

# St Thomas' Church of England Junior and Infant School

## Newsletter—16th December 2022

**Our Value for December is Joy.**

**We have loved the opportunity to enjoy all the Christmas activities with the children these past two weeks. Thankyou for coming along to support our events.**

### Wigan Big Sing

The children in Year 5 represented our school at the music festival, arranged by Wigan music service. There were over 10 schools taking part. The children worked really hard at school to learn all the songs in preparation for the concert. They did really well with their performance and we were very proud of them all. Thankyou to all the parents who came along to support the event.



### Christmas Concerts

It has been a long time coming, but we have finally been able to perform Christmas concerts in school again for parents. The children in Key Stage 2 gave 2 brilliant performances of the Christmas story, told through narration and a variety of songs. The children in Reception and Key Stage 1 performed Whoops a Daisy Angel. Well done to all the children for learning their parts and all the songs. We enjoyed watching their performances.

### Christmas Enterprise

Our enterprise was a huge success on Thursday afternoon. The children had made a range of goodies which proved to be very popular. Thankyou for supporting the event. The profits for each class will be used to purchase games and activities to be used by the children during indoor playtimes.

### A few reminders...

**Christmas party day for all children is Monday 19th December. Children need to come in their party clothes. We will be doing the Santa Dash on that day also, so please send your child with joggers or leggings, a t-shirt, fleece or hoodie plus trainers and spare socks.**

**Christmas dinner is on Tuesday 20th of December.**

**School finishes for Christmas on December 20th and re-opens on January 4th.**

### Attendance

Reception—95%

Year 1—90%

Year 2—93%

Year 3—92%

Year 4—95%

Year 5—92%

Year 6—94%



**Thank you for all your support throughout the year.**