

# Our Newsletter



18th September 2025

## Centenary Diocese Mass

This week our worship leaders represented our school at the Diocese Centenary mass. It was lovely to see the Preston schools join together, primary and secondary, to end the Our Lady of Lourdes statue tour. The beautiful statue has now been received by the trust, so we are able to share the work all the schools completed, together. One of our worship leaders was also chosen to serve on the altar with St Anthony's, a wonderful honour. Thank you to those who joined us.

## Wet, Wet, Wet

No, I am not talking about the horrendous weather we have had this week but Woodpecker class. They have now had 2 weeks of swimming and have taken to it like a duck to water. It is lovely seeing them set off every Thursday for their lesson. They are so quiet though for the rest of the day so, they must work themselves very hard.

## Year 5/6 Boys Football

Our invite to the GCA tournaments started again this week and it was the boys in Year 5 & 6 who kicked us off. They worked extremely well as a team and played with great respect. Out of the four schools entered, they came 2<sup>nd</sup> in the mini tournament. Well done boys and thank you to Mr McGown who coached them.

## Arbor updates

Please can parents check their details on Arbor- mobile phones, address etc. Also please complete the consents for your child eg photograph, school visits and medical consents- thank you.



## The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

In Sunday's reading we hear that God loved the world so much that he sent us Jesus, to help bring us closer to him. God sent us his Son, even though he knew that Jesus would be put to death on the cross. God knew that Jesus Christ would rise again three days later.

Through his death and resurrection Jesus gave us all new life. He is the saviour of the world. This is what we celebrate.

God does not just love you and me, God loves everybody. God loves all people whether they are rich or poor, no matter where they live or where they come from. No matter whether they are healthy or ill, no matter the colour of their skin. We are all God's children. We are part of one global family.

Loving God, we thank you once more for the sign of your great love for us, that is Jesus Christ on the cross. Help us to share your love with others and to support one another to build a better world. Amen.

# Upcoming Events

## September

22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> September- Y5/6 Water Park Residential  
24<sup>th</sup> September- Reception Vision check  
26<sup>th</sup> September- Woodpecker Class Mass  
29<sup>th</sup> September- Clubs start (not choir)  
30<sup>th</sup> September-Life Education visit

## October

2<sup>nd</sup> October- Y5/6 Girls football @ GCA  
3<sup>rd</sup> October- Heron class mass  
8<sup>th</sup> October-Parents Evening  
10<sup>th</sup> October- Owl Class Mass  
16<sup>th</sup> October-Y3/4 football @ GCA  
17<sup>th</sup> October- Wren Class Mass  
23<sup>rd</sup> October- Y5/6 Cross Country @ GCA  
23<sup>rd</sup> October- School closes for half term at 3.25pm  
24<sup>th</sup> October- INSET for staff  
3<sup>rd</sup> November- INSET for staff  
4<sup>th</sup> November -School re-opens

### PTA Events

19<sup>th</sup> September- MacMillan Cake sale  
3<sup>rd</sup> October- Film Night  
20<sup>th</sup> October- Christmas Card making  
23<sup>rd</sup> October – October Disco

Please support our PTA and come along

### Rising Star Award (Science)

Wren-Esme  
Owl- Seb  
Woodpecker- Maisie  
Heron-Oscar

### Blue Badges (Value of Uniqueness)

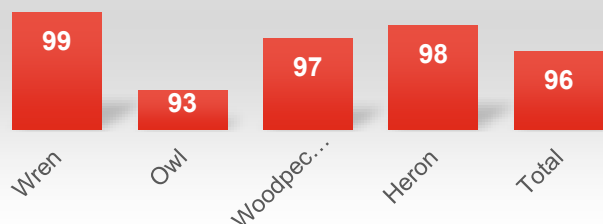
Wren-Arlo  
Owl- Lucas  
Woodpecker-Jonah  
Heron- Maddie

### Star Writer/Star Mathematician

Wren- Albert  
Owl- Bodhi  
Woodpecker-Mia  
Heron- Xander

### Weekly attendance percentages

■ Classes



## Admissions

Just a reminder for those children who have a 4th birthday between 1st September 2025 and 31st August 2026 that admissions are now open for a primary place. Please use the link below

For those who are in Year 6, secondary places are also open.

[Lancashire Admissions](#)