



Prestbury Church of England Primary School

Let your light shine that people may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven. (Matthew 5v16)

17th June 2019

Value: Joy

Christian Calendar- Pentecost: Fruit of the Spirit

Dear Parents

The theme for the worship this year is the Christian Calendar when we will celebrate the key Christian dates as they occur and look at other relevant areas in between. This week we continue to look at Pentecost and as part of this focus on the fruit of the Holy Spirit.

One of the gifts of the Holy Spirit is to bear fruit in our lives as Christians. The fruit of the Holy Spirit is – ‘Love, joy, patience, peace, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control’ Galatians Chapter 5. It is quite an amazing and humbling list. This fruit should be evident in our lives as individual Christians and in our school as a Christian community. It is interesting that it is the *fruit* of the Holy Spirit and not the *fruits* of the Holy Spirit - it is not a list to choose from, it is expected that with the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives the fruit will be evident. We need the work of the Holy Spirit in order to be able to bear fruit, it is not an act of will on our part that will bear fruit, and it is being humble enough to accept our need of God and His Holy spirit and being open to such a work. I guess for most of us as Christians the fruit is still growing!

I pray and hope that in our interactions with one another we are able to display the fruit of the Spirit.

Letting their light shine:

The following children received the let your light shine certificate from their class teacher last week:

R Sam and Zach
Y1 Allegra
Y1/2 Erin
Y2 Rosabella
Y3 Ela
Y3/4 Rupert
Y4 Mason
Y5 Rosie
Y5/6 Boris
Y6 all of Year 6

Sports Days – KS1 & KS2

Thursday 20th June – weather permitting: KS2 am/KS1 pm (Reserve date in case of bad weather: Monday 22nd July).

Arriving & Leaving School

Please could everyone arriving and leaving school use the footpath and not walk on the drive or the grass on the other side of the drive. Please could you remind your children of this if they come out of school on their own.

Midday Assistants required

We have paid vacancies available on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. If you are able to support the school, in this role, please get in touch for further details.

There will also be vacancies for every day, in September.

Many thanks, Mrs H Bamford

Tickets for Macclesfield Garden Festival – Christ Church Gardens – Sat 22nd & Sun 23rd June

KS2 Gardening Club have created a garden to show case at this year's Macclesfield Garden festival, I have been able to secure some pre-event tickets at a reduced rate of £1 per ticket. Children under 16 are free. The normal cost is £4 per ticket, which includes at £2 voucher to spend within the show on food, drink or plants. Please note the reduced price tickets do not include this voucher. Please send your money in, in a named envelope FAO myself. There is family entertainment on over Saturday lunch time and Sunday afternoon as well as the floral displays and schools' garden. Mrs H Bamford.

Forthcoming Events in school for the week beginning 17th June 2019

Monday 17 th June	Mr Jones' Class (Y4) Swimming
Tuesday 18 th June	
Wednesday 19 th June	Community Worship Cricket World Cup day
Thursday 20 th June	KS1 and 2 Sports days (weather permitting)
Friday 21 st June	Smokebusters –with Y5

Forthcoming Events in school for the week beginning 24th June 2019

Monday 24 th June	Mr Jones' Class (Y4) Swimming
Tuesday 25 th June	New Reception children: come and play 4-6pm
Wednesday 26 th June	<u>NO</u> Community Worship
Thursday 27 th June	
Friday 28 th June	

David J Capener

Headteacher

PTA News

Hello everyone and welcome to a new week!

A reminder about our fashion and fizz night with the amazing 'Style of my own'. Please put Thursday 11th July in your diaries. There will be a fabulous catwalk show, lots of stalls with high end products, music, fizz and a brilliant raffle. If you are able to donate to our raffle then please let us know ! Every little helps! Tickets will be on sale soon.

Enjoy your week,

PTA team x