

# Newsletter

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Chipping Norton

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## Second Sunday of Advent

- The Advent Wreath has a circle of evergreen leaves representing God's everlasting love.
- It has four candles representing Jesus, the Light of the World, for each Sunday of Advent.
- Three candles are purple, representing our desire for forgiveness.
- One candle is pink, representing God's free gift of forgiveness.
- An additional white candle represents Jesus, the Light of the World, who came to us on Christmas day.

Dear God,

As we light our candles we remember Jesus who brought light into the world.

Thank you for sending Jesus to teach us of your love.  
Amen

**'WELL DONE!' to the following pupils who received special awards this week:**

Reception Class – Nancy, Leo,

All of Reception

Year 1 – Mariella, Lilly-May S, Nathan

Year 2 – Dexter, Matthew, William

Year 3 – Honour, Seb, All of Year 3

Year 4 – Olivia S, Billy, Finley

Year 5 – Alfie L, Flo, Alejandro

Year 6 – Azul, Stella, James

## Message from the Headteacher

We have had a marvellous week at Holy Trinity and we are full of Christmas spirit.

Our generous PTA funded a whole school trip to The Playhouse in Oxford to see a performance of 'Dick Whittington and his Cat.' The children had a wonderfully action-packed, fun-filled morning at the show and came back full of excitement.

On Wednesday afternoon, Year 3 took part in a Roald Dahl themed dance festival lead by the Chipping Norton School Dance Leaders. The children had a wonderful time and produced some amazing routines.

The PTA are organising an entertaining Christmas Prize Bingo evening tonight and are looking forward to seeing you all there. Doors open at 6.45 and eyes down at 7.30.

The town will gear up for its festivities again on Sunday. Children are invited to join the lantern procession which will start from outside the Town Hall at 5pm. Look out for our Year 5's decorated lanterns.

On Monday, our Year 3's will be performing their Christingle Assembly at 9.10am. Year 3 parents are welcome to join us for the assembly and refreshments afterwards.

Next week is the last week for clubs, including Premier Soccer. A letter has been sent home today with a list of the Spring Term's After School Clubs. Please return your form to the school office as soon as possible. We do not require payment at this stage. Thank you.

Finally, I would like to thank Matt Jackman and his team from Topiarus for coming in to tidy the Prayer Garden despite the dreadful weather.

Have a restful weekend.



## AUTUMN TERM DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 3 Christingle Service
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Reception Class Nativity at 2pm
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Lunch, Children bring a cracker
	Reception and KS1 Christmas Party
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Nativity Performance 1.30pm and 6.00pm. Please can the children come back to school at 5.30pm to get dressed into their nativity costumes
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 Carol Service 1.30pm and 6.00pm. Please can the children come back to school at 5.30pm to get changed
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	End of Term Mass in church at 9.10am
	Finish school for Christmas break at 12.05pm

Return to school on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019

We will be having a collection for Lawrence Nursing Team, Katharine House Hospice and our Reception, KS1 classes at all our performances.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.