Our Newsletter

28th November 2025

Festive Spirit!

At the beginning of the week our choir joined the other local schools to welcome the 'Garstang Light Switch on'. It was lovely that they could all attend and it was certainly well supported by the community. It certainly started off the festive season and a little bit of Christmas appeared. Well done choir. Please check on 'Your Garstang' facebook page for photographs.

Bulb Planting

Last Friday our gardening club helped the Mayoress, Cllr Elizabeth Webster, plant daffodil and snow drop bulbs at the top of Castle Lane. It will be lovely to see them pop up in spring and add a bit of colour to the top of our road. Well done and thankyou to Mr Percy for also helping out.







Arbor updates

Please can parents allow notifications from your Arbor app. This way we do not need to send messages on dojo to remind parents to check Arbor for trips etc.

We are now adding all GCA trips on Arbor so these will need a consent from yourself before your child is allowed to take part in the trip. Thankyou

Shepherd King, TRANSFORM OUR DESIRE FOR POWER, WEALTH AND APPROVAL INTO A LONGING TO SERVE YOU AND OTHERS. MAKE US EVER AWARE OF HOW OUR LIVES IMPACT THOSE MOST IN NEED OF OUR GENEROUS SERVICE, AND GIVE US THE COURAGE TO CHANGE THE WAY WE LIVE. Amen.

Christ the King

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of Christ the King, reminding us that Jesus is our true shepherd and guide. In the Gospel, we hear how Christ's kingdom is built on love, mercy, and service. He calls us to care for one another, especially the most vulnerable, as a sign of His reign in our hearts.

The Feast of Christ the King marks the end of the Church's year and invites us to think about who leads our lives. Jesus shows that true leadership is not about power but about serving others with love. At home and in school, we can follow His example by being kind, forgiving, and helping those in need.

Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, Help us to follow Your example of love and kindness. May we serve others with joy

Upcoming Events

December

3rd December- OLHS Advent service 5pm

4th December- Y5/6 Basketball @ GCA

5th December- Whole school Advent Mass @ 10am

9th December - Nativity 2pm

10th December- Nativity 9.15am

12th December- Winter Wonderland 2pm

16th December- Christmas lunch

Lancaster Singers & choir concert

17th December- Christmas Party Day

18th December- Choir @ Cornmill

19th December- Finish for Christmas 1pm

5th January- School re-opens

PTA Events

12th December- Winter Wonderland

Please support our PTA and come along

Rising Star Award (MFL & Communication)

Wren- Toby Owl- Orlaith Woodpecker- Ryan Heron-Eliana

Blue Badges (Value of Service)

Wren- Bella Owl- Jasper Woodpecker-Daisy Heron- Emilynne

Star Writer/Star Mathematician

Wren- Poppy Woodpecker-Thea and Jonah Heron- Ivy

Weekly attendance percentages Classes 100% 98% 97% whoodpec... Light Total

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

Lancashire Admissions