

# St. Faith's Church of England Infant and Nursery School Family Newsletter



30<sup>th</sup> January 2026



Dear parents, carers, families and friends,

We have been delighted to see the sun this week – how we have missed it! Despite the gloomy weather, the stars have shone inside! A special mention to the Year 2's this week, who have blown us away with their amazing story writing! To see their progress from September is incredible. We are so proud of them.

It was lovely to see so many of you at our Family Drop-in this week. We do hope that you enjoyed looking at your child's work together. In March we will be holding our Parent's Evenings. Information will be sent out after half term about this. In the meantime, we do have an open-door policy, so you can speak to your child's class teacher(s) at any time if you have any questions or concerns.

On Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February it is Internet Safety day. Gov.uk have recently released and updated their website which can be found here:

[https://kidsonlinesafety.campaign.gov.uk/?es\\_c=C0CF08BB800500A85241C91AEB1C26D3&es\\_cl=85E2650FAA888273143D54561D7CD26B&es\\_id=ph7%C2%A322](https://kidsonlinesafety.campaign.gov.uk/?es_c=C0CF08BB800500A85241C91AEB1C26D3&es_cl=85E2650FAA888273143D54561D7CD26B&es_id=ph7%C2%A322)

We have added some new diary dates, up until Easter, so please do have a look!

Have a lovely weekend and thank you for your continued love and support.

Warmest wishes

Amanda Konrath,

Head teacher



## Compassion

We have had many hearts returned to us from home, telling us what your children have been doing at home to show compassion. Please do keep sending them in, as we love finding out about all of the lovely things they are doing. Some wonderful examples include making a card for mummy when she had a tough day at work, sharing toys with younger siblings, wiping tears away and helping elderly neighbours. Wow!

## Diary Dates – new dates added for the Spring term

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February	National Storytelling Week School Council to Cloverleaf
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February	Year 2's visiting the Central Library
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Reception visit to Lincoln Zoo
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	Children's Mental Health Week Marvellous Me Monday
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	Family Reading 8.50am - 9.10am
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	Internet Safety Day
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February	FOSF Valentine Disco
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	Last day of the Spring term
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	Back to school
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 2 Family Worship for families
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day Family Reading 8.50am - 9.10am Coffee Morning for our International Families
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Governor Open morning 9am – 11am
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Young Carers Action Day
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day FOSF Cake Sale
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Family Progress Evening 3.40pm - 5.40pm
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Family Progress Evening 3.40pm - 5.40pm
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Family Progress Evening 4pm - 6pm
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 1 Family Worship for families
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Feel Fabulous Friday
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Service at the Church
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	FOSF Easter Disco
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Last day of term

### We will be celebrating National Story Telling Week next week

*The theme for National Storytelling Week 2026 is 'soundtrack your story'. Everyone has their own musical story - whether it's in the songs we love and the music we dance to, through British Sign Language and the rhythms we feel, the soundscapes of everyday life, or the soundtracks we hear in films and games. Music connects us to words. It helps us express who we are and how we see the world.*

We will be weaving in lots of wonderful opportunities for storytelling throughout the week and exploring familiar and new stories. This may be through role play, art, music, singing or drawing. It would be wonderful if you could participate at home and share as many stories with your child as possible. Perhaps you could make story time feel different by reading in a den, or with a torch in the dark or cosy up with a hot chocolate. Reading for pleasure is so important for our children and weeks like this really reinforce what a lovely thing it is to do together.

We would love to see any photos of you sharing stories together at home so please do email your child's class teacher or attach to tapestry so we can see them.

### Coffee Morning for our International Families: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March

We are inviting our lovely families who have English as an additional language for tea/ coffee and cake on 6<sup>th</sup> March, to chat to you about school, attendance, the curriculum etc – and answer any questions you may have.

We will be joined by someone who works with international families across the county. We do hope you can join us – more information will follow nearer the time.