Hazel

Damon -Cherry

**Pre-Loved Uniform**—Weather permitting there will be pre-loved uniform for sale on the school playground next week. We have summer uniform, jumpers and lots more available. Items will be £2 for uniform with the school logo or 50p for items without.

### Borwick Hall DVD

A DVD will be available for Year 6 of the photos from Borwick Hall. To place an order please make payment of £5 via Parentpay by 11th March. Many Thanks

**Social Media** - You are now able to follow us on the following pages;

Twitter @clareprimary

Instagram @clareprimary

Facebook @clareprimarypreschool

**Donations for Ukraine** - Thank you for all your generous donations of blankets, clothes, toys, toiletries and nappies. One of our families have collected them and they have all been packaged and sent to families from the Ukraine.

