



## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENT: SAFEGUARDING ARRANGEMENTS AT SALVATORIAN

Mr Cooper is the Designated Safeguarding Lead at Salvatorian College. Mr Cooper is in regular contact with all of the local authorities, children services teams, and social workers allocated to children on roll at our school. Mr Cooper will maintain regular contact with these families and their children. Mr Cooper will also be contacting families who may have had previous social care involvement, a statement of educational need (EHCP), or SEN support. He may also be contacting families of pupils who have other factors impacting on their lives.

If you have any safeguarding concerns at this time, please report them via:  
[safeguarding@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk](mailto:safeguarding@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk) .

For the majority of us, this is an ideal time to strengthen family bonds and work collaboratively as families. For some, however, we understand the current circumstances can be extremely stressful. Managing work commitments, finances, school work, and maintaining routines can place additional burdens on us which negatively affect our mental health and wellbeing.

Ms Griffin will be giving weekly advice on how to remain calm and positive and will give helpful strategies to improve mental wellbeing. Mr Creamer has recommended lots of physical activities for pupils to complete to help maintain the Physical wellbeing.

If family dynamics begin to deteriorate and you feel some additional support would be helpful, please do not hesitate to contact the safeguarding email and Mr Cooper will be in contact with you to discuss how help may be provided.

Look after yourselves and those closest to you.

## WEEKLY GOSPEL REFLECTION

The Jews were waiting for a king to lead them against the Romans and make them free again. When Jesus rode into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday, he was welcomed as this king, but he came as a king of peace and not to bring war.

The words of the prophet Isaiah remind us that Jesus, the Prince of Peace, shared the light of his love with us all. (Isaiah 9:2-3, 6-7). The metaphor is of a world of darkness and shadows, with Jesus' love providing the light for us to see. God sent his only son, Jesus, to fill our world with peace and love.

St Luke's Gospel, Jesus reminds us that God will forgive us as easily as we forgive others. Do not always believe that you are right and others are wrong, but treat people the way you would want to be treated. If you are full of forgiveness for others, then God will be full of forgiveness for you.

Jesus chose to enter Jerusalem on a donkey. By his actions, Jesus was showing the crowds that he was no soldier, but instead came as a king of peace, riding on a meek and gentle donkey. The crowd waved branches from the palm trees they found along the roadside to welcome this king just where we might wave flags in a procession today. They shouted 'Hosanna, Hosanna!' – Which is a word used to praise God? Many people had come to celebrate the Passover. This was a feast the Jews shared together each year to remember how God had saved them from slavery in Egypt.

### Prayer:

O God, you have called us to be your children, and have promised that those who suffer with Christ will be heirs with him of your glory: Arm us with such trust in him that we may ask no rest from his demands and have no fear in his service; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen



# Salvatorian College Parent Bulletin

Week Commencing 6<sup>th</sup> April 2020

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April

Gospel reading: Matthew (21: 1-11)

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Today you choose life. Every morning when you wake up you can choose joy, happiness, negativity, pain... To feel the freedom that comes from being able to continue to make mistakes and choices – today you can choose to feel life, not to deny your humanity but embrace it.

## DAILY LIVE MASS FROM ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH

St Joseph's church is live-streaming Mass each day on Facebook. The Masses begin at 10.00 am Monday to Saturday, and at 11.00 am on Sundays. In addition, Holy Week liturgies will be streamed at the following times:

- Wednesday – Tennebrae – 7.00 pm
- Maundy Thursday – Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7.00 pm
- Good Friday – Liturgy – 3.00 pm
- Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil – 8.00 pm

This is the link to St. Joseph Church's Facebook page, and you do not need a Facebook login to access it:

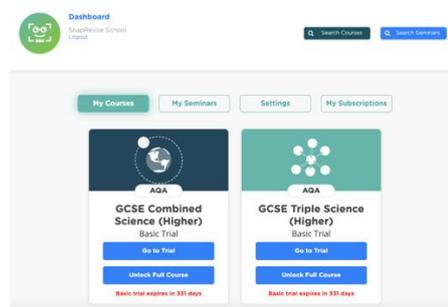
<https://www.facebook.com/catholicwealdstone/>

