

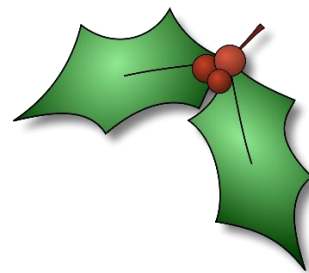
IMPORTANT INFORMATION

CAROL SERVICE PRACTICE

on **Wednesday 4th December 2019**

in

St. Mary's Church, Maghera



MORNING DROP OFF AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH, MAGHERA

- ✓ EA Transport providers will drop pupils off **at the church** in the morning and not at school.
- ✓ Buses will drive into the Youth Club Car park beside the Church and pupils will disembark there
- ✓ Parents / grandparents / carers are requested to bring pupils to the Church and not to school. We recognise that this is a busy time outside the chapel and would advise that adults hand over pupils to staff available in the Youth Club Car Park and the front entrance to the Church. The side door of the church (nearest Eurospar) should not be used. Anyone opting to use the Eurospar carpark should bring their child(ren) to the teacher on duty at the front door of the Church.
- ✓ Staff (wearing hi-vis vests) will be available outside the church from 8.30 a.m. to direct and supervise pupils
- ✓ Staff will also be present inside the church to allocate seats
- ✓ Teachers have been explaining to pupils this week about the need for reverence in the church at all times
- ✓ We would ask that you reinforce this message with your child / children in preparation for the practice tomorrow
- ✓ Pupils will not need their school bag / homework packs on Wednesday.
- ✓ It will be important that all pupils eat before coming school as the usual morning break will not take place until they return to school at approximately 11.00 a.m. Toast **will not** be available from the school meals kitchen on Wednesday so a small snack should be brought along. Year 1 /2 pupils will have their snack in school as usual.
- ✓ All pupils should be in their school uniform
- ✓ School has arranged transport for all pupils to be returned to school at approximately 11.00 a.m.
- ✓ ***Rang 6 pupils should be dropped off at the church too. They will be collected from there and taken by bus to the Seamus Heaney Homeplace, Bellaghy and returned to school before 3 o'clock.***

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE ON THIS OCCASION AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU ALL NEXT TUESDAY 10TH DECEMBER FOR THE HIGHLIGHT OF OUR CHRISTMAS 2019 CELEBRATIONS