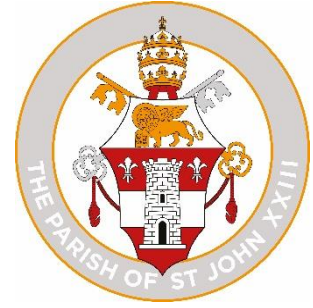




St. Augustine's Catholic Primary School



Headteacher: Mr John Entwistle

Friday Newsletter

Week Ending: 4th November 2022

Welcome to this week's newsletter

November's Value is Care & Compassion

Please can you re-enforce this at home with your children throughout November

Our Shining Light and Values Awards for 4th November 2022 go to



	Shining Light	Value (Care & Compassion)	Dojo
Blossom	Aliza & Nadia	JonJo & Namareq	Adam Y
Willow	Victor	Lienna	Eliza
Sycamore	Azhaan	Ehab	Ih'saan & Muhammad
Beech	Molly	Mylah	Aleeza & Maariyah
Year 3	Malieka	Matthew	Yumna
Year 3/4	Ziyaad	Aisha	Emily
Year 4/5	Aiden	Malik	Aleena M & Adam A
Year 5/6	Aaminah	Laaibah	Aaminah
Year 6	Romie	Lacey	Muhammad

SCHOOL
Attendance

	19 th – 23 rd Sep	26 th – 30 th Sep	3 rd – 7 th Oct	10 th – 14 th Oct	17 th – 20 th Oct	31 st Oct – 4 th Nov
Blossom	97.50%	96.33%	93.00%	94.83%	86.21%	97.24%
Willow	92.41%	93.12%	92.57%	93.62%	70.54%	95.36%
Sycamore	92.13%	96.67%	94.29%	82.59%	80.09%	88.46%
Beech	92.08%	94.00%	93.00%	87.33%	83.33%	97.33%
Year 3	100.00%	100.00%	95.94%	97.50%	93.36%	92.50%
Year 3/4	96.25%	98.33%	95.67%	91.72%	96.55%	95.21%
Year 4/5	99.22%	98.13%	89.06%	98.44%	98.05%	94.69%
Year 5/6	88.71%	96.77%	92.90%	95.16%	92.34%	91.25%
Year 6	91.25%	97.33%	93.49%	94.00%	84.58%	90.67%



SCHOOL START TIME

**PLEASE NOTE THAT OUR SCHOOL START TIME IS
8:45AM**



Lost property

Please remember to put your child's name in all their clothing items as we have a number of winter coats along with jumpers, cardigans etc in our lost property box. If your child has lost any clothing items please check the lost property box next week as any items that aren't claimed by Friday, 11th November 2022 will be sent for recycling.



Parent View

As our Ofsted inspection is imminent please can you complete the questionnaire on the Ofsted website and place comments and give feedback on the performance of our school. This is the link to the questionnaire: www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk.



School Admissions for September 2023

Applications are now open for children who are due to start primary school in September 2023.

If you have a child who is due to start primary school next year the deadline date is the 15th January 2023. Applications can be made online via the link below.

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/>



Importance of reading

It is extremely important that your child is able to read well. Reading supports all other curriculum areas and in school we definitely see that those with a better reading ability do better in all the other subjects.

Reading only improves with practice.

In school we put great emphasis on helping our children develop their reading ability and comprehension skills but they need to practice and this needs to happen at home.

If they do no other homework they need to read at home and preferably with an adult there to support them. We always hope for a minimum of 3 times a week, but the more the better.

If you would like help to support your child's reading please contact their class teacher and they will be more than happy to help.



Handle with Care

If your family is experiencing difficulties at home, I would like to provide additional support at school. I understand that you are not always able to share details and that's okay. If your child is coming to school after a difficult night, morning or weekend, please message me or your child's class teacher via DoJo simply saying "Handle with Care". You can also send a text message to Lynn, our Family Support Worker. Nothing else will be said or asked. This will let me know that your child may need extra time, patience or help during the day.

Regards Mr J Entwistle (Headteacher)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Class/Pupils	Event	Day	Date	Time
All	Children in Need Day	Friday	18 th November 2022	All day
All parents	Parents' Evening	Tuesday	22 nd November 2022	2:30 – 5:30
All	Celebration Assembly	Friday	25 th November 2022	9:15 – 10:15
All	Parish Advent Service – St Joseph's	Wednesday	30 th November 2022	6:00pm – 7:30pm
All	After School Clubs End	Thursday	1 st December 2022	4:00
All	School closed – Staff Inset Day	Friday	2 nd December 2022	All day
All	School Mass	Wednesday	7 th December 2022	9:30 – 10:30
Junior pupils	Sleeping Beauty Pantomime	Thursday	8 th December 2022	12:30 – 3:30
All	Father Christmas visit	Monday	12 th December 2022	All day
Infants	Nativity	Tuesday	13 th December 2022 Please note change of date	9:30 – 11:00 1:30 – 3:00
All	Christmas Dinner	Thursday	15 th December 2022	11:30 – 1:00

November is the month of the Holy Souls



This Sunday, 6th November 2022, is the Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

In this week's Gospel a group of religious leaders try to catch Jesus out but He shows them a different way of thinking.

Gospel: Luke 20: 27-38

Then some Sadducees, who say that people will not rise from death, came to Jesus and said, "Teacher, Moses wrote this law for us: 'If a man dies and leaves a wife but no children, that man's brother must marry the widow so that they can have children who will be considered the dead man's children.' Once there were seven brothers; the eldest got married and died without having children. Then the second one married the woman, and then the third. The same thing happened to all seven—they died without having children. Last of all, the woman died. Now, on the day when the dead rise to life, whose wife will she be? All seven of them had married her."

Jesus answered them, "The men and women of this age marry, but the men and women who are worthy to rise from death and live in the age to come will not then marry. They will be like angels and cannot die. They are the children of God, because they have risen from death. And Moses clearly proves that the dead are raised to life. In the passage about the burning bush he speaks of the Lord as 'the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.' He is the God of the living, not of the dead, for to him all are alive."