



Newsletter

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Bow and Ted enjoyed praying to Our Lady this week as they took home the Mary box.

They set up a prayer area in their living room and enjoyed looking at her with all the candles lit and the lights off. The children then both said a silent prayer.

Bow said she found it comforting and calming.



First Reconciliation

The children in our Sacramental programme will be making their First Reconciliation on Saturday 28th March at 11am.

We are asking for other families to attend and receive the Sacrament of Confession if you and your child have previously received this.

Lent is the perfect time to go to Confession and this would also be a lovely way to support our children. Please sign up on Scopay for this by Tuesday 24th March.

Stations of the Cross in Holy Week

In Holy Week, the children in Y4, 5 and 6 will be leading a Stations of the Cross service for our school community.

This will take place on Tuesday 31st March at 6pm in Our Lady's Church.

Please put this date in your diary so that you are able to attend.
Everyone is welcome!

Lent

As you know, we are fundraising for CAFOD during Lent. We have collected £47 so far.

We are also contributing towards the parish Wirral Way Walk; thank you to those families who have contributed so far. We have £40 collected so far for this.

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.

Letters from Fr Godlove

Father Godlove has recently been into school to support Year 6's learning on John's Gospel and the 7 Sacraments. After his visit, each child in Year 6 wrote to Father Godlove to thank him for visiting and helping with their learning. They shared what they had learnt from him and thanked him for giving up his time to help them. This week, Year 6 were so excited and grateful to receive an individual reply to each letter. Father Godlove had carefully taken the time to write a personal response to each child thanking them, correcting any mistakes and reminding them of how amazing they are.

'I thought it was extremely thoughtful. Usually, you ask us to write a letter in class but we don't always get a response from the person we are writing to. It was kind that he took his time to respond during a busy time!' - Orange

'He has read each and every one of our letters and carefully responded to our questions. I think it is so thoughtful!' - Pola

'His actions link to our lesson today, showing how as leaders we should serve other people.' - Alice
'He knows so much and our letters show his knowledge.' - Jayden

About The Walk

The Wirral walk is a 27-mile sponsored walk along the scenic Wirral Way, bringing together individuals, families and groups from across the community.

In 2025, we are walking the opposite direction to last year - beginning at Wood Kirby and following the old railway line route through countryside, woodland and urban areas before finishing at Hooban.

The route is mostly flat and well-surfaced, making it accessible for most fitness levels. Whether you're walking to raise funds, support a cause, or simply enjoy the day with others, everyone is welcome.

Cost to Take Part

£5, each or
£15 for a group of 3.



Remember to sign up for the parish Wirral Way Walk!

Thank you to the families who have already signed up.

If you are unable to attend, please log onto Scopay to donate!

Artwork

Our children painted each of the Stations of the Cross recently and Fr Godlove has kindly allowed us to display these in the church for parishioners to see and appreciate.

Please take some time to look at these when you attend Mass over the next few weeks.

It would be worth visiting the church for Mass just to see these! They look beautiful!

Y5 Stations of the Cross

Year 5 had a fantastic time walking to church in the sun on Wednesday!

Once in church, we prayed as we moved around all fourteen stations of the cross. At each one, the class were incredibly reflective, offering spontaneous prayers focusing on the message of each station. It was lovely

to see the children take the opportunity to deepen their understanding of Jesus' passion, and learn more about the lead up to the Easter story that they know so well.



Emily- *'The trip felt like a mini-pilgrimage!'*

Deborah- *'I love that we got to get closer to Jesus by learning more of the story of Easter, and how he cleansed us of our sins.'*



EY and KS1 Scavenger Hunt

The children in the EY and KS1 enjoyed a Holy Week scavenger hunt today as they learned more about this special time of year and the events that took place.





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THINK



PROTECT

A huge thank you to Andy Kevan from Cheshire police for spending the day with us on Wednesday. Andy spoke to parents, children and staff about how to keep themselves safe online. If you couldn't make the session then we will be sharing some information with you in the coming weeks.



El Cuidado

After last week's bad weather put their science experiment on hold, El Cuidado were finally able to carry it out this week — and it was definitely worth the wait! The children investigated what happens when you drop Mentos into a bottle of coke and they were amazed to see a huge fizzy "volcano" erupt. There was so much excitement as the reaction shot up into the air, and the children loved discussing what they had seen and why it happened.

