



## St. Ninian's Primary School



'Ninian News' - w/c 28<sup>TH</sup> Sept & 5<sup>th</sup> Oct

### *First Communion Celebrations*

*Please pray for our P5 pupils and their families who will be making their First Communion on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> Sept and Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October in St Andrew's Church. May they remain close to Jesus through-out their lives.*

#### **How CAN you help?**

**We are keen to establish a sharing shed in school so that we can support our families if they need food quickly. We plan to hold a dress down day on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October and are asking pupils to bring a can/tin of food to school on that day as a donation. Many thanks for your support with this.**



#### **Have you say....**

Thank you to our parents who have responded to our survey on Meet the Teacher/Family and our P1 transition arrangements. We will use this information to consistently improve our use of digital platforms going forward. Both Surveys will remain open until Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October.

#### **HOME LEARNING**

P1-3 teachers have been exploring the Seesaw platform that has been recently purchased by WLC and plan to use this as a platform going forward for home learning activities and for pupil profiles, Please look out for information that will be coming to parents soon about how to access this new platform. In discussion with cluster schools we are planning on re-introducing reading books in our P1-3 classes as part of our home-learning plans.

Our P4-7 pupils have now been set up on new class teams groups via glow and our teachers in the middle and upper areas of the school will be using teams to issue a weekly home learning menu. Please look out for a helpful guide to using teams with your child next week.

#### **Maths Week Scotland 2020**

Our pupils will be taking part in a range of exciting Maths and Numeracy challenges next week as part of Maths Week Scotland. These challenges will be promoting Numeracy and Maths in a variety of real life contexts and pupils will be encouraged to share their strategies and working with each other. Please look out for our tweets!



