



Dear Parent and Carers,

We hope that you have had a good weekend and have dried out after such a wet Saturday!

In Collective Worship today, we heard the gospel according to Luke 5: 1-11. Jesus borrows Simon's boat so that he can teach the crowds that are around him on the shore. When he has finished speaking he tells Simon Peter to put out his fishing nets into the water. At this point, they haven't caught anything all night. Simon Peter and his friends put out the nets and they catch so many fish, and they are so heavy, the boat nearly sinks! At the end of the reading the disciples leave everything behind to follow Jesus. From now on they will spend their time with him, sharing his message with other people.

Jesus calls us all to follow him. We thought about how we can follow Jesus in our lives and share his message of love and good news for all people. This week, we will show others that we follow Jesus and share in his love.

Best wishes

Mrs Ashworth (EHT)

Mrs Gilhooly (AHT)

Mrs Rhodes (AHT)

## Family prayer for the Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Loving God,

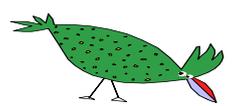
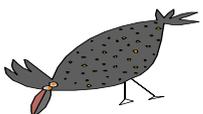
May we try our best to follow your Son and to serve you faithfully each day, in what we do and how we treat others, especially our brothers and sisters who are poor.

Amen.

### Mass

Please visit the websites of our parishes to access the bulletins.

[www.sacredheartilkley.org.uk](http://www.sacredheartilkley.org.uk) and [www.ssfishermore.co.uk](http://www.ssfishermore.co.uk).



This is our third week celebrating the virtue to live by :

### Simplicity

I know what really matters in life. I can give time to think of others, do good and care for creation. Living simply helps me put more trust in God.

“For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.” (Matthew 6:21)



## Ikley Carnival 2022

This much loved event is back after a two year absence. As first place winners at the 2019 Carnival, we are excited to defend our title. The Carnival theme this year is 'Our Planet' and we will be focussing on recycling. We are pledging not to spend any money on new items for our parade and donate all the money we usually spend to an environmental charity.

Firstly, we would like to thank Emma Wood, who was our Carnival Committee leader. She did a brilliant job, for which we are very grateful. Mrs Wood's children have moved onto high school and she is now ready to hand the mantle onto someone else.

The Carnival takes place on the Monday 2nd May so the clock is ticking. We want to create a spectacular entry for the parade with as many of our children as possible taking part. Mrs Gilhooly has kindly agreed to help co-ordinate Sacred Heart's entry this year, but we can't do it without you. This the first real opportunity for the Sacred Heart family to come together in two years and we have all missed that very much. Do you have some spare time to help? There is lots to do and a variety of different jobs so the more volunteers we have the better!

If you are interested in helping out, please email the office. We will have a meeting to discuss further details once our willing volunteers have signed up.

It really is a fantastic event and we hope you will be able to help. Thank you.



## Job Opportunity

We are looking for an enthusiastic individual to join our kitchen team. If you are interested or know someone who might be, please check out the school website. Details will be posted very soon.

## Polite Notice

Over the last few days, we have noticed an increasing number of children coming into the playground unsupervised, before the start of school.

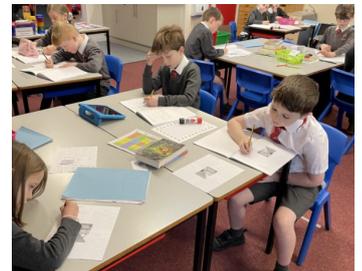
Please can you ensure that children are supervised until teachers greet the children at 8:45am.

Many thanks.

## School Life

We are delighted with the children's behaviour and attitudes. It is wonderful to see them working so hard and enjoying their learning so much.

Even amidst the pandemic, our attendance is above other schools nationally.



## Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time- Upcoming events this week:

**Monday- Collective Worship; Y3/4 PE, Y6 PE; 3.15-4.30pm Lego Club**

**Tuesday- Reception PE; Y5 PE**

**Wednesday- Y1/2 PE; Y2/3 PE; Guitar lessons from 12.40pm.**

**Thursday- Brass lessons from 10:30am. Woodwind lessons from 11.55am;**

**Reception PE; Y5 PE; Reception- Y3 Multi Sports Club 3.15-4.30.**

**Friday- Y6 PE; Y1-6 Dodgeball Club 3.15-4.30pm**

## Upcoming events for Half Term 3

- Tuesday 8th February- Safer Internet Day
- Saturday 12th February- Cross Country, Ghyll Royd School
- Friday 18th February- School closes at 15:15 for half term