



OLD CHURCH
Nursery School



20th February 2021

Dear Parents,

Re: Fire damage at Old Church

As most of you will know, there was a serious fire at Old Church last Thursday. The cause is unknown and nobody was hurt. The animals are all safe and well. The majority of the damage was to the Boiler Room, but there has been significant smoke damage throughout the school.

At the moment there is no gas, electricity, telephone or IT in the building. It is going to be some time before we can return.

This week I will be working with G4S and the Local Authority to find temporary accommodation and prepare for the children to return.

As soon as I know where we will be going I will let you know, but for this week, I am afraid that the school will be closed.

This has been a very challenging year for us all and I am sorry for all the disruption. We will continue to support the children with our Zoom sessions and contact calls.

Thank you for all your messages of support, they have been a great help to me in the last few days.

I hope to be able to bring better news very soon.

Best wishes

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