St. John Ogilvie Primary School



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Dear Parent/Carer,



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The Travelling Crib

All our children in Primary 1 and Primary 2 are invited to take part in a special project called The Travelling Crib. These cribs were kindly donated to all schools in the Diocese of Paisley by the RE Department of Paisley and Pauline Books and Media.

Each night, a child from each of the Primary 1, P1/2 and P2 classes will be selected to bring home The Travelling Crib. As a family, you are invited to place the crib scene in your home, switch on the candle and take a short time to pray together.

The Travelling Crib set has everything you will need inside the bag, including a leaflet containing a short prayer, hymn and information on how to use the set for the evening. We kindly ask that the bag is returned to school the following morning so that it can be given to a new child and their family each day. The leaflet provides a checklist to ensure that all items are included in the bag before returning. The leaflet can be kept at home so that you have the prayer and hymn to say at home during the Season of Advent.

We would be delighted to receive photos/videos, drawings, prayers or writing about the crib in your home. These can be sent into school with your child or emailed to stjohnogilvieenquiries@renfrewshire.gov.uk. We will post the photos you send in on our school Twitter feed @SJOpaisley

Fr. Joe will bless the Cribs in school, with the children on Friday. We are very much looking forward to the children sharing their Travelling Crib stories with us throughout Advent.

Yours

Lorna Murray Head Teacher







