



Newsletter

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Mini Vinnies

The Mini Vinnies went down to Mass at our parish church on Monday as it was Candlemas; The Presentation of the Lord. We took our candles for each Liturgical season for Fr Godlove to bless.

The children learned a lot from Fr Godlove's homily and brought this learning back to share in our Gospel assembly on Wednesday.

Niya shared that the candles remind us that Jesus is the Light of the World. So when we light the candles on our altar in the hall; this will be a visual reminder for us all.

Chloe shared how Anna and Simeon recognised Jesus as the Messiah when he was taken into the temple as a baby. From this, we can be reminded to always recognise Jesus and to keep him close to us.

Sacramental Programme

It has been fantastic to see families commit to the upcoming programme for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

This is an important step in your child's faith journey.

If you wish for your child to be part of this programme and you feel that you are able to fulfil the requirements, please ensure your form is back in school by next Thursday.

Classes will start when we return from the half term break.

More information in regards to timings and days will be sent out next week.

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I'm sure you agree that our new banner looks great on the fence. Please continue to spread the word about St Saviour's and what a great school it is!

Ash Wednesday

Unfortunately, Ash Wednesday falls in the half term this year so we cannot attend Mass as a school.

There will however, be two Masses at Our Lady's Church on this day (Wednesday 18th February).

These will be at 12:15pm and then again in the evening, at 7pm.

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent. I hope to see many of you at these Masses.

Mass Times this weekend at Our Lady's Parish Church:

Saturday at 5pm and Sunday at 9am and then 11am which includes the children's liturgy.



KS2 Mass

Our Mass for this half term will take place in Our Lady's Parish Church on Tuesday 10th February at 9:30am.

Please add this date to your diary so you are able to attend.

Year 2 trip to Weaver Hall

Year 2 had a fantastic time at Weaver Hall on Wednesday. The children learnt lots of new information about life in 1666, Samuel Pepys and the Great Fire of London with the help of a lovely maid called Peggy. Our children were also given the opportunity to train as servants, maids, market sellers, watchmen and women, and even a plague doctor!



Baking club enjoyed making cheese scones this week. They smelt amazing and Amelie thought they tasted delicious!



We are so proud of Cole this week. Cole was given the opportunity to attend 1st Kick Football sessions, and he has fully embraced football life. Cole now attends his football club regularly, he is building his confidence daily and look at those trophies!! Well done Cole - the bravery, commitment and skill you have shown is inspiring!



Basketball!

Super League Basketball Cup Finals, Sunday 22 March 2026 | AO Arena Manchester

We're pleased to share access to specially discounted tickets (over 50% off) for the upcoming Super League Basketball Cup Finals.

Held at the AO Arena Manchester on Sunday 22nd March 2026, this is the finale of one of British basketball's premier knockout competitions and features some of the most thrilling on court action from both the men's and women's professional leagues in the UK.

Enjoy fast-paced action, elite players, and first-class entertainment — all in front of a roaring 9,000-strong crowd!

You can find out more on the event, including a promotional video and event schedule, by visiting www.superleaguebasketballm.co.uk/2026cup/

Ticket Offer & Booking

Our school has secured tickets for just £10 per person — a saving of over 50% (normal prices: £26 Adult/ £22 Child).

Book your tickets here: www.britishbasketballshop.com/products/2026cupprimary

Simply click "Add to Cart" and adjust the quantity as needed. Tickets will be dispatched directly by Super League Basketball.

Welcome!

This week we welcomed Miss Williams who will be taking over the Y2 class as Mrs Bellas goes onto maternity leave. Welcome Miss Williams!



Y6 Maths Competition

Four Year 6 children attended the Big Maths Quiz on Wednesday to compete against six other schools from Ellesmere Port.

They fought a strong battle and the scores between the top three teams were very close throughout.

Unfortunately, we were pipped at the post for third place during the buzzer round and were placed fourth overall. Well done to Clark, Orange, Mbongeni and Pola; you represented the school extremely well and you are all very talented mathematicians!

Y6 EFC Mini Kickers

The following children have been selected to represent St Saviour's on Thursday 12th February 12:45pm - 3pm at an Everton Mini Kickers event:

Jayden
Alice
Keira
Mbongeni
Leo
Isla-Rose
Cameo
Oliver

The children need to bring their PE kit, shin pads (if they own them) and a water bottle into school on this day so that they are ready to attend after their morning lessons.

