



Worship theme for next half term is:

# SERVICE



Using our talents to serve.

In our worships we look at all the talents that we can use to serve others or brighten up their

## PTFA

Every child in the Reception class has been given a reading book bag donated by the schools PTFA.

Thankyou

If your child is not in Reception and you wish to purchase a book bag you can do so at the office for £4.50



Help a family from our school who are raising funds for a 26 year old relative, Elliott Simpson. For those of you who know Elliott you will know what an amazing young man he is and he attended Our school, St Luke and St Philip's, as child.

Elliott was diagnosed with a metastatic melanoma at the end of 2020 on the back of this he also has a diagnosis of Crohn's disease. He has recently had the news, they are concerned that his immuno therapy isn't working as well as it was in the beginning, and now that his Crohn's is under control, the they would like him to have the combination immuno therapy. However the funding request to NHS England has been declined and it has been suggested to Elliott and his family that they would need to fund one of the drugs themselves. Before donating please note there is an optional commission bar at the bottom of the donation where you decide how much omission goes to GoFundMe this is optional - we need as much money to go to Elliott as possible so please look

at this before donating  
<https://gofund.me/816a5ba4>

## Parent support



Thank you to all the families that have recently completed the HENRY programme.



English lessons for speakers of another language

ESOL classes will begin on Thursday 12th January from 9.30 - 11.30 every week for 6 weeks. HENRY we are still awaiting the dates for this but if you would like to join one running at a Children's Centre please let me know and I will send in a referral form. Any questions feel free to ask!

Thank you Miss Dean

## After School Clubs



From January 3<sup>rd</sup> 3:30-4:30

Monday Year 1 – Multiskills

Tuesday Year 2 – Multisports

Wednesday Year 3+4 – Team Games

Thursday Year 5 + 6 – Team Games

Friday KS2 – Dodgeball



## NEW AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Tuesday KS2 – Drama Club

Please sign up at The Office



Don't forget if you have a child who will start school in September 2023 you need to apply by the 15th of January 2023.

Apply at Blackburn and Darwen admissions

<https://www.blackburn.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-admissions/admissions>



St Luke & St Philip's



Happy Christmas and a Happy New Year from  
St Luke and St Philip's School

As a school we would like to give all parents, carers, family and friends a very big thank you for all your support. You have helped the school raise money for charities and the PTFA.



Congratulations to all the children that are on 100% attendance. I will be sending out invites to the Parents/Carers to invite you to celebrate with your child in assembly on 16.12.2022. Please can we make sure medical appointments are made out of school hours where possible.

- Reception - 93.2%
- Year 1 - 94.2%
- Year 2 - 94.4%
- Year 3 - 93%
- Year 4 - 91.3%
- Year 5 - 93.8%
- Year 6 - 95.4%

School will close at 2pm on  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December and  
re-open on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>  
January At 8:45



### PUPIL VOICE

During Advent we have been preparing through our R.E lessons, learning our Christmas songs, and the infants have been rehearsing their nativity. Our choir are singing at the Cathedral and at St Philips Court. We have also enjoyed our visit to the Empire Theatre pantomime - Cinderella. We wish you all a Happy Christmas and New Year.  
Headboy Jan and Head girl Adriana

