



St Clare's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 12th September 2025

St Clare's is a Christ-centred family where everyone is valued and respected. We learn and grow, whilst strengthening our relationship with God and one another.

Together in His love, we can achieve our full potential.

Play, learn and grow together with Christ.

Mrs Wroblewski's Message

Dear Parents

What a wonderful first full week of the school year we have had! It has been a delight to visit each of the classes and see the children looking so smart, working so hard and impressing their new teachers. A particular highlight was reading a story to Rowan Class, who were extremely enthusiastic about *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*.

Our fabulous new After School Club is up and running – please see our feature on the next page.

Have a great weekend, everyone!

Mrs. Wroblewski



Exciting Updates from Silver Birch After School Club.

Dear Parents and Guardians,

At Silver Birch After School Club, we understand that every family's routine looks a little different — and that flexibility is key when it comes to after-school care. That's why we're proud to offer a service that fits around your schedule, not the other way around.

 What makes us flexible?

- Choose the days that work best for your family — no need to commit to a full week.
- Last-minute bookings available (subject to space).
- Options for both regular weekly slots and occasional drop-ins.
- Two sessions available 3.20pm - 4.20pm and 3.20pm - 5.50pm (including drink and snack).

 Making childcare more affordable

We're also pleased to share that we now accept childcare vouchers and government tax-free childcare payments. This means you can save on costs while still giving your child a safe, engaging, and fun environment after school.

 A place kids love

Our club is more than just childcare — it's a space where children can:

- Make new friends
- Explore creative activities



- Enjoy active play in a safe, welcoming setting

We're here to make your afternoons easier while giving your child the chance to learn, grow, and have fun.



Ready to join us?

Spaces fill up quickly, so we encourage you to book in advance. For more information or to secure a place, simply contact school on 01772 787037.

Thank you for trusting us with your child's after-school adventures — we can't wait to welcome them!

Warm regards,

Mrs. Mills and Mr. Boardman
Silver Birch After School Club Managers
01772 787037



Faith

Here is our weekly mission - a small way of putting into practice the gospel values. We believe we are called to live our lives differently because of what we have experienced and prayed about. What we offer as the 'mission' is a suggestion of how we can all do just that.



Headteacher Award of Excellence



This Weeks Winners Are...

Little Saplings: Mmachi - *"For doing great maths work "*.

Rowan: Jordan - *"For amazing answers about the creation story "*.

Willow: Ada - *"For always trying her best, using her manners & being a great role model in class "*.

Hazel: Zayn N - *"For solving number problems"*.

Beech: Yahya - *"For settling in really well to Beech class & for always working hard "*.

Pine: Pearl - *"For beautiful handwritng"*.

Elder: Adil - *"For a fantastic effort into improving handwriting"*

Cherry: Veronika - *"For contributing towards lessons, always having a smile on her face and showing kindness"*.

Oak: Khalisah - *"For a fantastic start to year 6"*.

The Winning House this week: Haydock!

Dates for your Diary



- Wednesday 24th – Friday 26th September – Yr. 5 Castlerigg Trip.
- Friday 26th September – Reception Class MacMillan Coffee Morning (9:30am – 10:30am).
- Tuesday 30th September – Yr. 4 Lancaster Cathedral Trip.
- Wednesday 8th October – Yr. 2 trip to Lady well.
- Thursday 9th October – Open Day – 9:30am-11:30am & 4pm-6pm.
- Thursday 23rd October – Yr. 6 Harvest Bingo (10-11:30am).
- Friday 24th October – Last day of term.
- Tuesday 4th November – Return to school.
- Wednesday 5th November – Parent's Evening 1 (Details tbc)
- Thursday 6th November – Parent's Evening 2 (Details tbc)

Rowan Class MacMillan Coffee Morning



St. Clare's Macmillan Coffee Morning

We are inviting all reception parents, grandparents and family to come and have a coffee and a chat in our school hall for Macmillan Cancer Support.

The coffee morning will be on Friday 26th September 9.30am-10.30am. You will be able to spend time with your child reading, chatting and raising money for a good cause.

Please come along and bring your wallets!

Thank you for your kind support!



St. Clare's Catholic Primary School Open Day



It's time to start applying for a Primary School place for your child starting school in September 2026!

St. Clare's is a wonderful place to learn and grow. Our school is a Christ-centred family, where everyone is valued and respected and children are enabled to achieve their full potential.

We provide excellent teaching by a caring and dedicated staff team, and our extensive grounds are full of opportunities for outdoor learning. We have a Pre-School for children from the age of 3, as well as a Breakfast Club and After School Club to support busy families, both of which now operate within school and are led by school staff.

Our strong Catholic ethos and close links with the thriving parish of St. Clare's, our consistently excellent academic results, and our breadth of sporting and musical opportunities are just some of the reasons which make us a highly popular and oversubscribed school.

Our Open Day is on Thursday 9th October, 2025

Drop in from 9:30am - 11:30am to see the school at work, or from 4:00pm - 6:00pm.

You will be able to meet our Headteacher, Mrs. Wroblewski, and our Deputy Head, Mr. Parkinson. Our delightful Y6 pupils will be pleased to give you a tour of school, where you will be able to see at first-hand our caring, friendly and child-centred approach to education and understand what makes St. Clare's so special.

If you are unable to attend our Open Day, prospective parents are welcome to contact our School Office (01772 787037) to schedule a time to visit our school in action.

We look forward to welcoming you to our school!

School Clubs

Please keep an eye on Arbor, as clubs will be available to book from Monday at 9am. Places will be offered on a first come, first served basis.

Football Opportunity – Cadley Blues

Cadley Blues, an established grassroots football club, are looking for two new players to join their Year 5/6 squad. The team is already playing at a strong level, so they are looking for children of a similar ability to join.

Matches take place on Sundays, with training on Tuesday evenings.

If your child is interested, please contact Mark Noblet at Queen's Drive Primary School: m.noblet@queensdrive.lancs.sch.uk

Messy Church



Corpus Christi High School Open Evening Invitation



The governors, staff and pupils of Corpus Christi would like to invite Year 5 & Year 6 pupils and parents to our open evening!

This will take place on Wednesday 17th September 2025 from

6:00pm - 8:30pm.

Our Headteacher will give addresses to prospective parents from 6:15pm.

We look forward to welcoming you to our school.

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School Lunch

Week Commencing 15th September 2025

| Choice | Monday | | Tuesday | | Wednesday | | Thursday | | Friday | |
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| 1 | Southern style Chicken or Quorn Burger | | Salmon Fingers or Vegetable Fingers | | Roast Chicken or Roast Quorn Fillet Dinner | | Spaghetti Bolognaise with Beef or Quorn Mince. | | Fish Fingers or Vegetable Fingers | |
| 2 | Pasta Twists in Tomato Sauce (V) | | Loaded Pizza Panini (V) | | Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta (V) | | Choice of Filled Sandwiches Cheese/Tuna/Ham | | Margherita Pizza (V) | |
| 3 | Jacket Potato | | Jacket Potato | | Choice of Filled Sandwiches Cheese/Tuna/Ham | | Jacket Potato | | Choice of Filled Sandwiches. Cheese/Tuna | |