



Newsletter

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Mass Times at Our Lady's Parish Church

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

Parish Dates

Please add these upcoming dates to your diary:

3rd October at 6:30pm: Quiz Night in the parish centre

10th October at 10am: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in our parish church for Adoremus

25th October: Children's Choir Mass at 11am followed by games in the parish centre

7th November at 6:30pm: Quiz Night in the parish centre

22nd November: Christ the King International Mass at 11am followed by food and refreshments in the parish centre

29th November: Children's Choir Mass at 11am followed by games in the parish centre

5th December at 6:30pm: Christmas Quiz Night in the parish centre

12th December: Parish Christmas Fair

Gospel Illustrations

Fr Godlove has asked the children in our parish Catholic primary schools to illustrate the Gospel each week.

One of these illustrations will appear in the parish newsletter and the others will be on display in the church over the weekend.

This week, Year 6 children have illustrated the Gospel for the 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Please take some time when you are at Mass this weekend to view these. They are beautiful!

QUIZ NIGHTS

AUTUMN 2026

SATURDAY 03/10/26 TV & FILM QUIZ

SATURDAY 07/11/26 DECADES QUIZ

SATURDAY 05/12/26 CHRISTMAS QUIZ NIGHT

STARTS AT 7PM

DOORS OPEN FOLLOWING SPM MASS

RAISING MONEY FOR THE SVP & THE PARISH

TUCK SHOPS Snacks, sweets and treats!

FUN GAMES Games for all ages!

GREAT PRIZES Fantastic prizes up for grabs!

Please join in the parish quiz night on Saturday from 6:30pm in the parish centre.



Children in St Therese of Lisieux house on her feast day yesterday!



October is the month of the Rosary! We will be praying this prayer in school this month. Please allow your child to bring their rosary beads into school next week.

Year 5 enjoyed their visit from the Cheshire Fire Service this week. They told the class all about what firefighters do, how their specialist clothing helps with this, and how to keep your homes safe. We then got to look at what the fire truck has on it, and the class even got a chance to use the truck's hose! Joffrey – *'My favourite part was when we got to spray the water from the truck!'*

Georgia – *'I enjoyed the video which told us how to keep safe and how important it is to do a fire drill at home.'*

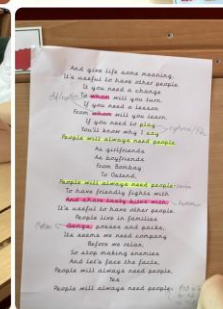
Amelia – *'The video inspired me to check the fire alarms each Tuesday, so I'll be reminding my parents!'*



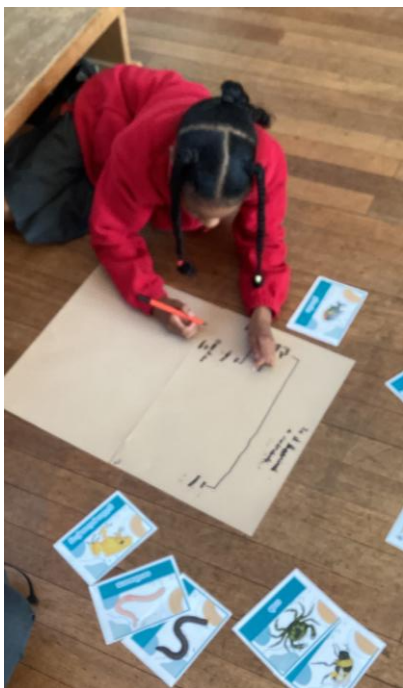
Year 4 created some fantastic pyramids this week, to show the social structure of the Aztecs. We found out that the emperor was in charge and he had a chief advisor to help him. Children thought about where in the social structure they would like to be if they were an Aztec.



Whilst celebrating National Poetry Day and Black History Month, Year 6 discussed the importance of speaking out and sharing important messages through poetry, just like Benjamin Zephaniah did. We discussed how poetry is not just for famous writers, but for everyone. Poetry belongs to every voice, every story, every community.



Year 4 have been busy learning how to create classification keys during their science lesson this week.



Zoo Orienteering Event

We are delighted to share that we have the opportunity for 4 children to attend an orienteering event at Chester Zoo. This opportunity allows the children attending to build confidence whilst working in small groups and be encouraged to complete challenges whilst also completing physical activity. After the main event, the children will be given the opportunity to see some more animals and explore the wider zoo.

