

St. Augustine's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents,

There are many different events happening over the next three weeks, starting with our *Christingle Service* at 9:10am on Monday 4th and *Infant Christmas Nativity* play, "Wriggly Nativity" on Thursday 7th at 9:30am. Our annual Carol Concert will be on Friday 15th December at 2pm. We warmly welcome parents/family/friends and pupils (from across the Nursery, Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2) to join us at St Augustine's Church for this event, which is traditionally an important part of our Christmas festivities.

The children and staff are working hard preparing the many different and varied performances for you to watch. Please do attend.

Monday 4 th	Year 3 Christingle Service 9:10am in the hall
Monday 4 th	Carols at Bellingham Green (choir) 4:00pm
Tuesday 5 th	Yr 5 to St George's Southwark to attend the Diocesan Schools Advent Service
Thursday 7 th	Infant Nativity "Wriggly Nativity" 9:30am
Friday 8 th	Pantomime "Beauty and the Beast" whole school 2pm
Tuesday 12 th	Christmas Lunch (Children may wear own clothes with a Christmas theme or colour) £1 donation to Jimmy Mizen Foundation and toiletries for the Manna Society
Friday 15 th	Junior Carol Concert 2pm in the Church. Children to be collected after the Carol Concert from school
Tuesday 19 th	Advent breakfast - come and enjoy porridge and pastries. Donations to Mary's Meals (charity)
Tuesday 19 th	Nursery Rhyme Nativity Christmas Play 9:30am in the Nursery
Tuesday 19 th	School Disco (organised by the PSA) –children to wear own clothes Infants 2:00 -3:00 £2:00 per child Juniors 3:15 -5:00 £2:50 per child <i>More information to follow</i>
Wednesday 20 th	End of term-school finishes at 2:00pm
Wednesday 3 rd January	Pupils return to school

Our Charities this Advent



The Jimmy Mizen Foundation

Jimmy Mizen Foundation

Following the murder of Jimmy Mizen in May 2008, the Mizen family has been determined to focus on two outcomes; they will not be beaten by his death and that something good will come from it. The charity aims to improve young people's skills and capabilities, so they can lead projects that build the type of communities we all want to live in - stronger, safer communities that are more cohesive. St Augustine's School has been involved with the Jimmy Mizen Foundation since its early days in a variety of ways. We have had visits from the Jimmy Bus and Car, children have fundraised by doing '21 Things for Jimmy' and School Council representatives took part in Hands for Peace at Southbank.



THE MANNA SOCIETY

RUNNING A DAY CENTRE FOR HOMELESS PEOPLE NEAR LONDON BRIDGE

Manna Society

The Manna Day Centre is open seven days a week, 51 weeks of the year and provides a range of services free of charge including: Housing & Welfare Advice, Breakfast & Lunch, Medical Care, Showers, Clothing, Access to computers. They help up to 150 homeless people & those in need every day.



a simple solution to world hunger

Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals is a global movement supported by people from many walks of life and different backgrounds. Their mission is to enable people to offer their money, goods, skills, time, or prayer, and through this involvement, provide the most effective help to those suffering the effects of extreme poverty in the world's poorest communities. Mary's Meals is a registered charity, which sets up school feeding programmes in some of the world's poorest communities, where hunger and poverty prevent children from gaining an education.