



# BROUGHTON NEWS

**ONE HEART, ONE MIND**  
*In Faith, Hope and Love*

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### Celebration

Our Year 7 & 8 Advent Mass took place last Friday and it was wonderful!

Following the year 7 Mass in October, we gathered with Years 7 & 8 and all staff and Canon Conor was presiding. The performing arts dept. led class time preparation for the service, over four weeks. The eight Form groups in year 8, were assigned individual, creative group tasks to support the Mass. Dance / interpretation featured during the singing of Silent Night and O'Come, O'Come Emanuel. Other Forms were given creative activities to develop for: the Psalm, the Offertory and the Gospel Drama.



Over the last few weeks Form Groups have been creating their own individual Prayer Boxes, they are decorated to reflect The Mercy Values of Broughton Hall, the specific shared interests of the Form and the Forms associated Saint. Students wrote their own prayers and have filled the boxes with them. These prayers have formed the shape of our bidding prayers for the Mass.

The conduct of both year groups at Mass was exemplary and was commented on by Our Head Teacher and Canon Conor. Canon Conor told the students that he was very moved by their contributions and that they had supported an atmosphere of worship.

### Weekly Prayer

#### Angel of God

Angel of God,  
my guardian dear,  
to whom God's love commits me here,  
ever this day be at my side,  
to light and guard, to rule and guide.  
Amen.

### Top Attendance Forms

<b>94.1%</b> 7OSC	<b>91.7%</b> 8THO	<b>89.1%</b> 9THO
<b>92.8%</b> 10NIC	<b>87%</b> 11VIN	<b>97%</b> 12NIC



### Playwriting Group

To celebrate the end of term, the playwriting group watched the National Theatre production of 'Nye' starring Michael Sheen. Nye tells the story of Aneurin Bevan, the man who created the NHS and the play involved the clever and intriguing use of hospital beds to make a range of settings such as libraries, mines and even the House of Commons. Pupils gained lots of ideas and inspiration for their plays which they are currently writing.



## Year 7 Assembly

This week representatives from 7NIC presented our assembly on their Saint – Saint Nicolas. They gave us lots of interesting facts about St Nicolas, well done on your excellent presentation girls!

## Festive activities around School



### Christmas Dinner / Jumper Day

It was great to see so many students today arriving to school with a festive outfit on for our Christmas dinner/ jumper day. Year 7 embraced Christmas Jumper Day, with not just an assortment of jumpers, but headbands, boppers and even socks. It was lovely this morning to see so many had adorned their Christmas attire, all in aid of charity. Well done to all Year 7 participants. Our photos are from Year 11 form groups and also 7 Oscar.



### Festive school welcome

This week students were welcomed into school with live music performed by our very own Miss Price. A really festive and positive start to the school day!



### Year 8 Christmas Breakfast

Students from 8THO were enjoyed a Christmas breakfast as a reward for their efforts with the Year 8 Mass.

BROUGHTON HALL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

# Food Pantry Launch

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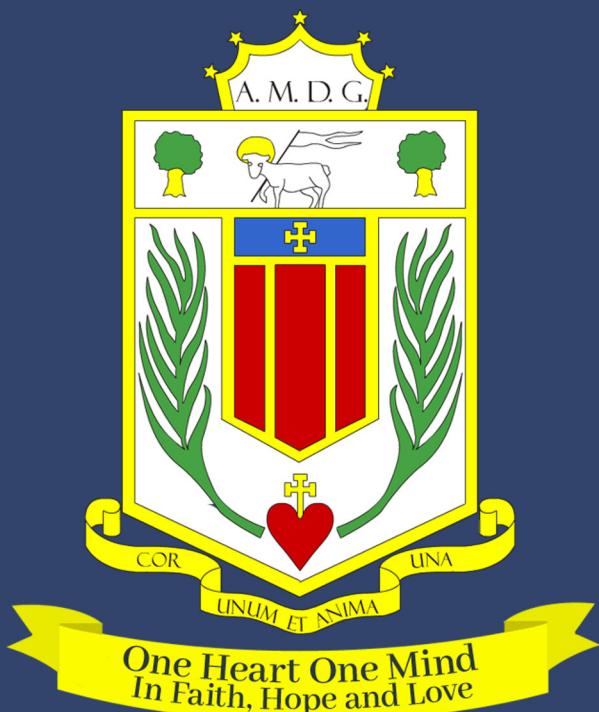
Do you know a household within  
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our local community and is proud  
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# Merry Christmas!



## December Timetable

All sessions delivered live online via zoom. 90 minutes long

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Recordings available for 48 hours (excluding Free Talk)

Decreasing Depression	1 DEC 10am
Raising Self Esteem	1 DEC 7pm
Understanding the Teenage Brain	2 DEC 10am
Supporting Healthy Sleep	2 DEC 7pm
Autism - Improving Communication	8 DEC 10am
Improving Family Communication	8 DEC 7pm
Supporting A Child with ADHD	9 DEC 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	9 DEC 7pm
Anxiety Based School Avoidance	15 DEC 10am
Understanding Anger	15 DEC 7pm
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	16 DEC 10am
Facing Defiance	16 DEC 7pm