



I can't quite believe that we are in October already and a whole month of the school year has passed.

Firstly, all of our thoughts and prayers are with those affected by the shocking incident in Crumpsall yesterday. I understand that people may be worried after this but want to reassure you all that school remains very safe. We will keep working with the council, police and other professionals to make sure that our children stay as safe as they can be.

Lots of great things happened in school this week. Our GIFT Team led the whole school on a creation walk today, despite the weather - you can find out more about that in this newsletter.

Have a great weekend

## October - Month of the Rosary



October is a month dedicated to the Rosary. On Friday 10th and Friday 17th October, we will be praying the Rosary before school at 8.30am, in the Book Den. Families are invited to join us as we pray together.

## GIFT TEAM Creation Walk

*By Sky & Sophia (Y5 GIFT Team)*

On Friday, we did a Creation Walk with each class. This is where we thank God for the creatures and the plants and the creation he has made all around the world. In assembly, we talked about St Francis of Assisi and how he cared for what God made. He didn't just think about wealth - he wanted people to be treated fairly and look after the world.



## Attendance

Well done to RECEPTION for having the best attendance this week.

Letters will be sent next week where attendance is a concern at the start of the year

## Dates coming up...

**7th Oct:** Open Afternoon (1.30pm)

**10th & 17th:** Rosary at 8.30am

**9th Oct** - Y3 Sacramental Programme Meeting at 6.30pm at St Patrick's Church

**10th October:** Non-uniform day - Harvest items

**12th Oct** - Presentation Mass for Sacramental Programme - 9.15am in St Patrick's Church

**17th Oct** - Non-uniform Day - £1 donation to school fund. School closes at 3.15pm

## Open Afternoon -

We have an Open Afternoon next week at St Edmund's on Tuesday 7th October. This is for parents who have children starting school next September or the September afterwards. Please pass this on to anyone you know who may be looking for a school place.

## Non-uniform days

We have two non-uniform days over the next two weeks. On Friday 10th, children can come in their own clothes and we are asking for a donation of canned or dried foods for our harvest. On Friday 17th, we are asking for a donation of £1 towards our school fund.

**Polite Notice:** Please help us to keep our school premises safe by closing the front entrance gate when entering and leaving school. Upon arrival, please use the buzzer to speak to the admin team who will allow you to enter. Thank you for your continued support.