

SUNDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER 2022

# ST COLUMBA'S FAMILIES NEWSLETTER

HI FAMILIES OF ST COLUMBA'S,



A big hello after the summer holidays. We hope you have had a happy time and a smooth first few days of school.

This Sunday we would love to see you at St Columba's as we welcome three newly baptized children (Charlie, Isla & James) and their families

AND

Sunday School restarts a new school year with activities offered for two groups of young people, (4-9-year-olds & 10-13-year-olds.) In the months up to Christmas, we aim to offer two Sunday School gatherings each month.

Grown-ups, please note the following dates:

- Sunday 11th September (Baptismal Sunday)
- Sunday 25th September – Congregational Outing & BBQ at St Columba's Tennis Club (Afternoon event)
- Sunday 2nd October (Baptismal Sunday)
- Sunday 9th October
- Sunday 6th November (Baptismal Sunday)
- Sunday 13th November (Remembrance Sunday) 10.45am
- Sunday 4th December (Baptismal Sunday)
- Sunday 11th December – Nativity Service (11am) & Carols by Candlelight (5pm)\*

\* More detail about special events will be given nearer the date.



## Congregational Outing to St Columba's Tennis Club, Sunday 25th September

For the first time in a long time, we are organising a congregational outing to our very own St Columba's Tennis Club, [stcolumbastennis.co.uk](http://stcolumbastennis.co.uk) 30-32 Carbery Avenue, Acton, W3 9AL). An afternoon of fun, tennis-related activities for all ages will be provided by their coach followed by a BBQ. Open to everyone- keen tennis player, total beginner or relaxing spectator. Equipment can be provided. For catering purposes please let the office know if you plan to attend.



## Christmas Card Designs for the Friends of St Columba's

Crikey - first mention of Christmas already! The Friends of St Columba's would like to select a picture created by one of our young St Columbans for their Christmas card this year. So, why not get colourful, creative and Christmassy, and design a picture for this year's card. The printed version will go far and wide – your picture could be the one to bring a smile to many faces. Pictures to Church Office by 15th October please.

That's enough for now. Have a good first week back, a sunny weekend and see you on Sunday

Angus & the Sunday School Team