

# St James the Great Catholic School Newsletter

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## The Importance of Knowing!



"By this love you have for one another, everyone will know that you are my disciples"

In the Fifth week of Easter, the Gospel begins to prepare us for Jesus returning to his Father and the message that he leaves us with is one of our Christian identity - 'they will know us by our love'.

### Statutory Assessment Tests

Well done to our Year 6 pupils and staff who gave this week's National tests their very best, great work! Next week our younger pupils in Year 2 will be starting their important checks too. Well done and good luck!

**Saving Club open**

WEDNESDAY 8:30 -9:00

### Important dates and events

16<sup>th</sup> May - May Procession to the Church

19<sup>th</sup> May Reading Workshop for parents

Nursery, Reception & Year 1

26<sup>th</sup> May - Ascension Thursday

27<sup>th</sup> May - End of Half Term (finish 3:30)

### Altar Servers Wanted!

The Fr Jack and our parish are looking to recruit more servers.

If you are in **Year 5 or 6** and would like to make a faithful, regular, commitment to being a Server, please go along to church this Saturday between 2 & 3 pm.

This is a great way of helping in the parish liturgy and (especially Year 6) keeping in touch when you go off to Secondary school!

### Getting out to enhance learning

Since last Friday we have had a number of



interesting and enriching learning opportunities outside of school.

Year 5 visited the Horniman Museum for Science where the children were discovering what products are made from plants and how seeds are dispersed by animals.

And both the Early Years classes visited Surrey Docks farm.

✠Parish website: [www.stjamesthegreatpeckham.org](http://www.stjamesthegreatpeckham.org)

*May is the month of Our Lady,  
Please say a decade of the Rosary in your homes each week.*



*Our Lady, Queen of Peace .*

*Pray for the Ukraine & Russia. Pray for us.*

### 'St James the Great Awards'

#### 'Science - investigation'

Pupils of achievement are as follows:

Princess & Rosie, Anjolaoluwa & Christina, Lawrence & Oyin, Kenny & Tina and Kairo & Faridah

#### 'Inquisitive Learner'

follows up their questions by actively seeking and find out more

Pupils of achievement are as follows:

Jason, Nfemi, Anaya, Jayden & Daniel

#### 'Pupil Leaders'

Reading Buddies Year 6

Michael, Delina, Michelle, Rosie, Nelly & Rebecca.

*Well Done Everyone!*

**St James the Great, Pray for us.**