

### Year 5 Mass

We are looking forward to celebrating Year 5 Mass on Tuesday 18th January at 9am in the Main Hall. We are inviting one parent/carer per child. We ask that you kindly use hand sanitiser upon entry to St Catherine's and wear a face covering when on site.

### Would you like the opportunity to socially and physically stimulate your 2 year old?

We have a few morning and afternoon sessions available in our 2 year old provision for anyone who is looking for their child to have fun and interact with their peers. Unlike the 3 year old nursery, there is no limitation to the number of sessions your child can attend. If you would like to have a look around, please get in contact with our EYFS Leader, Una McAuley, by emailing [office@stcatherines.barnetmail.net](mailto:office@stcatherines.barnetmail.net). Further information can also be found on our [Facebook page](#).

### Forest School

This week our Years 2, 3 and 4 children all started Forest School. The Year 2 children worked as a class to make a bridge to get stickman safely from one side of forest school to the other without touching the floor – they demonstrated great engineering skills and it was physically hard work moving all the logs! Year 3 and 4 both explored the area and then used what they could find (including mud as glue) to make a creation of their choice. Most of them worked in small groups with great imagination! They are looking forward to finding out what Mrs Grace has planned for them next week.

It is particularly muddy in our forest school at the moment, so please don't forget to send your child in with wellies or old trainers for them to wear. If you have any old wellies at home that are no longer of use, we would be extremely grateful for any donations.



**Safeguarding is  
our TOP  
priority**

Safeguarding and Child Protection at St Catherine's is EVERYONES responsibility and is taken extremely seriously. Leaflets for parents and visitors outlining the school guidelines on safeguarding are available outside the school office. We also have a dedicated Safeguarding page on our website with a number of associated policies and details of our designated Safeguarding team. Please contact one of the team at any time if you have concerns.

## Online Safety - Family Accounts

In both PlayStation and Xbox, you can set up accounts for children that are linked to parent accounts. This means, the parents (family managers) can manage purchases, play time, access to videos and can disable video and chat messages, making the experience much safer for children. Search Xbox or PlayStation 'family accounts' for more information on how to set this up. Thank you to the parent who shared this excellent tip with us last week.

*God of life, may we be inspired by the miracles that your Son Jesus performed, to do our best to make a real difference to others around the world.*  
*Amen*

### Attendance for W/C 3<sup>rd</sup> January

*Our target attendance is 97%*

This week's winners are:

**EYFS: RN**

**KS1: 1Y**

**KS2: 3B**

RG	94.44%
RN	95.24%
1F	93.26%
1Y	100.00%
2F	93.26%
2W	99.42%
3B	98.88%
3G	87.95%
4B	94.25%
4N	96.67%
5C	96.74%
5MG	93.10%
6S	92.53%
6Sy	86.78%

**Every Day Counts**



## Luke 2: 1 – 11

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2022**

Two days later there was a wedding in the town of Cana in Galilee. Jesus' mother was there, and Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine had given out, Jesus' mother said to him, "They have no wine left."

"You must not tell me what to do," Jesus replied. "My time has not yet come."

Jesus' mother then told the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

The Jews have rules about ritual washing, and for this purpose six stone water jars were there, each one large enough to hold about a hundred litres. Jesus said to the servants, "Fill these jars with water." They filled them to the brim, and then he told them, "Now draw some water out and take it to the man in charge of the feast." They took him the water, which now had turned into wine, and he tasted it. He did not know where this wine had come from (but, of course, the servants who had drawn out the water knew); so he called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone else serves the best wine first, and after the guests have had plenty to drink, he serves the ordinary wine. But you have kept the best wine until now!"

Jesus performed this first miracle in Cana in Galilee; there he revealed his glory, and his disciples believed in him.

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Gospel: John 2:1-11



### House Stars

**Well done to all of our children who have earned stars this week!**

<b>Gabriel</b>	<b>231</b>
<b>Michael</b>	<b>225</b>
<b>Uriel</b>	<b>305</b>
<b>Raphael</b>	<b>495</b>

### The Week Ahead: W/C 17<sup>th</sup> January 2022

Monday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 21 <sup>st</sup>
Reception & Y6 Height and Weight	9am Yr 5 Mass 7:30pm PTA Meeting	9:30am Parent Partnership	Year 5 Netball Tournament	Boys football v Brooklands



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