



Our Lady Inmaculate Charles Primary School Autor Lady Inmaculate Carbon Britan School

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The month of the Immaculate Conception

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THE SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS ARE 7:30 AM. UNTIL 4:00 PM. MONDAY—FRIDAY Tel: 01245 353755

Dear Parents and Carers,

All too soon, the term is coming to a close. It seems that it has simply flown by! However, before we say goodbye to 2022, let us pause for a moment to celebrate God's great gift to us: Himself in the Word made flesh — Jesus.

Christmas is a family time. As we gather with our families, let us give thanks to God for the example of the Holy Family and be mindful of those who find this time of year difficult, especially those families in our school community who have lost precious loved ones.

Thank you to all the parents, friends and families that attended the Infant Nativity performances this week. The children showed our Catholic Virtues of **Love**, **Courage** and **Determination** when performing and we thoroughly enjoyed watching them 'shine'!

Our final celebration will be the Christmas Junior Carol Service on Monday at 2pm in the Church, and I look forward to seeing lots of you there.

Thank you for all of the kind gifts, cards and messages that you have sent to the staff and I this Christmas. We are very grateful for your support and kindness and it is appreciated probably more than you will ever know.

I wish you all a wonderful Christmas and pray that you have some special time with your families so that we can return in the New Year enriched and nourished by the love we will experience and memories we will make.

Wishing you all a happy and holy Christmas and a wonderful start to the New Year.

Lesley Roche Headteacher



Reception



Junior Choir

The Junior Choir sang beautifully at the Brentwood Cathedral Carol Concert. Well done to everyone who took part, with special congratulations to Isla (Year 5), who sang Mary's solo throughout the main performance.





















