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A prayer from Pope Francis

O Mary,

You always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and hope.

We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm.

You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need, and we are sure you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee, we may return to joy and to feasting after this time of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who has taken upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows to lead us, through the cross, to the joy of the resurrection.

Amen

Dear Parent/Carers

I write to you in times that we have never before experienced. I hope that you are all staying safe and well and taking good care of yourselves. As a school we are working closely with our MAC schools and the Local Authority, to ensure that we are adhering to the Government guidelines about providing supervision for the children of key workers and vulnerable children where it is not possible for them to stay at home. We are extremely grateful to all the parents who are looking after their children at home, as this helps us to minimise the risk to staff and pupil who are coming to school. We are equally grateful to those parents who are working to help keep the country safe. I am also personally grateful to our staff who are working to ensure that we are able to open the school, for those children who need to be supervised.

I am sure you are all aware of the Government guidelines regarding the lockdown situation the country is now in:

Stay at home – no unnecessary journeys or social contact.

Only leave home for essential shopping, medical needs and exercise once a day.

You can travel to and from work if absolutely necessary.

Public gatherings of more than two people are banned – excluding the people you live with.

Don't visit other people's houses or socialise outside your home.

If unwell, isolate yourself and your family.

Whilst at home, we do encourage the children to access the online learning available as well as reading regularly, learning spellings and practising their number facts. Listed below is a reminder of all the online learning available.

Use school logins to access the following websites:

TT Rockstars

<https://play.ttrockstars.com/>

Purple Mash

<https://www.purplemash.com/sch/staugustinescv6>

Mathletics

<https://login.mathletics.com/>

Other websites available

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/>

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

<https://mailchi.mp/thetrainingspace.co.uk/webinarsubscription>

If you require any further support, please visit the following site where there are a number of further ways to support home learning.

<https://en-gb.padlet.com/grahamandre07/covid19resources>

What we want don't want however, is to make this a stressful time at home. Do what you can but don't let schooling at home add to your stress levels. As a school, we will do all we can to make up for any lost learning time when we return to school.

We aim to keep in touch with you via our weekly newsletter which, for obvious reasons, looks somewhat different to normal. This will be how we update you on what the plans are for schools going forward.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.

God Bless  
Mrs Forrest

Hand in hand, we listen to God's call,  
we learn from God's word and we share God's love through service