Details:

- A staff member will transport the children to Chester Zoo in their car.
- Date: Thursday 8th October.
- Timings: 9:30am - 12pm (orienteering) / 12pm - 3pm (exploring the rest of the zoo)
- Children need to wear their school PE kit (with trainers) and a coat.
- Children need a water bottle and a packed lunch.

The following children have been chosen to attend this event:

Mya Y6
Anna Y5
Phoebe Y4
Eurydyce Y3

October is International Walk to School Month

This International Walk to School Month, we're continuing our WOW Tracker in school and shining a spotlight on the wellbeing benefits of walking and wheeling to school.

What is WOW?

WOW is all about making the journey to school more active – and more fun! Children record how they travel to school each day using the WOW Travel Tracker in their classrooms. If they travel actively at least three times a week for a month – whether that's walking, wheeling, cycling, scooting, 'Park and Stride', or 'hop-off' – they earn a WOW badge. Simple, motivating, and child-led!

Exercising first thing in the morning helps children build healthy habits, and it can also support positive mental wellbeing. From spending quality time with family to meeting friends along the way, the journey to school offers valuable opportunities to connect with others and feel part of the local community.

Walking and wheeling can also help children arrive at school feeling refreshed, focused and ready for the day ahead. Throughout October, we want to see as many of our children as possible walking and wheeling their way to school 😊

International Evening

Our International Evening was a fantastic celebration of the rich diversity within our school community. Families came together to share their cultures, creating a warm and welcoming atmosphere enjoyed by all. The hall was filled with delicious food from around the world, with families proudly representing countries including Wales, Scotland, England, Romania, Nigeria, India, Brazil, Peru, Guernsey and Australia. It was wonderful to see so many children and families wearing traditional dress and national costumes. The evening also gave children a valuable opportunity to learn about different cultures, traditions and ways of life from around the world. The event was a great success, bringing our community together to celebrate and learn from one another.

Thank you to everyone who helped make it such a memorable evening.



Year 3 Forest School

This week, Year 3 became palaeontologists in Forest School as they explored how fossils are formed. The children searched for hidden fossil cards, matched them to different fossil types, and worked in teams to sequence the stages of fossil formation. They also created their own fossil imprints using natural materials and enjoyed a mini dig, carefully excavating hidden bones and shells. It was a fun, hands-on session that brought their science learning to life. Of course, the afternoon was completed with toasted marshmallows and hot chocolate enjoyed together around the fire pit.



Speaking to staff

Please remember that staff are not generally available for unscheduled meetings with parents at the beginning or end of the school day. Our focus is teaching and learning and keeping the children safe.

If you wish to discuss a concern, please contact the school office to arrange to meet with your child's teacher. For more urgent or major concerns, Mrs Baird is available by appointment only.

Thank you for all of your cake donations for our MacMillan Coffee Morning and cake sale. We raised just over £350 for MacMillan Cancer support. ♥



Dates to Remember...

Sat 3rd Oct: 6:30pm: Parish Quiz Night in the parish centre
 Sun 4th Oct: St Francis of Assisi feast day
 Mon 5th Oct: Wear green day for St Francis of Assisi house
 Tues 6th Oct: Y3 trip to the World Museum in Liverpool
 Tues 6th Oct: PM: Y4 Forest School session
 Thurs 8th Oct: Zoo orienteering trip: selected children
 Fri 9th Oct: 9:30am: Blessing of our mosaic in the school hall
 Tues 13th Oct: Y5 Forest School session
 Wed 14th Oct: Y1 trip to Grosvenor Museum
 Thurs 15th Oct: 9am: Baby & toddler group
 Tues 20th Oct: Bright Day
 Thurs 22nd Oct: Disco
 Fri 23rd Oct: Half term break

St Francis of Assisi

Sunday 4th October is the feast day of St Francis of Assisi. This means that on Monday 5th October, all children who are in this house will be able to wear green to school on this day.

The children may wear their uniform which is green, their own clothes that are green or a green t-shirt with their uniform.

Next week (5th - 9th October) is 'Cycle to School Week 2026'. Our road safety officers have signed a pledge to encourage pupils and families to cycle scoot or walk to school in order to reduce traffic and pollution and support us all in being active.

So next week, please leave the car at home and support us in 'Cycle to School Week'.

Thank you
 Finn & Andrea

Thought of the Week

'Remember that nothing is small in the eyes of God. Do all that you do with love.'
 St Therese of Lisieux

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