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NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents

May I remind you that it is the school Carol Service tomorrow, Tuesday 18th December at St Alkmund's Church beginning at 2.00 p.m. Members of the school wind band will be playing outside the Church from 1.40 p.m. to greet you. All parents, friends and relatives are invited. Pupils will walk to Church and go home from there at 3.00 p.m. Please ensure you are at Church to collect your child/children at 3.00 p.m. or that your child is aware of who is collecting them.

Unless I am informed in writing by 9.00 a.m. tomorrow that you wish your child to be brought back to school for dismissal at normal time, then I will assume all pupils will be collected from Church. (Thank you to those parents who have already written after the last Newsletter).

The collection will be shared between St Alkmund's Church and our chosen Children's Cancer Charity.

Thank you Mrs Marshall

A huge thank you to Mrs Marshall who has taught Year 5 this half term. We are most grateful for her commitment, care and enthusiasm. Mrs Selfe joins the school in January and will take responsibility for Year 5 and we look forward to Mrs Marshall's continued work as a supply teacher.

Good Luck Miss Hibbert

Miss Hibbert commences her maternity leave at the end of this half term and we all eagerly await news of the safe arrival of her second baby.

Whilst away from school Miss Hibbert's work will be covered by part time teaching assistants already in school.

Finally may I remind you that school closes on Friday 21st December at the usual time and re-opens on Monday 7th January at 8.40 a.m. On behalf of all the staff and governors may I take this opportunity to wish you and your family a joyous festive season and a peaceful, healthy and happy new year.

A very merry Christmas to you all.

Best wishes.

S J Whyld
Headteacher