

# St James the Great Catholic School Newsletter

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## Easter: witness to our faith



Our May Procession leaves school.

Still celebrating Easter but five weeks into May we set out with a crown of flowers to the church on our May Procession. Heralded with trumpets and song, we said the fifth Glorious Mystery of the rosary: the Crowning of Mary, Queen of heaven and placed the crown on Mary's statue. We paid joyful witness to our heavenly mother Mary.

SCHOOL UNIFORM next sales day:  
THURSDAY 9<sup>th</sup> JUNE

## Visiting our neighbours in Queen's Oak Residential Home



How pleasant it was! Our Recorder group made up of pupils from Years 3 & 4 went along to entertain the residents with their music. They were a lovely audience and the staff treated the children to some well earned cake and drinks afterwards. Before we went Bernard enquired if we were going in order to 'bring joyfulness'? He was right but the experience was a shared one!

## Important dates and events

26<sup>th</sup> May - Ascension Thursday Mass at 10am in the church.

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

## London Fire Brigade - free visit

Did you know? Trained staff can visit your home to advise on fire risk. You will get a free, fitted smoke alarm too. To arrange a Home Fire Safety Visit:

Freephone 08000284428

Email: [smokealarms@london-fire.gov.uk](mailto:smokealarms@london-fire.gov.uk)

**NB: School Gate closes at 8:55 am**

✠ 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'

### 'Maths - number facts including x tables'

Pupils of achievement are as follows:

Ini & Michael, Leah-Mae & Danielle,  
Chidera & Lawrence, Kyle & Nhyira and  
Timi & Ese.

### 'Disciplined Learner'

Wants to practise the things they find difficult, until they can do it. Pupils of achievement are as follows:

Mason, Joel, Evie, Anaiah & Millie

### 'Pupil Leaders'

Reading Buddies Year 6 (cont.)

Ini, Tommy & Roxanne

*Well Done Everyone!*

*St James the Great, Pray for us.*



This week we lived our Gospel Values in a very visible way through the May Procession and the visit to Queens Oak Residential Home