Year 4 EFC Mini Kickers

Well done to the children from Year 4 that took part in the Mini Kickers competition yesterday. They played lots of games back-to-back against some great teams, but despite feeling hot and exhausted in the lovely spring sunshine, they pushed through it, playing brilliantly and as always, worked together as a team. Well done children!



Elliot has enjoyed spending time with Mollie on the playground this week. He tells her to 'paw' and she does!



A lovely spring baby and toddler session was had yesterday. Look out for the date of our summer session and spread the word; it would be lovely to welcome new faces.

Easter Hat Parade

This will take place next Thursday, 26th March. Please take some time this weekend to create an Easter hat with your child.

Year 1 Phonics Parent Meeting

Our phonics meeting this week gave year 1 parents an overview of how phonics is taught in school and of the upcoming phonics screening check. It explained how we teach our children to read, including segmenting and blending and shared practical ways parents can support reading at home. A copy of the PowerPoint and some links to online games will be emailed out to all year 1 parents. The children will also receive a pack of activities to be completed at home. If you have any questions, please speak to Miss Plank or Mrs Millard.

Easter Raffle

Please bring donations for our Easter raffle into school by next Wednesday. This will be drawn on Friday 27th March.



Y1 Forest School

Year 1 had an amazing time in the sunshine at forest school this week. We learnt about flowers, plants, blossom, catkins and evergreen and deciduous trees.

Isabelle- *'I enjoyed having hot chocolate and marshmallows.'*
Joel- *'I enjoyed playing with Alex with the diggers in the mud.'*
Funmi- *'I liked painting in the forest.'*



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: Blake FS2: Georgia
Year 1: Myla Year 2: Maxwell
Year 3: Travis Year 4: Thomas
Year 5: Finn Year 6: Oliver

Attendance Award

Congratulations to Year 3 for winning this week's attendance trophy.
Their winning attendance was 97.9%
Well done Y3!
They will have the attendance trophy this week and will get 15 minutes of free time.

House Point Certificates

Congratulations to Evelyn, Isabel, Jaydon, Emily and Teddie in Y5 as well as Amiee-Leigh in Y6 who were awarded their Bronze Certificate today.
Congratulations also to Nana in Y5 and Clark in Y6 who were awarded their Silver Certificate today.
Well done children!

Thought of the Week

*'Christ beside me,
Christ before me,
Christ within me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me.'*

Saint Patrick



House Points

1st: St Therese of Lisieux: 119 points
2nd: St Oscar Romero: 95 points
3rd: St Francis of Assisi: 87 points
4th: St Josephine Bakhita: 69 Points

Headteacher's Award

Congratulations to Logan in Y5 for winning the Headteacher's Award this week. Logan has shown real persistence this week. When things are hard, he has kept trying and not given up. He also shared two reflective and thoughtful spontaneous prayers during the Y5 Stations of the Cross session in our parish church
Well done Logan!

Pen License

Congratulations to Kaitlyn and Ben in Y6 who have achieved their pen license this week. These children have been working very hard in class and their handwriting is excellent.
Well done children!

The Government's Household Support Fund will end on 31 March and will be replaced by a new Crisis and Resilience Fund from 1 April 2026.
Support for residents experiencing financial hardship will continue. You do not need to take any action at this stage. More information will be shared soon.

Thank You

Today was Mrs Powell's last day with us. She is leaving us to spend more time with her family. We wish her well and thank her for all she has done for the children at St Saviour's.

Dates to Remember:

Mon 23rd Mar: PM: Y3&4 walk for the Stations of the Cross
Tues 24th Mar: PM: Y2 Forest School session
Tues 24th Mar: Y3 trip to Ness Gardens
Thurs 26th Mar: Easter Hat Parade
Fri 27th Mar: 9am: Star of the Term Assembly
Fri 27th Mar: PM: Y6 walk for the Stations of the Cross
Sat 28th Mar: 9am: Wirral Way parish walk
Sat 28th Mar: 11am: Reconciliation: Our Lady's Church
Tues 31st Mar: 6pm: Y4,5,6 Stations of the Cross: Church
Wed 1st Apr: 1:30pm: School ends for the Easter break
Mon 13th Apr: INSET Day: school closed for children
Tues 14th Apr: 8:50am: children return to school

Our Easter hat parade will take place on Thursday 26th March!

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