

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday 20th September 2024

It has been lovely having some sunshine this week and getting the children outside as much as possible, it really is good for the soul. Class 4 went swimming for the first time this week and demonstrated bravery, resilience and true kindness by cheering on their fellow classmates. I felt really proud watching them, so well done Class 4! We have a new Early Years Facebook page so please like, follow and share so everyone can see all the wonderful things our EYFS children do. Here is the link:
<https://facebook.com/profile.phpid=61564999661396>

WEEK BEGINNING: 23rd September

Monday 23rd September:

Tuesday 24th September:

9.05: Class 3 Stay & Pray - families welcome
Swimming for Class 4

Wednesday 25th September:

1.30: Hatty
3.30: Year 6 St Peter's Admission Meeting for parents with Mr McGlown

Thursday 26th September:

Day of Many Languages

Clubs 3.30 - 4.30

Mini Runners

Young Voices Choir

Friday 27th September:

National Teaching Assistant Day

WEEK BEGINNING: 30th September

Monday 30th September:

Tuesday 1st October:

9.05: Class 2 Stay & Pray - families welcome
Swimming for Class 4

Wednesday 2nd October:

9.05: EYFS Parents INSPIRE session

Thursday 3rd October:

Clubs 3.30 - 4.30

Mini Runners

Young Voices Choir

Friday 4th October:

2.00: Hatty

Mini Mission of the Week

To be like Jesus



Mini Mission Award

The nominees for our Mission award:

Ted R (Y1) Poppy T (Y2) Michael C (Y4)
Elsie G (Y5) Thomas L (Y5) Lizzie M (Y6)

And the winners are.....

Michael, Elsie & Thomas!

Tweak of the Week Award

The nominees for our Tweak of the Week award:

Edwin A (Y1) Poppy P (Y2)
Gabriel L (Y5) Scarlett L (Y5) Noah S (Y6)

And the winners are.....

Gabriel & Scarlett!

Stay & Pray

Our 'Stay & Pray Worship' this half term will take place at 9am-9:10am on:

Tuesday 24th September: Class 3

Tuesday 1st October: Class 2

Tuesday 8th October: Class 1

Parents please wait in the foyer to be taken up to class.

Whole School Worship

Our Worship this term will take place at 2.45pm on:

Monday 7th October: Mini Vinnies 'Harvest'

Monday 14th October: Class 1: 'Parables'

Monday 11th November: Class 4 'Remembrance'

Monday 18th November: Class 3 'Live Simply'

Monday 2nd December: Class 2 'Advent'



PE Kits

Just a reminder that our PE kit is:

A t-shirt with the school logo on or plain white

Plain blue PE shorts or plain blue tracksuit bottoms

A blue jumper with the school logo or plain blue jumper or hoodie Where possible, white, blue or black trainers.

Children should not be wearing any branded, patterned or coloured t-shirts, jumpers or hoodies.

Earrings

If your child has pierced ears, please can they come to school wearing silicone stud earrings only. Any other studs or style of earrings are not allowed to be worn in school and children will be asked to remove them or cover them up with plasters. Unfortunately, they will not be able to join in with PE lessons if they have earrings in, even if they are covered by plasters.

Secondary School Applications

The closing date for secondary applications for September 2025 is 31st October 2024. Applications to be made via your own council website.

Primary School Applications

The closing date for primary applications for September 2025 is 15th January 2025. Applications to be made via your own council website – the link for Lancashire County Council is:

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

The link for Wigan Council admissions is:

<https://www.wigan.gov.uk/Resident/Education/Schools/School-Admissions/Primary-schools.aspx>

If you know anyone who would be interested in our school, then please let them know.



Tunley's Macmillan Coffee Morning

A **Macmillan Coffee Morning** will be held at Tunley United Reformed Church, Mossy Lea Road, Wrightington on Friday 27th September, 10am to 12 noon. Enjoy coffee and cake, whilst raising funds for a worthwhile charity. There will be a raffle and home-made cakes and Bric-a-brac stalls. Everyone welcome!



Snack Time

A gentle reminder that if your child brings their own snack to school, please ensure it is a healthy snack such as fruit or cereal bars. We are a 'healthy school' so crisps, chocolate and sweets should not be sent in for snack time. Thank you