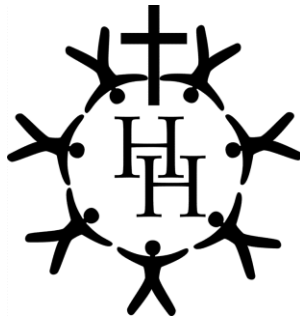


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News Sheet

Discussion topic: "Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that.
Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that." Martin Luther King Jr

2nd October, 2020

Outdoor clothing - Please ensure that children come to school with suitable outdoor clothing for playing outside at playtimes and lunchtimes. Children will be playing outside at these times because the alternative is that they spend all day within one classroom. PE will take place outdoors on PE days as we cannot do this indoors so ensure that children have appropriate outdoor kit on these days. Thank you.

Polite request: out of courtesy for all our school community, please do not smoke around school especially at the school gates/wall. Thank you

Covid-19 Update

Thankfully we have had no more cases in school and, whilst we have had people undertake tests due to potential symptoms, these have all been negative.

May I remind our families that we have local restrictions in place and these need to be followed in addition to (not instead of) national restrictions.

Residents of both Kirklees and Leeds now must not meet or host people they do not live with in private homes or gardens unless they are in their support bubble. They also cannot visit someone else's home or garden even if they live outside of Kirklees, unless they are in their support bubble.

We are all trusting families to stick to these rules to keep us all as safe as possible and so that school can remain fully open as much as possible

Remote Learning Policy

In line with Government guidance, we have produced a Remote Learning Policy which is available on our website [here](#). Should children be self isolating and not ill, they should be accessing and returning home learning on Seesaw.

Harvest Festival

Unfortunately this year, we are not able to hold our usual Harvest Festival service at St Paul's Church at the end of this half term. Rev Mark will be producing an assembly for the children in school and classes will be considering how grateful we should be.

Traditionally, our community is fabulous at collecting for those less fortunate than ourselves at this time and we would like to collect this year for Batley Food Bank. They have requested please donations of non-perishable food (preferably canned goods or cartons rather than packets). Batley Food Bank are short of tinned potatoes, tinned veg, coffee and toiletries. These can be brought to school on the **afternoon of 22nd October, 2020** and left near the benches at the hall entrance. We will keep them in school over the half term and Rev Mark will collect them to donate on our behalf after the holidays.

If you would prefer to give financially, here is the link to click to donate to St Paul's Church (United Benefice of Batley) Online Harvest appeal raising much needed funds for Batley Food Bank. <https://givealittle.co/campaigns/5659a174-0750-4c81-8943-11724c1e600f>. This is an exceptionally worthy local charity which is working particularly hard in the current climate to support those in need within our local community. Please give

"Let all that you do be done in love"