



# St Francis' News

Brother, Sister Let Me Serve You.

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[www.stfrancis.southwark.sch.uk](http://www.stfrancis.southwark.sch.uk)



Monday 29th October 2018  
No: 7

## Mass

Thank you to Miss Finbow and the children of Class A2 for their Mass last half term.

*Dear God,  
We thank you for all you have given us - a lovely world, a happy home, and a good family. Make us always thankful for your gifts.  
Amen*

**Whole School Mass**  
Please join us to celebrate the Feast of All Saints this Thursday, 1st November at 9.30am in the church.  
Class 12 will lead Mass.

## RE Reflection of the Week

*"Dear Young Friends,  
Be brave. Let us learn to face moments of difficulty with courage, certain that the Lord never fails to give his support."  
Pope Francis*

## Autumn Term 2018

### Parents Evening

Thank you to all the Parents & Carers who attended before half term. If you were unable to attend please speak with the class teacher to rearrange a new appointment at a time that is convenient for the teacher as they have already had two very late nights. Letters will be sent to all Parents/ Carers who did not attend.

### The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

Poppies are now available from the school office. We are also selling pencils, reflective badges, erasers, & pencil sharpeners for 50p & rulers for £1 on behalf of the Royal British Legion at pre-set prices. A minimum donation of 20p is acceptable for a standard poppy & 50p for a glitter poppy.  
Please note as this is for charity, no change can be given.

### Photographer:

The photographer will be in school tomorrow  
**TUESDAY 30th OCTOBER**  
The pupils will have individual & sibling photographs taken.  
Please ensure your child attends school looking super smart.  
Remember, no jewellery and correct hairstyles.

### Year 6 Secondary Schools Online Applications

Parents/Carers, you have two days to submit your secondary online application forms. Please check it carefully before submitting. Remember to submit any Catholic supplementary forms to each school by their closing date.

Due to refurbishment work being undertaken at the Peckham Customer Service Point between 15 October 2018 and 2 January 2019, the school admissions weekly drop in surgery will be temporarily based at Tooley Street offices during this period. Please note the following changes to this service:

**Day and time:** Drop in surgery every Wednesday, only on a first come first served basis (during term time), from 9.30am to 3pm.

On Wednesday 28 November only, the drop in surgery will finish early at 12pm. As the surgery operates on a first come first served basis, there may be a short wait before meeting with an officer.

#### **Location**

Southwark Council 160 Tooley Street  
London SE1 2TZ

When you arrive, please let reception staff know that you're here for the school admissions drop in surgery so they can notify our officers to come and see you. Please note, Southwark Council's school admission officers are not trained to assist families with queries relating to early years, nurseries or funding. For families with buggies, we're unable to guarantee that the meeting will take place in a ground floor room. Families can also view further information on the website at

[www.southwark.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-admissions/admissions-drop-in-surgery](http://www.southwark.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-admissions/admissions-drop-in-surgery)

Should families have any queries regarding the drop in surgery, they can email the school admissions team at [schools.admissions@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:schools.admissions@southwark.gov.uk)

# House Points

	KS1	KS2	Total
St. Francis	30	60	90
St. Claire	70	70	140
St. Mary	40	60	100
St. Joseph	40	50	90

## Winning House of the Week



### Clubs & Extra Curricular Activities

#### Violin Lessons

**Friday 3.45pm—4.45pm**

#### Football

**3.45pm—4.30pm**

#### Outdoors

**Tuesday—Girls  
Wednesday—Boys**

#### Reminder:

Pupils are not allowed to leave school premises before or during any after school activity & siblings must be collected at the usual time of 3.30pm as we have no provision for them.

Thank you.

## INSET DAY

**Monday 7th January 2019**

**Staff training.**

**School closed to all pupils.**

**School Reopens**

**Tuesday 8th January 2019**

# Merits

Nursery	Moyomade	Chinwe
F1	Emmanuel O	Nnaemezi
F2	Leon	George A
R1	Jeanette	Dunstant
R2	Jada	Victoria
A1	Samin	Emily
A2	Frances	Ire
N1	Habsann	Qwincy
N2	Adebola	Zoe
C1	Kayla	Malcolm
C2	Abisoye	Oliver
I1	Cristian	Nicole
I2	Chayan	Eniola
S1	Fikunmi	Melanie
S2	Queenship	Mary

## Playground Prize Winners

**Samiat  
Class I1**

**Precious  
Class I1**

**Ebenezer  
Class N2**



## Stars of the week



## Diary Dates

### Tuesday 30th October

Photographer on site  
Reception Reading Workshop  
for Parents/ Carers

### Thursday 1st November

Whole school Mass 'All Saints Day'  
9.30am in church

### Thursday 8th November

Year 6—Outing to the  
Horniman Museum

### Tuesday 13th November

Weigh & Measure  
Reception & Year 6

### Wed. 14th & Thurs. 15th November

Children in Need Cinema Nights

### Friday 16th November

Children in Need Friendship Fun Day

Nursery	Ariana
F1	Marvellous
F2	Emile
R1	Sorochukwu
R2	Obed
A1	Sofia A
A2	Sophia
N1	Nicole
N2	Georgia
C1	Elizabeth
C2	Kayla
I1	Emmanuel
I2	Frida
S1	Chukwunonso
S2	Ashley

## Cold Weather

Please ensure that your child comes to school everyday with a warm coat, hat & gloves to wear at playtime and lunchtime.