











St Michael's Mail

Issue 6: Monday 7th October 2019

    	<h3>Dates for your diary</h3> <p>8th Oct – adult accompanied lunches Nursery & Reception 9th Oct – adult accompanied lunches Year 1 & 2 10th Oct – adult accompanied lunches Y3 & Y4 22nd Oct – Parents afternoon / evening - school closes at 2pm 22nd Oct – Book Fair 24th Oct – Messy Harvest 25th Oct – Inset Day 28th – 1st Nov – Half term 12th Nov – school photos 13th Nov – Parent activity session 13th Nov – Y3 Bosworth Battlefield 20–22 Nov – Whitemoor Lakes 29th Nov – Non Uniform Day 4th Dec – Early years evening nativity 5th Dec – Early years morning nativity 12th Dec – nativity morning performance 13th Dec – nativity evening performance 9th Dec – Immunisation Day 17th Dec – Nursery & Whole School Disco 20th Dec – Christmas Panto at Lichfield Garrick to see Cinderella</p>	<h3>Mathematician and Writer of the month</h3> <p>Reception Elliott – Maths Ava – Writer</p> <p>Y1 Iskren – Maths Isabella – Writer</p> <p>Y2 Grace – Maths Phoebe – Writer</p> <p>Y3 Evie – Maths Alice – Writer</p> <p>Y4 Joseph – Maths Eden – Writer</p>	<h3>Congratulations to last week's Headteacher's Award winners</h3> <p>Reception Max Ethan Bella Y1 Tommy Kirsten Jack Had Y2 Hollie Flynn Lois Y3 Daniel Cillian Elsie Y4 Oak Alfie Jessica</p>
    	<h3>Weekly round up – Y3</h3> <p>This week in Year 3 we have been busy writing our own poems for a Lichfield Cathedral competition. We decided to write metaphor poems based on the competition's theme of 'Awe and Wonder' in relation to the 50th Anniversary of the first Moon Landing!</p> <p>In our Topic lessons, we became Rock detectives for the week, comparing and grouping different types of rocks. We loved testing the properties of the different rocks in terms of their permeability, density and durability. We concluded that igneous and metamorphic rocks tended to have similar properties to one another.</p> <p>Attendance Winners last week were Year 2 with 100%. Well done!</p>	<h3>School notices</h3> <p>Messy Harvest – 24th October We will be holding our Messy Harvest in St Michael's Church on Thursday October 24th at 9.30am. Everyone is welcome to come and join in the fun. The children will be taking part in different crafts followed by a whole school worship. We will be collecting food for the Cannock and District Foodbank. This year, the food bank have asked us to choose three specific products to collect, we have chosen Coffee, Biscuits, and Squash.</p> <p>Please could you put any food donations in a carrier bag with your child's name on so that they can carry it to church and we can easily identify it when we give the donations.</p> <p>Reminder please get your time booked for parents afternoon / evening on 22nd October</p> <p>Reminder: Lunchtime is now 12pm so anyone attending adult lunches should please arrive by 11:50am.</p>	

Our half term Christian Value is **Kindness**
This week's focus is: **Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead John 11:38-44**