

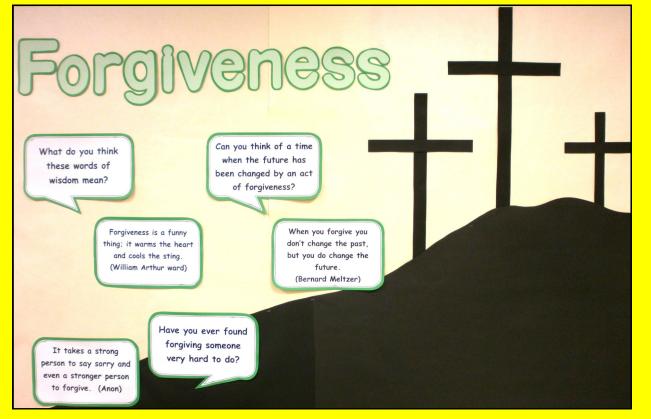
Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a busy week at All Saints and the focus has very much been on Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday. It was lovely to see so many of you being able to join our Ash Wednesday service which was expertly led by Mother Su. Her talk about new beginnings through forgiveness provided a lot of food for thought. Thank you also to our House Captains for their thoughtful poems they wrote for our service.

Our value for the half-term is 'Forgiveness', linking closely with events leading up to Easter. Forgiveness is the means by which damaged relationships are restored. It is an act of will, motivated by love. For Christians, Jesus' death on a cross is the ultimate revelation of God's all forgiving love, and his sacrifice stands as a source of inspiration to forgive to others, no matter what the cost. Please take some time to study the Home/School values resource with your child and remember, you are always welcome to join our whole school Collective Worship on Mondays, 10:20-10:40am, to learn more about our values education. Please just let the School Office know if you would like to join us.

I wish you a relaxing and an enjoyable weekend!

Heidi Otranen Headteacher



## Prayers wrítten by House Captains for Ash Wednesday's Service

Heavenly Father, Sorry that we have sinned against you. Please help us to forgive those who sin against us. Thank you for those who help us to forgive each other. Amen	Dear God, Thank you for your forgiveness of our sins and the times you have helped us. Please help us to forgive those who have sinned against us and help us not to sin against them either.
Dear God, Thank you for all of our friends and family. Please help us to apologise when we do wrong and to forgive when they apologise to us. Amen	Heavenly Creator, Thank you for forgiving our sins when we do wrong. Please help us to forgive others as you would for us. Amen



Early Years Foundation Stage's Pancake Day was a real success! The children worked brilliantly in mixed year teams. They took part in a pancake relay race and an obstacle relay race. The highlight, of course, was eating the pancakes! The classes also talked about their pancake promises for Lent. The EYFS team also ran a sponsored pancake flip to see how many times the children could toss a pancake in a minute. The funds from this will be used to improve the EYFS outside track area. The rest of the school also enjoyed pancakes for pudding during lunch. Thank you to Mrs Barnard, our cook, for ensuring that over 200 children had pancakes!



## Spring Term 2017 Dates

Date	Event	
Wed 8th March	Parent Consultation Evening, 3:30-5:30pm	
Thurs 9th March	Parent Consultation Evening, 3:30-4:10pm & 5-7:30pm	
• Tues 14th March	Whole School Science Investigation Day	
Fri 17th March	• 'Bubbles' Science workshops for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2	
	Year 2 Class Assembly at 2:45pm	
Sat 18th March	PTA Quiz Night	
• Tues 21st March	Puppets Galore Easter Assembly for EYFS & Key Stage 1	
Thurs 23rd March	Year 2 trip to London	
	Year 6 Music Festival at Rhodes Centre	
• Fri 24th March	PTA School Disco	
	5:30 to 6:30pm—Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and 2	
	6:45 to 8pm—Years 3,4,5 and 6	
Mon 27th March	Year 3&4 Show Dress Rehearsal at 10am	
Tues 28th March	Year 3&4 Show Afternoon Performance at 2pm	
Wed 29th March	Year 3&4 Show Evening Performance at 6:30pm	
Fri 31st March	Easter Service at All Saints School—10am (all welcome)	
	Spring Term finishes at 1:30pm	

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Please note more dates will be added accordingly.