

Christmas wishes and thank you!



Our Lady of Peace RC Primary

Dear Parents/Carers, families and friends,

As we prepare to close for the Christmas holidays, I want to wish you and your families, on behalf of severyone here at Our Lady of Peace, a most happy and restful time.

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"I thank you so very much for the support you have given us this year, it is hugely appreciated.

The children enjoyed recently, a range of Christmas activities, especially around their understanding of the Holy Family in The Nativity. Santa was given his rightful place too and loved visiting the boys and girls!

The traditional Christmas Lunch, served by our wonderful dinner ladies (even with ovens down...but we won't go there!) was such a treat and everyone had a good feast!

We had a truly humbling moment when an unidentified Tesco customer paid a £308 bill for all the Christmas Party treats...he just happened to see all the goodies awaiting collection and offered to pay! Now isn't that a lovely story? Big hearts in the East End, is what I say!

Our school Fayre was a huge success and thanks to your support and our amazing staff for running it, a grand total of £1,642.56 was raised. This has boosted the school fund which helps us provide treats, resources, etc. for the children.

Thank you to Primary 6 who led this year's almsgiving to raise money for Mary's Meals. A total of £100 was raised through the raffle and we will add the £88 from the Christmas Jumper Day donations. This will be further topped up to present a cheque for £300 to Mary' Meals when they visit in January 2023!

One last Christmas heart warmer; we have just been given a variety of new toys from a local charity and will raffle these before we finish up! Fingers crossed that your child comes home with a lovely surprise today.

School closes at 2.30pm Thursday 23rd December and will re-open on Wednesday 4th January

'I wish you and your families a lovely Christmastime.

Warmest regards,
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