



## The Cathedral Catholic Primary School, Lancaster, LA1 3BT

Newsletter 16<sup>th</sup> September 2022

*Unlocking potential together in faith and love*

### **Mission**

Each Monday we share our mission of the week in our whole school assembly. Our mission for the week is for children who are gentle and kind of heart just like St Bernadette. Our stars of the week will be the children who have been spotted following the mission.



Scripture of the week: I shall every moment loving

### **Stars of the Week**

Rec- All stars for settling in lovely!  
Year 1- Pippa  
Year 2- Eliana  
Year 3- Milena  
Year 4- Minnie  
Year 5- Jasmine  
Year 6- Zach

### **Punctuality and Attendance**

Reception-99.1%  
Year 1-98.4%  
Year 2-96.6%  
Year 3- 97.9%  
Year 4-98.6 %  
Year 5-99.0%  
Year 6- 98.6%  
Whole school-96.1%

**Be in the line for quarter to nine!!**

### **Queen Elizabeth II**

School will be closed on Monday due to her Majesty's funeral. We will keep her and all her family in our prayers at this sad time.



### **End Of The Day Arrangements**

**Please make sure that you stay on the Key Stage 2 playground (the large playground at the bottom of the steps) until you see your child's class come towards the rope. This is to help teachers and children to see parents. If you have a buggy please wait under the tree area. Once you have collected your child please leave the playground as swiftly as possible to help with congestion.**

### **Visit Of The Relics Of St Bernadette**

Our Cathedral is host to the visit of the relics of St Bernadette on Thursday 22nd September. More information about this special occasion can be found at <https://stbernadette.org.uk/> and <https://www.lancastercathedral.org.uk/parish/parish-news/timetable-for-the-visit-of-st-bernadette-s-relics>. Please note that parking in car parks around the Cathedral may be particularly busy on this day due to the high number of expected visitors. Pupils from Years 5 and 6 will have the opportunity to visit the Cathedral during this day. Parents/carers of children in Year 5 have been sent a separate letter about this by the Parent App.

### **Year 4 lead Prayer and Liturgy – Wednesday 3:00 – 3:10pm in School Hall**

Parents and carers of children in Year 4 are invited to join us for a time of prayer which will be led by Year 4 on Wednesday afternoon. Please come into school through the front door (next to the school office).

### **Unattended Children**

Please make sure children have an adult with them at all times in both the diocese and social centre car parks. If you are dropping children off in the morning you must stay with them until they are let into the playground. It is parent's responsibility to keep your child safe and not leave them to line up at the white door by the diocese car park.

### **Wednesday Word for Families**

This Sunday's Gospel and a reflection for families can be found at <https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/care?pid=MTA101634&v=67.8>. This is a wonderful resource which is well worth sharing at home.

### **Morecambe Football Club**

We are lucky that we have Morecambe football club to come and run a football club on Fridays 3.15pm – 4.15pm. This club is for Year 3 and 4 this term and will be run by professional coaches. A letter will be coming home soon. If you would like to join send back the permission slip. There are a limited number of places so first come first in. It will run Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September to Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December.

### **Meet The Teacher Evening**

Thank you to parents who came to meet the teacher. It was lovely to see so many of you finding out about your child's education. If you were unable to attend, the PowerPoint that was used is on website on the class page of your child.

### **Parent App**

Please ensure you have Parent App on your device. If you have not downloaded it please do so as we won't be sending paper copies of letters out except in exceptional circumstances. This is to try and become more sustainable but also the cost of paper has doubled and is continuing to increase. If you have any problems please contact the support page via the app.

### **PTA meeting**

The PTA need your help. We will be holding our first meeting of the year after school on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September at 3.30pm. Just walk around to the front office and come into school. This is a chance to meet other parents and help our school. We will think about new events and dates.

### **Olympic Athlete**

We are incredibly lucky to be having Stuart Robinson come to school on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> September. Stuart is a Paralympic rugby player who will talk to the children and complete workshop around fitness. A letter has been sent out on Parent App yesterday explaining this and that part of the event is to gain sponsorship for doing the exercise raising money for school. You can sponsor them by using the sponsorship form to be sent out on Tuesday or you can also sponsor your child by visiting: [www.sportsforschools.org](http://www.sportsforschools.org) and clicking on the button "Set up a Fundraiser Page".

## **OUR LADY'S CATHOLIC COLLEGE OPEN EVENING**



Aspire  
not to  
have more  
but to be  
more



**THURSDAY  
22ND  
SEPTEMBER  
FROM 5.30PM**