



The Messenger



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'Nurturing Hearts and Minds'



*Christmas Blessings
to all, this Holy
season from us all at
St Gabriel's.*

Dear Parents, we made it, you've made it to the end of term and the children have certainly made this term a memorable and joyous one! Our Reception and Year 1 Nativities took place to great acclaim over the past two weeks, we've had our Christmas lunches and class parties, we've sung outside to you and ate lots of mince pies which has all added to the joy we have tried to create this year. This term has had its challenges, but the children have been brilliant again.

Thank you for all of your kind messages, cards and gifts to all of the staff, we are incredibly appreciative of such offerings. Thank you for your continued support throughout the term. Let's hope and pray for a peaceful start to the New Year!

From all of the team here at St Gabriel's, may we wish you a very happy and Holy Christmas!

Mrs Johnson

Today we see Mrs Johnson leave St Gabriel's after 20 years dedicated service to our children, families and community. She has taken on many roles in her time with us including being our lead for English, RE, History and Geography, she has also coordinated the school choir, led Christmas Carol Services and productions, and has been part of many residential visits. Mrs Johnson's impact here has been significant on the whole community, and she will be sorely missed, however our loss is certainly Sandbach High School's gain! We wish you every success Mrs Johnson!

Christmas Services at St Gabriel's Catholic Church

Christmas Eve Children's Mass 3pm, Carols at 6pm, Mass at 6:30pm

Christmas Day Mass at 9am and 11am. All welcome.

Forthcoming Dates for diary

Friday 17 December	School closes
2022	
Tuesday 4 Jan	School opens
Thursday 20 Jan	Bag2School COLLECTION
Tuesday 25 Jan	School photographs (individual)
Week 31 Jan-4 Feb	Y6 visit Stanley Head
Tuesday 1 March	School Book Fair (provisionally)

Keeping Everyone Safe/Congestion

Please use the 'unofficial' one-way suggested route when travelling close to school. We have always promoted to approach the school from Cedar Avenue and drive up Well Lane. Please do not attempt to drive down Well Lane at school start and finish times. This route has always been the one I have shared with our neighbours to try and appease them. Thank you.

I am a Writer Award Winners (children whose writing has shown great progress this second half term)

Congratulations to you all!

Reception:	Mya Rae Molloy Santino Boughey	Year 1	Georgia Skellam Jaxon Wilkinson
Year 2:	Violet Adamczyk Harry Broad	Year 3	Arabella Brown Oscar Schirmer
Year 4:	Jamie Ansell Charlotte Atkinson	Year 5:	Rosie-Mae Smith Joab Dickenson
Year 6:	Tom Underwood Felicity Atkinson		



Thank you for the tremendous fundraising efforts this term especially in recent weeks. We raised the following funds: £256 Christmas singalong; the raffle for Pre-School bought in £418; Reception Nativity £265; Y1 Nativity donations £144 and the Christmas Disco raised £623. These funds will help provide the new Reading books and resources required for the new approach to Phonics this year.

ASM Christmas Holiday Clubs

[Holiday Clubs – School Sports Coaching](#) | [ASM Sports](#) | [Stoke on Trent](#)

Christmas Holiday Clubs 🎅👶🎄

We are delighted to announce that we will be hosting 4-days of sports, games and activities from December 20-23 across 16 Staffordshire & Cheshire settings.

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


































FREE PLACES



Available to children eligible for Free School Meals at venues denoted


 . Places secured by following the relevant link below.

 | asmsports.co.uk

 | staffordshire.gov.uk/holidayactivities

-  Alsager » Cranberry Academy  
-  Alsager » St Gabriel's Catholic Primary School 
-  Audley » Ravensmead Primary School  
-  Biddulph » Kingsfield First School  
-  Cheadle » Cheadle Primary School  
-  Chesterton » Chesterton Community Sports College  
-  Crewe » Beechwood Primary School  
-  Crewe » Leighton Academy  
-  Kidsgrove » The Kings School  
-  Leek » Beresford Memorial First School  
-  Leek » Woodcroft Academy  
-  Madeley » Madeley School  
-  Marton » Marton & District Primary School  
-  Newcastle » Hempstalls Primary School  

📍 Stafford » Tillington Manor Primary School  
📍 Trentham » Ash Green Primary Academy

 10% discount on Full Week & Sibling bookings.

See You There!

Team ASM Sports  