

February

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S Finbar's
Catholic Primary School

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Keeping you informed

FEBRUARY

The month of February is dedicated to the Holy Family.



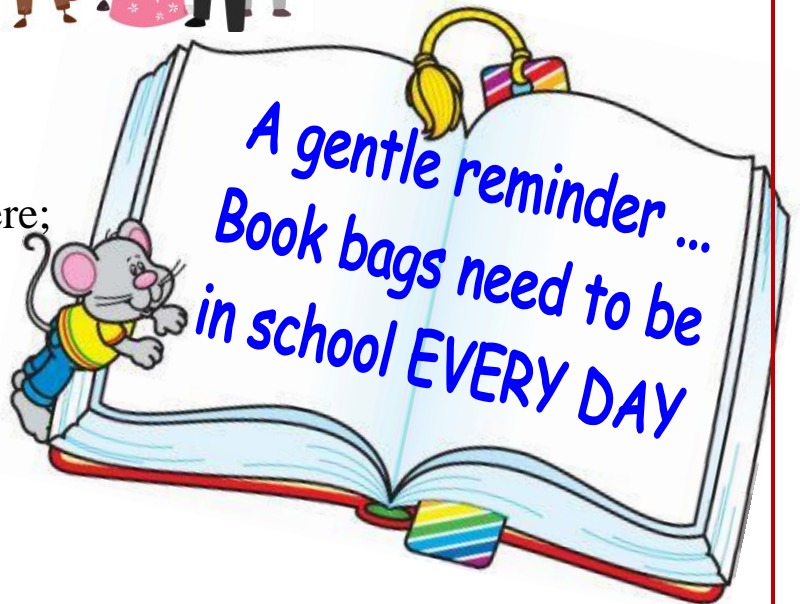
The Wednesday Word:

Wednesday ~	The Word:
7 th February	Compassion "The compassion of God, his suffering-with-us, gives meaning to our struggles and our suffering." Pope Francis
14 th February	Lent "I hope that we all will live Lent well, following Jesus and carrying within us a ray of his love for all those we meet." Pope Francis
21 st February	Sacred Where is your sacred place? Where do you pray or feel most at peace or closest to God?

Newsletter

Open a Book - By Jane Baskwill

Open a book
And you will find
People and places of every kind;
Open a book
And you can be
Anything that you want to be;
Open a book
And you can share
Wondrous worlds you find in there;
Open a book
And I will too
You read to me
And I'll read to you.



Coming soon ...

- Parents Computing course – starts Tuesday 20th February – please sign up at Reception desk
- Funky Movers - fun after-school for Reception children starts Tuesday 20th February – run by Commutual
- Yum Yum Yummies, Nutrition Club for children and parents together - run by Commutual starting on Thursday 22nd February

HELP US TO HELP YOU!



To help ease congestion in the small waiting area, it would be helpful if parents who need to speak to Reception desk staff (Mrs Dudley or Mrs Monaghan) come to the desk as soon as the gate opens. This will avoid the inevitable queue

that forms at 3:15 when everyone comes in at once!



Dates for your



February	
Friday 2nd	NSPCC Number Day – children and staff dress up in numbers/maths symbols – Pay £1
Monday 19th	Inset Day – SCHOOL CLOSED for children
Tuesday 20th	Parents IT course 9:00 – 11:00 a.m.
Tuesday 20th	Funky Movers after school club for Reception children
Thursday 22nd	Yum Yum Yummies after school club for Year 2 children with parents
Friday 23rd	9:15 a.m. Year 3 Assembly - Democracy
Wednesday 28th	28 February to 2 nd March Year 6 at Colomendy
March	
Thursday 8th	9:15 a.m. Y1 and Y2 Assembly – Good Shepherd
Thursday 8th	Mothers Day Sale! Children will need pocket money.
Tuesday 20th	Parents Evening – School Nurse will be available
Wednesday 21st	Parents Evening
Wednesday 21st	Reception health screening – School Health



School is **closed** on **Monday 19th February** for staff training.

FEBRUARY:

The name February is based on the Latin *februarius*, from *februa* which was the name of a purification feast held on 15th February.

Birthstone: Amethyst

Flower: Violet or Primrose

French: Fevrier



And finally ...

Q: How do you make a fire with two sticks?

A: Make sure one of them is a match!