

# Newsletter

1<sup>st</sup> December 2023



**St. Martin's**  
C. of E. Primary School

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,

Well Christmas has well and truly arrived in school now! The Christmas tree is up and ready for the children's decorations to be put on it. Huge thanks to Mr Young and Mr Hillier for the donation of the Christmas tree. It is very kind of you.

## **Christmas Fair**

Thank you for your chocolate donations today. We are looking forward to our Christmas Fair next week. The fair is on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December. Infant children can be collected from 3.00pm to ease the congestion in the corridors. If you have a junior child, then please just come at the usual time and collect as normal. For families with children in both keystages, please just come at the usual pick up time. Thank you so much. **Just a little reminder as well that after school club is not available on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December as previously informed.**

## **Parking near Wheatcroft Pre-School.**

Staff at Wheatcroft Pre-school have asked me to mention parking to you all once again and request that parents do not park in the car park at the church hall on St. Martin's Lane. Some of the staff and parents are having trouble getting into the car park in the mornings. Just a reminder that this is a small car park and a private one. Thank you.

## **Worship Theme**

As we move into advent, we are looking at how Christians around the world prepare and celebrate Christmas in our worship sessions (alongside our overarching value of compassion). We looked at the UK and Denmark today. Some of the children were keen to go and explore some other countries for themselves, or have experience themselves to share from their own family backgrounds. We would love to share these in worship or on our worship table if children want to create a little information sheet at home.

Warm wishes and blessings,

Mrs Barber

Headteacher

*Serve one another in love*  
Galatians 5:13