

The Cathedral Catholic Primary School, Lancaster, LA1 3BT

Newsletter 14th November 2025

Unlocking potential together in faith and love

Mission

Each Monday we share our mission of the week in our whole school assembly. Our mission this week is for children. show that we are pilgrims of hope in our actions. Our stars of the week will be the children who have been spotted following the mission

Stars of the Week

Rec- Clara
Year 1-Kira
Year 2-Isa Rose
Year 3-Remy
Year 4-Dulsara
Year 5-Majesty
Year 6-William

Punctuality and Attendance Weekly

Reception-96%
Year 1-96%
Year 2- 95%
Year 3-96%
Year 4-98%
Year 5-95%
Year 6-99%
Whole school so far-94%

Be in the line for quarter to nine!!

Scripture of the week

The spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has chosen me to bring good news to the poor.

Punctuality

Thank you to all the parents and carers who have helped us this week with getting to school on time. The gate will shut at 8.50am again this week so please ensure you are there before that. Punctuality is such a good habit for children to have for future life and we want to help instil this. We have spoken to children about this in class and encourage you to help us with this.

If for some unforeseen circumstance you are coming in through the front door, please ensure you sign your children in with a reason. Thank you for your help ensuring your children are not missing their education.

Remembrance at Miss Whalley's Field

Year 5 and 6 represented our school so well on 11th November this week as we commemorated all those who have lost their lives in conflict. We were praised by visitors on our respect and attitude. Well done Year 5 and 6.



Reception Class lead Wednesday Afternoon Celebration of the Word – Wednesday 19th November at 2:55pm

Parents and carers of children in Year 1 are invited to join us at **2:55pm** in the school hall for our whole school time of prayer which they will lead on Wednesday 19th November. We hope to see you there.

Red Wednesday – Wednesday 19th November – Wear Something Red

Next Wednesday, all children are invited to wear something red to help us to observe Red Wednesday. Red Wednesday is an international day of prayer for Christians who are persecuted because they practise their faith. It is organised by Aid to the Church in Need. Donations to the work of Aid to the Church in Need will be gratefully received and can be brought into school on Wednesday. Thank you for your support.

Support #RedWednesday



PTA Disco

Come and join your friends in your best fancy dress outfit or whatever you fancy wearing and get dancing.

Payment on Arbor or cash on the night.

Christ the King – Sunday 23rd November – 10:30am Mass in the Cathedral

All families are invited to join us on the feast of Christ the King for Mass in the Cathedral at 10:30am – 11:30am. This is a special day in the Church – it is the last Sunday in the Church's year and we especially celebrate our young people. All children will sit together at the front of the Cathedral and children in Key Stage 1 will go to their own children's liturgy. We hope to see lots of you there.

40 Hours Devotion in the Cathedral

This is a special time of prayer in the Cathedral Parish and an opportunity to pray for many blessings for our families, homes and parish. This year, the Forty Hours Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at the Cathedral is on the following days and times:

Thursday 20th November 4pm-12 Midnight

Friday 21st November 5am-12 Midnight

Saturday 22nd November 5am-6pm

Key Stage 2 will visit the Cathedral to spend a short time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament on Friday afternoon.

Reflection on the Gospel

Please find reflections and activities on the coming Sunday's Gospel on the link below – you may wish to share it with your child(ren):

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/wednesday-word/good-news?pid=MTA101634&v=163.4>

Diary dates – Some dates will change to circumstance but please do check your emails for Arbor updates on dates.

Monday 17th November - Jubilee Day assembly.
Tuesday 18th November – Winter disco KS1 5-5.45pm
KS2 – 6-7pm
Wednesday 19th November – Red Wednesday for Aid to the Church in Need.
21st November – Home clothes day in exchange for chocolate
KS2 classes adoration in the Cathedral
Friday 28th November – home clothes in exchange for a bottle
School councillors announced in assembly
1st December – Whole school Mass for Advent in the Cathedral 9am
4th December – Year 6 to Lancaster University for Be the change day
5th December – Reception visit
Christmas fair 5-7pm
9th December – Nativity play at 2pm and 6pm in the Cathedral – SAVE THE DATE
10th December – Last clubs
11th December –Glow in the dark dodgeball
KS2 Reconciliation service
Friday 12th December – Home clothes in exchange for secret room present.
Reception Stay and Play
Monday 15th December – choir carol singing
Tuesday 16th December – KS2 party
Secrets room
Wednesday 17th December – Christmas jumper day for Homeless action
Reception and KS1 party
GIFT team lead parent prayer time 3pm
Thursday 18th December – Whole school Carol Service 9.30am All welcome
Christmas Panto at the Grand Theatre
Friday 19th December – school finishes for Christmas 1.30pm