



The Cathedral Catholic Primary School, Lancaster, LA1 3BT

Newsletter 24th November 2023

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 to follow Jesus' example of helping others. Our stars of the week will be the children who have been spotted following the mission.

Scripture of the week: Jesus said to His disciples: 'When the Son of Man comes in His glory, escorted by all the angels, then He will take His seat on His throne of glory.' Matthew 25: 31

Stars of the Week

Rec- Hrithika
Year 1- Lena
Year 2- Thomas
Year 3-Tim
Year 4- Octavia and Harry
Year 5- Daria
Year 6- Jennifer

Punctuality and Attendance

Reception- 93%
Year 1-89%
Year 2- 94%
Year 3- 97%
Year 4- 96%
Year 5- 95%
Year 6- 94%
Whole school- 95%

Be in the line for quarter to nine!!

Year 3 lead Wednesday afternoon Prayer and Liturgy

Parents and carers of children in Year 3 are invited to join us at 3:00pm in the school hall for our whole school celebration of the word which Year 3 will lead on Wednesday afternoon. We hope to see you there.

Year 5 visit to Our Lady's Catholic College – Tuesday 28th November

On Tuesday, Year 5 will take part in a Youth Faith Celebration at Our Lady's Catholic College. They will be walking there and back so please make sure your child has a warm, waterproof coat. **They will return at the slightly later time of 3:30pm on this day.**

Christmas Tree Festival at Christ Church

A selection of children's prayers for hope and peace from all classes will be used to decorate a Christmas tree for our school at the Christmas Tree Festival at Christ Church.

School shoes

Please can children come to school in black school shoes. Trainers are not part of school uniform and children will be asked to change into pumps.

Own clothes for a bottle

Children can come to school in their own clothes on Friday 1st December. Please bring in a bottle for the Christmas fair. All the bottles will go towards our Christmas tombola at the Fair.

Many thanks for all your chocolate donations today.

Save The Date For Nativity

Reception and Key stage 1 will be performing their nativity on 12th December at 2pm and 6pm in the Cathedral. Tickets will be available but advanced warning is always good to try and book time off work if you need to.

Christ Church, Wyresdale Road, LA1 3EA

Christmas Tree Festival

All trees sponsored and decorated
by local community groups and businesses

2nd and 3rd December 10am-4pm
4th December 12noon-4pm
With a Candlelit Advent Service at 4pm

Music Refreshments Free Admission

50% of funds raised will support
Lancaster and District Homeless Action Service.

For more info: Facebook: @Christchurchlancaster,
01524 942105 or treefestivalatchristchurch@gmail.com

Mass to Celebrate the beginning of Advent – Monday 4th December at 9:15am in the Cathedral

You are invited to join us for a whole school Mass to celebrate the start of Advent on Monday 4th December at 9:15am in the Cathedral. We hope to see you there.

Mass of Thanksgiving for Father Chapple – Monday 4th December at 7pm in the Cathedral

Father Chapple has now moved to a parish in Preston and we welcome Fr. Matthew Minisare who has taken on the role of assistant priest for our parish. Everyone is invited to a Mass of Thanksgiving for Father Chapple on Monday 4th December at 7pm.

Diary Dates

Sunday 26th November – Christ the King mass – all children welcome

Monday 27th November – Maths carousel in school

Tuesday 28th November – Year 5 at Faith festival at OLCC

Thursday 30th November – Year 4 Christmas dodgeball.

Reception visit to Williamson Park – please wear wellies

Friday 1st December – Home clothes in exchange for a bottle

Tuesday 5th December – Glow in the dark dodgeball Y4 -6

Wednesday 6th December – Year 5 to visit the Dukes theatre

Friday 8th December – Christmas fair 5pm- 7pm

Monday 11th December – Christmas jumper day for St Francis group

Tuesday 12th December – Year 3 visit to Lancaster castle.

Reception and KS1 Nativity in the Cathedral at 2pm and 6pm

Wednesday 13th December – Year 5 and 6 ice skating

Friday 15th December - Christmas Dinner day

Reception Stay and Play

Monday 18th December – Secret room. Children can bring in £2.50 to buy a gift for an adult at home. It will be gift wrapped with a personal gift tag

Tuesday 19th December – Choir singing at RLI hospital

Whole school Carol service – 2pm

Wednesday 20th December – School finishes at 1.30pm



Thursdays
Our Lady's Catholic College
INDOORS (Entrance via Lune
Street)

Beginners 5.30pm-6.25pm
Advanced 6.30pm-7.25pm
£4.00 per session

Beginners sessions are for girls wanting to start their football journey, learn basic skills whilst having fun & building up confidence.

Advanced sessions will purely be mini matches, the best way to build up skills and confidence in a match situation with lots of touches of the ball.

Both sessions are for 5-12 year olds- children will be split into small groups.

Sessions are lead by 20+ years experienced, FA Qualified coaches who are CRB Checked