



# St Anthony's Newsletter



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## The Environment



Following the visit from CAFOD speaker, Ruth Sinclair-Jones, St Anthony's has committed to making the world a better place by following Pope Francis' message to the world, **Laudato si**.

Children have begun by making small changes and every class has written a pledge to say what they will do to protect the environment.

Your child will be bringing home a postcard with the above picture on it. Find out more about **Laudato si** with your child. CAFOD has a range of resources to help.

## Parent and Carer Survey

Our questionnaire for parents and carers to express their views about our school is now live. We very much value your views so please take the time to complete it. The link has been sent alongside this newsletter via parentmail.

## Parent-Teacher Meetings

### Tuesday and Wednesday next week

Make sure you have booked an appointment to speak to your child's teacher. These meetings are an excellent way to discuss how parents and teachers can cooperate to obtain the best possible outcomes for children

The online booking service is now open. Go to <https://stanthonysdulwich.parenteveningsystem.co.uk/>

## Safeguarding: online safety

We draw your attention to Parent Zone, an advice service for parents and schools. The site contains a wealth of up-to-date information on keeping children safe when online.

<https://parentzone.org.uk/home>

## STEM

One of our parents, Mr Murdock (an engineer for TfL), came into school today to talk to St Francis' Class about electricity, fire and fire safety.

He will be back soon to talk to St Therese's Class.



## Girls' Football

The London PE and School Sports Network is to launch its first Girls only (age 5-11) after school football/Multi-Sport club which will commence on **Wednesday 1st May at Michael Faraday Primary School, Portland St, London SE17 2HR 4.15-5.15pm**



For more details see <http://www.thefa.com/news/2017/apr/25/sse-wildcats-football-clubs-launch-260417> (note, this link has also been sent out via Parentmail)

## Attendance

School attendance: 97.23% Best class: St Peter (98.26%)

## Key Dates

- 27th and 28th March** (Wed, Thurs): Parent-teacher meetings
- 3rd April** (Wed): Years 3 and 4 production 2pm
- 4th April**: Lent liturgy in St Thomas More Church 2pm
- 5th April**: end of term (2pm)



- ◆ The Wednesday Word this week is **CHANGE**
- ◆ This Sunday is the **3rd Sunday of Lent**; the Gospel is from **Luke 13: 1-9** (the parable of the fig tree)
- ◆ **St Anne's and St Agnes' (Year 2)** classes will be attending the 09:30 Mass next Tuesday (**Matthew 23:1-12** *You have only one teacher, Christ*)
- ◆ **STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** the chaplaincy team is offering a short liturgy every Friday lunchtime (1pm) during Lent; today the focus was Stations 6 to 10 (using the CAFOD Stations of the Cross)
- ◆ CAFOD has a Lent calendar for children which the school will be following <https://cafod.org.uk/Pray/Lent-Calendar>

Dear Lord,  
I hope that all the people  
of the world can survive  
with this polluted air.  
Please help us follow  
your path.  
Amen

Thanks to Amanda  
in St Patrick's Class  
for this lovely  
prayer.



## St Thomas More parish news

**Stations of the Cross:** every Friday at 7pm

**Early Mass:** 7am on Wednesdays during Lent

**Sunday Mass times:** Saturday 6.30 pm (vigil Mass)  
Sunday 8.30am, 10.00am,  
12.00 noon, 5.30pm

**Youth-led Mass** – Sunday 31 March at 5.30 pm. Young people of the parish will read, take up the offertory and lead the music. All young people are encouraged to get involved.

Parish email: [dulwich@rcaos.org](mailto:dulwich@rcaos.org)

Telephone: 020 8693 5070

## Religious Education

Children are now learning about Lent and Easter in their RE lessons. They will learn that this is a special time of giving in different ways and remembering the total giving of Jesus.

## Football news

### Bellenden Tuesday Primary Football League Tables/Fixtures 2018/2019

#### Boys Group A

Position	Team	P	W	D	L	Pts
1	Bellenden	4	4	0	0	12
2	John Donne	4	2	1	1	9
3	St Anthonys	4	2	1	1	9
4	Pilgrims Way	4	1	0	3	6
5	Harris Peckham	4	0	0	4	4

#### Girls Group A

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1	Bellenden	3	3	0	0	9
2	St Anthonys	3	1	1	1	6
3	John Donne	3	1	1	1	6
4	Harris Peckham	3	0	0	3	3

## FOSTAS News

**Easter Egg Art Competition** Entries should in be by 1st April.  
Great prizes!

## Sydenham Hill Wood Dad's Day

**This Sunday, 24th March**, Sydenham Hill Wood. A free fun day for dads and their children, organised by the London Wildlife Trust. Suitable for children of all ages. Contact Diana Wallace: [dwallace@wildlondon.org.uk](mailto:dwallace@wildlondon.org.uk). Southwark residents only

## Puzzle Corner

Here is another Hindu problem

Three travellers arrived at an inn and ordered a dish of potatoes. When the potatoes were cooked they were all asleep. The first woker up and ate one third of the potatoes and went back to sleep. The second woke up and also ate 1/3 of the potatoes he found. The third did the same, just eating 1/3 of what he found. In the morning there were 8 potatoes left; how many had there been originally?



**Last week's solution:** 40 coins