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### Prayer & Liturgy

#### In the Gospel this week...

This week marks the start of the season of Advent. In school the children have made Advent promises and we will light the first purple candle on our Advent wreath. This week we will be thinking about what hope the birth of Jesus brings.



#### In the Gospel next week...

We will light the second candle on our Advent wreath. We will be thinking about how to spread peace and praying for a more peaceful world. On **Thursday 8th December** the whole school will be going to church for our Advent Mass at 2pm. All families are very welcome to join us in church.



Please click [here](#) to view the Wednesday Word for this week.

# St. Bernadette's Newsletter

W/B 28th Nov 22 - every fortnight

## What's been happening in school!

### Crucial Crew

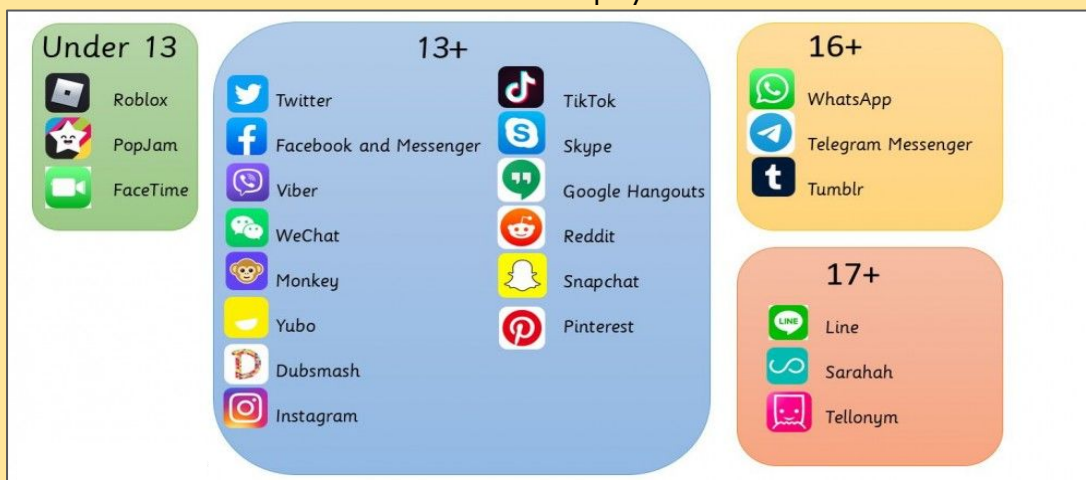
Class 6 took part in a Stockport Crucial Crew workshop on Wednesday 23rd November. This is a multi-agency safety event aimed at Year 6 children designed to provide them with life skills that will enable them to keep themselves and others safe.

### Upcoming events- Save the Date

- Monday 28th Nov - Yr 6 School Trip
- 8th Dec- Whole Sch Advent Mass. Families welcome to attend. 2pm in church.
- 13th Dec - FS Christmas Performance. 9:30am and 2pm
- 14th Dec- Christmas and Dinner and Jumper Day
- 15th Dec - KS1 Christmas Performance. 9:30am and 2pm
- 16th Dec - KS2 Christmas Performance. 9:15am and 2pm
- 19th Dec - Panto in school. £6 per child. Please pay via School Spider.
- 20th Dec- Christmas Fayre in School
- 21st Dec - Panto at Romiley Forum
- 22nd Dec - Christmas Parties
- School closes at 3pm

## E-Safety

Most social media apps are unsuitable for primary school children. Click the picture to find out the risks and how to keep your children safer.



## The Magic Man at St. Bernadette's

Some pupils in Year 6 were lucky enough to have Rob from 'Magic Skills For Schools' teaching them over the past few weeks.

Developing magic skills boosts confidence, self-esteem and social skills. In addition, it develops manual dexterity, memory, coordination, presentation, reasoning and verbal skills. The underlying concept at the heart of the programme is simple - magic increases a child's self-belief because once they can do something that's really amazing, it has the potential to change their whole outlook.

Look at the gallery on page 3 to see what they have achieved.

## Practically Perfect School Uniform

Don't forget that we have lots of practically perfect uniform on sale. Most items are 50p or £1. Come to the main foyer at the front of school if you need any items of clothing.

## ELSA at St. Bernadette's

### What is ELSA?

In schools, ELSA stands for Emotional Literacy Support Assistant. ELSA support in schools is a project designed to help schools support the emotional needs of their pupils.

ELSA acknowledges that children and young people learn best when they feel happier and their emotional needs are being addressed.

Mrs Rasheed is our qualified ELSA and she will be working with children to support their emotional needs.

Congratulations to her on achieving this qualification and we look forward to seeing our pupils flourish and achieve great things.

## Children In Need

A huge thank you to everyone who donated money for Children In Need. We raised **£92.50** and this will be sent to support this great charity.





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