



# Newsletter

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## Fr Godlove's Visit

This week, we welcomed Fr Godlove into school. Fr Godlove is the new Parish Priest for St Saviour's School and Our Lady's Parish Church.

He walked around the classes and met some of the children and teachers. He enjoyed seeing the children in their school environment and is starting to learn some names.

This year, the children in Y3 to Y6 will be attending a parish Mass each half term in Our Lady's Church.

Our Mini Vinnie group will also attend parish Masses in school time regularly.

We are eager to ensure close links with our parish to help with the faith development of our children.

More information will be sent out on the Sacramental programmes for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion later this term.

Please let the school office know if you would like your child to be a part of this journey.



Conor and Chloe set up a lemonade stall this week to raise money for CAFOD!

They raised £33!

Well done children; it's great to see social justice in action!



Mass Times this weekend at Our Lady's Church:

Saturday at 5pm

Sunday at 11am with the children's liturgy



FS2 have been spending quiet time in our prayer garden, gathered around the statue of Our Lady. Together, we have been learning how to pray the Rosary and reflecting on the special moments in Jesus' life.



## ROAD SAFETY COMPETITION

This month we have decided to launch our first Road Safety Competition and we thought we'd get creative.  
We would like as many of you as possible to carve a pumpkin representing all things to do with safety in and around our school community.  
You could do:

A traffic light pumpkin  
A stop, look, listen theme  
A zebra crossing theme  
A bike safety  
Or even an internet safety pumpkin

Here are some other ideas:



Entries are due by Wednesday 22nd October and the winner will be announced on the last day of term.

GOOD LUCK!

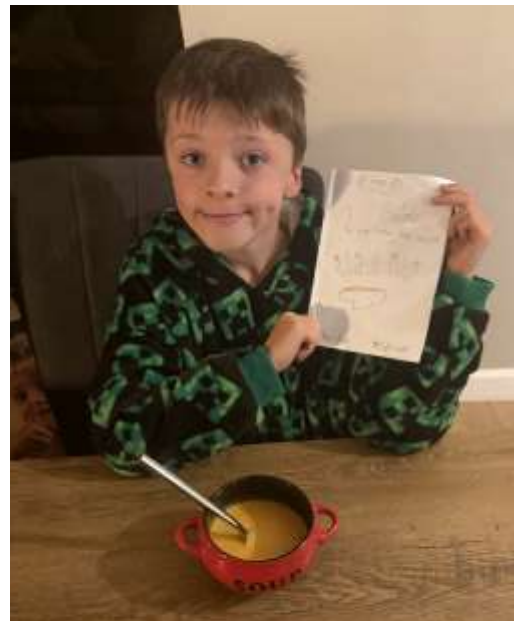
### **Junior Safety Officers - BRIGHT DAY**

As the nights are getting darker much earlier, we would like to make the children aware of how important it is to be seen when out and about.

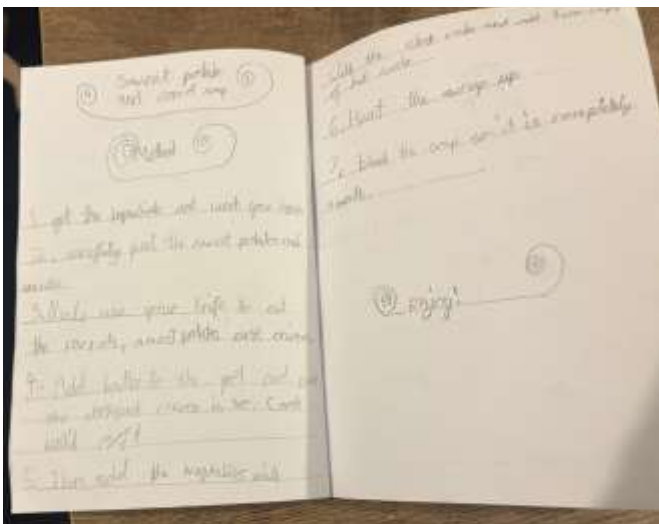
So with this in mind we are holding a **'BRIGHT DAY'** in school.

On Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October we are asking everyone to come to school dressed in the brightest, most sparkly, luminous clothes that you have.

Let's show everyone that it's cool to be seen in the dark.



Aidan enjoyed his DT lesson so much recently it inspired him to make his own recipe book using what he had learnt and then followed the recipe himself at home to make soup.  
It looks delicious Aidan!  
We might put you in the school kitchen to make this for all of us!



### Forest School – Celebrating Creation

This week Y2 enjoyed their very first **Forest School session**, perfectly timed with the Catholic Church's **Month of Creation**. Linking their learning in **Science** and **RE**, the children explored *Living Things and their Habitats* and reflected on the beauty of God's Creation.

They discovered what animals need to survive and investigated how different creatures make their homes in our own school grounds. Alongside this, they discussed the important concept of **stewardship**- understanding that God has entrusted us with caring for the world and all living things.



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### Forest School: FS1

FS1 enjoyed their forest school session this week. They carried on learning all about autumn and made some lovely creation drawings with charcoal and mud! The children were very sensible toasting marshmallows on the fire!

It was a joyful start to our Forest School journey, bringing faith and learning together in the great outdoors.