## 'GOD WHO SPEAKS' THE YEAR OF THE WORD 2020

"One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating. Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked him, "Of all the commandments, which is the most important?" "The most important one," answered Jesus, "is this: 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. The second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.'" Mark 12: 28-31

## REVISION RESOURCE OF THE WEEK

**SnapRevise** is an online revision resource for GCSE Science, which works as a tutorial for Year 10 and 11. It has videos for every area of the Combined and Triple Science syllabus and teaches it to student in an accessible format. Students have been provided with their login details at school, but if they have forgotten these email [admin@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk](mailto:admin@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk)



## SHOW MY HOMEWORK (SMHW)

**As you know, work is being set by teachers on ShowMyHomework for pupils. Staff have been told to set work on a weekly basis for pupils, and pupils are expected to submit work on SMHW where possible.**

There are a number of different formats in which work can be set on SMHW, including:

- **homework submission**, which can be marked and graded by teachers
- **quizzes**, which students have three attempts to complete a multiple-choice quiz and is automatically marked by SMHW to give pupils a result straight away
- **and spelling tests**, where pupils listen to an audio of a spelling and have three attempts (three lives) to spell the word correctly. Again, this is automatically marked by SMHW and gives pupils a result instantly.

Staff at Salvatorian College will continue to set work throughout the upcoming weeks, so please check that your child is logging on and completing the work set.

<https://www.satchelone.com/dashboard>

If you have any issues or problems with SMHW, email [admin@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk](mailto:admin@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk)



## REMOTE PYTHON CODING

KPMG are offering an online course in remote Python coding. It starts next Tuesday, 7<sup>th</sup> April and will be hosted at Tuesday 2pm (GMT) and Thursday 2pm (GMT) and will run for 10 weeks. This course is open to anyone, from school-children to adults, and will be an excellent opportunity for children and adults who have an interest in computing and coding.

The video linked below demonstrates an overview of the course:

<https://www.twitch.tv/videos/578983169>



Joshua Fernandes – 7 Gabriel (above)

## ARTIST OF THE WEEK: DRAMA AND THEATRE STUDIES

This term, Year 7 students have been learning all about Greek theatre. They have looked at the mythical story of Pandora's box and the history of Greek theatre through practical exploration. The students learnt why Greek theatre actors would use masks. In Greek theatre the actors were male therefore the masks were a way of expression and for them to perform as female characters with the Greek tragedies performed.

As homework, students were asked to create their own masks to demonstrate their knowledge of Greek theatre and what Greek masks would have looked like. Below are some examples. Well done Year 7 for creating such wonderful masks!



Sai Patel - 7 Gabriel (above)

## SUPPORTING FAMILIES DURING COVID-19

Along with this bulletin is a booklet from Haringey Educational Psychology Service, which aims to give you information on how to support yourself and your children during this unprecedented time surrounding coronavirus and COVID-19.

There is a lot of uncertainty around the current COVID-19 outbreak which can cause worry and anxiety. Having children and young people at home, when adults are trying to work themselves, adds another layer of stress. It is normal to feel worried, stressed and anxious when we are faced with uncertain situations, but the sooner we acknowledge and learn to take care of our mental health, the healthier and better equipped we will be to cope with the situations we face.

The attached booklet from Haringey Educational Psychology Service provides information on:

- How to explain what coronavirus is to children and young people.
- Resources around managing and supporting anxieties and well-being.
- Maintaining your family's emotional well-being.
- Resources to use when staying at home with your children.



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## KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE ONLINE

### Where can I go to get support to help keep my child safe online?

There is a lot of support available to keep your child safe online. Below are some useful links to help parents and carers:

- [Thinkyouknow](#) (advice from the National Crime Agency to stay safe online)
- [Internet matters](#) (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)
- [Parent info](#) (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)
- [LGfL](#) (support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online)
- [Net-aware](#) (support for parents and careers from the NSPCC)