



# St Luke's C of E Primary School Newsletter

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2025  
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Go, shine in  
the world



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all the parents, relatives and friends who attended our Spring Term Music Concerts yesterday. We all enjoyed watching the children showcase their talents and 'Shine in the World'. If you would like your child to learn a musical instrument in school, then please contact the school office who will be able to give you more information.

Best wishes, Mr Smith (Head of School) and Mr Webb (Executive Headteacher)

## The school day...

The school gate opens at **8:40am**, and lessons begin at this time. Children must be in their seats and ready to start the day by **8:50am** at the latest.



Children who arrive after this time will miss the beginning of their first lesson. It also means that their start to the day can feel rushed as they do not have time to start or complete their work properly. As a result, they may not feel fully prepared to start the first lesson.

Please ensure your child is here by **8:50am** at the latest so that they do not miss out on this crucial part of the day. Thank you for your help with this :)

## Spring Term Music Concert

Yesterday, our pupils performed with **Excellence, Inspiration and Determination** in our Spring Term Music Concerts. Each class performed songs from a range of genres with some individual musical performances too.



## Y2 and Y3 Children Leading Worship

At St Luke's, children plan and lead worship every week and think about the ways that they can '**Shine in the World**' through their actions.

Thank you to the parents who joined us for these services this week.



## Red Nose Day

Families at St Luke's show our values of **Compassion, Community and Respect** by supporting others who are less fortunate than themselves through raising money for charity. **Red Nose Day** will be taking place on **Friday 21st March**. This is a day where money is raised for Comic Relief, a charity that supports vulnerable communities in the UK and internationally. This year, we are asking the children to bring in a £1 donation for Comic Relief. We have bought a red nose for every pupil and the children will be given these on Red Nose Day. Please bring in your £1 donation on Friday 21st March when we will also have a special Red Nose Day assembly.



I have received and read the **St Luke's CE Primary School** newsletter of **14.03.25**

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

## Important dates for your diary...



**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> March**—Y4 visit to the British Museum

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> March**—Y1 Children Leading Worship—Parents welcome (3pm)

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March**—Y5 Children Leading Worship— Parents welcome (3pm)

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March**—Red Nose Day (please bring in a £1 donation on the day for your child's red nose)

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March**—Y4 Children Leading Worship—Parents welcome (3pm)

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> March**—YR visit to Hampstead Heath

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March**—Non-uniform Day (children donate £1 to charity to wear their own clothes)

**Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March**—Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 visiting St Luke's church for Stations of the Cross

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April**—Last day of the Spring Term (staggered end of the day)

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April**—Children back at school

## Attendance...

Congratulations to **Reception** who have been awarded Luke, our Attendance Bear, for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** last week.

**Reception** had a class attendance of **99%**!

Please make sure your child is in school every single day unless they are too unwell to come to school.

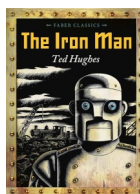
A reminder that gates open at **8:40am** and children should be in school by **8:50am** ready to start their learning.



## Work of the Week!



This week's brilliant piece of work displayed in the school lobby is by **Anila, in Year 4.**



This term, Year 4 have been reading *The Iron Man* by Ted Hughes.



Anila has written a retell of the opening of the book and has included a range of carefully chosen adjectives and adverbs. She has also used a variety of powerful devices such as personification and onomatopoeia to create suspense and make it engaging for the reader.

Anila's work is presented neatly, using consistent joined-up handwriting.

**Well done, Anila !**



## Our Prayer of the Week

**We are currently in the period of Lent**  
Dear God,

As we walk up our mountain this Lent  
Help us in our prayers,  
In the silence of our hearts,  
To know we are loved.  
Help us to see  
With the eyes of compassion  
So that we become aware  
Of the needs of others.



Amen

## Person of the Week!

**Reception** - Hasanat  
**Year 1** - Zainab  
**Year 2** - Thandie  
**Year 3** - Kaison  
**Year 4** - Zara  
**Year 5** - Kyreis  
**Year 6** - Safwan



## Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...

If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Mr Smith or Ms Marsham. **We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.**