## HALF TERM, BOOKED

<b>FACE PAINTING</b> Friday 31 October Free, drop in Ellesmere Port Library 10am-12pm Little Sutton Library 2-4pm	<b>Seeds of change</b> Thursday 30 October Ellesmere Port Library 10am-12pm Free, booking essential	<b>ALL IN A WONDEROUS NIGHT</b> Monday 27 October Ellesmere Port Library 11am Hope Farm Library 3pm Free, booking essential
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## Black History Month

This week we launched Black History Month in school. Your child has come home with a project to complete. We look forward to sharing these in school.



**BLACK HISTORY MONTH**

**Black History Month 2025 Celebration**

St Saviour's Catholic Primary and Nursery School

**Black History Month 2025 takes place in the month of October**

### Why are we celebrating Black History Month?

We celebrate **Black History Month** to honour the amazing achievements of Black people throughout history. It's a special time to learn about and appreciate the important stories of Black heroes and pioneers from around the world. We celebrate them because they've made our world a better place in so many ways, like inventing new things, creating beautiful art and music and fighting for fairness and equality for everyone. It's a chance to remember their courage and to celebrate the rich history and culture of Black communities.

### Your Task

Your task is to create a piece of work that celebrates the achievements of a significant black person. Some ideas, for example, are to make an all about me poster, a timeline of their life, an information page, a presentation or a piece of artwork.

You will need to think about questions like:

- Who are they?
- Why are they so influential?

Each year group has been allocated an inspirational person to create a piece of work about:

Year 6- **Ncuti Gatwa**  
(actor in Doctor Who)

Year 5- **Thandiwe Newton** (Actor)

Year 4- **Naomi Osaka**  
(Tennis player)

Year 3- **Aretha Franklin** (Music)

Year 2- **Katherine Johnson**  
(Scientist)

Year 1- **Faith Ringgold** (Artist)

EYFS- **Jesse Owens/Nicola Adams/Katarina Johnson-Thompson** (Sports theme)



**"Never be limited by other people's limited imaginations." — Dr. Mae Jemison, first African-American female astronaut**

All entries must be digital and sent to the school office **by Monday 20th October 2025.**

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### Y3 trip to the World Museum

On Wednesday, Year 3 had a fantastic and busy day at the World Museum, immersing themselves in their Ancient Egyptian topic. They eagerly participated in hands-on workshops, where they learnt about the fascinating process of mummification and explored a wide range of ancient artefacts.



### Praise Assembly

The following children were awarded Star of the Week in their class in our praise assembly today. They also received 5 saves. Congratulations!

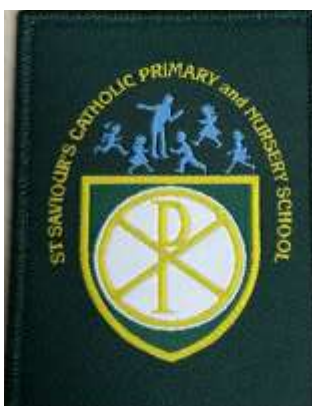
FS2: Maks

Year 1: Charlotte      Year 2: Alfie  
Year 3: Phoebe      Year 4: Ryan  
Year 5: Thomas      Year 6: Cole

### Attendance Award

Congratulations to Year 4 for winning this week's attendance trophy.

Their winning attendance was 97.1%  
They will have the attendance trophy this week.



We now have green and red iron-on logos available in school. These are £1.20 each and can be ordered via SCOPay.

### Thought of the Week

'Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible; and suddenly you are doing the impossible.'  
St Francis of Assisi

### Dates to Remember:

WB 6th Oct:	Parent meetings
Tues 7th Oct:	Y3 Forest School session
Wed 8th Oct:	Jubilee Icon in school
Mon 13th Oct:	Spanish Day in school
Tues 14th Oct:	Y4 Forest School session
Wed 15th Oct:	Y1 trip: Grosvenor Museum
Thurs 16th Oct:	5pm: International Evening
Fri 17th Oct:	9am: Y2 Assembly
Mon 20th Oct:	Y4 trip: Ness Gardens
Tues 21st Oct:	Y5 Forest School session
Fri 24th Oct:	9am: Y6 Assembly
Fri 24th Oct:	Halloween Dress up day and disco
Fri 24th Oct:	3:20pm: Break up for the half term

### House Points

1st: **St Oscar Romero: 79 points**  
2nd: **St Josephine Bakhita: 64 Points**  
3rd: **St Therese of Lisieux: 55 points**  
4th: **St Francis of Assisi: 48 points**

### Swimming

The children in Y3 to Y6 have thoroughly enjoyed their swimming lessons and it's great to see how much progress they have made over these two weeks.

*'It's fun to learn swimming and it has helped me to learn more about the strokes that I struggle with.'* Amelia

*'I like the swimming in out school because it helps me learn how to swim and it can be really fun.'* Amelie

*'It's really fun because sometimes we get to play games.'* Hanna

*'We get feedback on how to get better at swimming. I like swimming so much.'* Olivia

*'I really love swimming because it helps to keep fit and I love feeling the water.'*

Georgia

*'Swimming is fun because it helps me to learn to do things that I didn't know.'* Poppy

Please ensure you have booked a meeting with your child's teacher for next week so targets can be shared.

It is important that we work together to ensure your child is happy in school and doing their best in their learning.

**Please remember to log onto SCOPay to sign up to our International Evening. This will be a fantastic celebration of the diversity in our school community.**

*With every blessing,  
Mrs Robina Baird  
and the staff of  
St Saviour's*