## The Holy Family Catholic High School Weekly Newsletter



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'To grow in wisdom and grace.'

## Friday 11th December 2020

## Mrs Mitchell's Update

You should all have received a letter this week which informs you that school will be closed next Friday 18th December. Thursday 17th December is now the date we finish for the Christmas break.

Thank you for all your kind donations to our Advent Appeals this year. We are delivering hampers and gifts to senior citizens in our community next week and the mother and baby gifts will be collected by Catholic Care who distribute them on our behalf. Through Parentpay you have also already donated just over £500 to Cafod World Gifts. This is an amazing total, your generosity is much appreciated.

Our school Christmas card competition winners have received their prizes this week. The overall winner was Harvey Jardine (Y11) whose Christmas Card was produced for us to send as our official Holy Family Christmas card for 2020. Our additional prize winners cards have been reproduced as postcards and will be sent with all our Advent Appeal gifts.

Well done to Alfie Keeble (Year 7), Edith-Mae Jardine (Year 8) and Abigail Bird (Year 8). Gifts and cards will also be distributed to the senior citizens in our community who normally attend our annual Christmas party.





Reminders for next week...

Christmas lunch and our non-uniform 'Christmas Jumper' Day are on Thursday 17th December.

Our Christmas liturgies, prize presentation assemblies and virtual talent show will also take place on Thursday 17th! **Communication and Information** 

You should have all received details of our Parent App. If you have any issues, please let us know.

In 2021 all school reports and attendance, praise and behaviour marks for your child will be displayed via the App so we would be grateful if you can check that it is working!

'In these times that are difficult for many, let us make an effort to rediscover the great hope and joy brought to us by the coming of the Son of God into the world.' Pope Francis