Farewell!

Today, we said goodbye to Miss Powell and Mrs Bellas as they start their maternity leave. We cannot wait to meet their babies and look forward to seeing them at our baby toddler sessions! We wish them all the best! Mrs Millard will take on the role of Acting Deputy Head teacher from next week.



National Storytelling Week!

This week is National Storytelling Week and this years theme is *'Soundtrack your story'*.

FS1 took part in storytelling week by retelling the story of the three billy goat's gruff and joining in with a live lesson to help us make our own story. We have created our own characters, setting and plot twists. Lots of lovely little imaginations coming to life!

Year 4 enjoyed the National Storytelling workshop with Alim Kamala. They thought he was very funny and loved listening to and joining in with his songs. He inspired them to write their own raps which children were very keen to share!

Year 6 enjoyed their online workshop with Alim Kamara. It is fair to say, the energy in the classroom was fantastic! Alim Kamara used rap to enhance his writing process and encouraged the children to do so too. Children were rapping, dancing and sharing their brilliant ideas with each other. Alim Kamara expressed how important it was for children to be confident in themselves, share their love for writing and believe they can do anything. Year 6 are going to continue their work during the half-term - we can't wait to hear their rap stories!



Year 3 Forest School

Despite the cold and rain, Year 3 threw themselves into a brilliant Forest School session linked to their *Prehistoric Britain* learning.

The children experimented with natural materials—berries, mud and leaves—to create their own Stone Age-style cave paintings, just as early humans would have done. They also crafted simple tools, including bows and arrows, practising different knots and discussing how people in the Palaeolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic periods hunted for food. The session ended with plenty of time to test their arrows and enjoy creative free play, making the forest come alive with Stone Age imagination and curiosity.



EY Stay and Play

On Tuesday, Early Years had a fun-packed morning at their Stay and Play. It was fantastic to see such a great turnout, allowing children to share their classroom learning environment and favourite learning activities with their grown-ups.



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!

FS1: Ella-Rose FS2: Maks
Year 1: Olivia Year 2: Samson
Year 3: Julian Year 4: Olivia
Year 5: Niya Year 6: Isla C

Attendance Award

Congratulations to Year 5 for winning this week's attendance trophy.
Their winning attendance was 96.5%
Well done Year 5!
They will have the attendance trophy this week.

House Point Certificate

Congratulations to Joseph, Osan, Edward and Chloe in Y5 who were awarded their Bronze Certificate today.

Half Term Holiday Club

Information was sent out recently about a February half term holiday club that will be held at St Saviour's.

If you would like to book your child onto this, please use the links you were sent or contact the school office for assistance.



Congratulations!

On Tuesday, Noah won his first trophy, as his team became champions of a small tournament at First Kick Football. Well done Noah!

House Points

1st: St Therese of Lisieux: 92 points
2nd: St Oscar Romero: 84 points
3rd: St Francis of Assisi: 79 points
4th: St Josephine Bakhita: 61 Points

Headteacher's Award

Congratulations to Isabelle in Y3 who won the Headteacher's Award this week. Isabelle is such a hard worker; she loves her learning and puts so much effort into every lesson. She is making great progress because of this.
Isabelle displays excellent behaviour; she is a role model to those around her.
Well done Isabelle!



SOCCER SCHOOL
FEBRUARY HALF TERM

Join us this February half-term for a fun-packed football camp featuring skills coaching, small-sided games, tournaments & more! Players will need kit including boots, shin pads, football lunch, snack & water bottle.

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Thought of the Week

'The best thing for us is not what we consider best, but what the Lord wants of us.'

St Josephine Bakhita

Dates to Remember:

WB 9th Feb:	Children's Mental Health Week
Mon 9th Feb:	St Josephine Bakhita feast day
Mon 9th Feb:	Y4 Roman trip to Wrexham
Tues 10th Feb:	9:30am: Mass in our Parish Church; KS2
Tues 10th Feb:	Safer Internet Day
Thurs 12th Feb:	9am: Baby and Toddler session
Thurs 12th Feb:	PM: Y6 Mini Kickers competition
Fri 13th Feb:	Valentine's Disco
Fri 13th Feb:	Half term break
Mon 23rd Feb:	Staff and children return to school

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