



St Peter's Pastoral Newsletter Summer 2022

Welcome to the Summer term newsletter for the pastoral life of St Peter's. It's so lovely to have prepared a newsletter for this term after two years of disruption, I am sure you have been kept up to date with what the chaplains have been doing through the weekly newsletter, the chaplaincy newsletter and twitter.

The Pastoral Team are Mrs Scott (Head teacher) Ms McBride (DHT & RE Leader) Miss Hume (School Council Lead) Miss Doe (SEND/CO) Mrs Barnes (Rainbows & Chaplaincy Coordinator) Mrs Sapiano (PSHE Lead) (Father Edward (Parish Priest)

Brentwood Catholic Children's Society	PSHE
We are fortunate to have a trained counsellor to work with our children who may be experiencing difficulties. This is provided with parental consent.	We are continuing to use Jigsaw (scheme of work) to promote and support the teaching of PSHE. It covers all the main objectives appropriate to the age of the children.
Masses and Services	
Friday Mass attendance for two classes each time	
29-04-2022	5M & 2A
06-05-2022	4H & 1D
13-05-2022	4P & 1C
20-05-2022	6H & RJ
27-05-2022	6W & RS
Half Term	
10-06-2022	3H & 5M
17-06-2022	3O & 5B
24-06-2022	4H & 1D
Wednesday 29th June 2022	Whole school Mass for SS Peter & Paul
08-07-2022	4P & 1C
15-07-2022	Year 6
Saturday 14 th May Sunday 15 th May	First Holy Communion Masses

19-07-2022		Year 6 Leavers' Mass
Class Assemblies		
Date	Class	Theme
25-04-2022	2H	Respect & Tolerance (British Values)
16-05-2022	1C	Enthusiasm (Core Values)
13-06-2022	1D	Looking after Our World
27-06-2022	RJ	Love
11-07-2022	RS	Being Thankful

Sunbeams & Rainbows Bereavement Support

At St Peter's we are fortunate to be able to offer Sunbeams & Rainbows Counselling. Rainbows is a well-respected national charity having a proven and positive impact on the lives of children, young people and adults grieving a significant and often devastating loss in their lives. Our vision is quite simply for these children to be understood and supported appropriately. The work of Rainbows is tried, tested and researched, monitored and evaluated. We know the impact of our work is long-lasting and has a tangible impact on people's lives.

Behaviour Rewards & Awards

At St Peter's we aim to reward and praise children for their good efforts. Recognising, sharing and celebrating achievement is an important part of our lives. Such an approach creates a positive environment in which children can develop an understanding of relationships with others and a sense of self-discipline.

This happens in a variety of ways. Teachers are encouraged to send children who have worked hard to achieve a particular target to the HT/DHT for praise and acknowledgement.

It is important that good behaviour is acknowledged and rewarded for all pupils; whether they are consistently cooperative or hard-working or they have succeeded in correcting inappropriate behaviour and/or work patterns.

Most children respond to small rewards and much can be accomplished both in the classroom and around the school by well-placed words, smiles and gestures. Our updated Behaviour Policy is available to view on the website.

St Peter's Pupil Chaplaincy
Sharing the love and life of Jesus every day

- To help the school be a community of faith.
- To encourage pupils to live their faith daily.
- To develop good relationships within and beyond the school community.
To support the liturgy, prayer and the spiritual life of the school.
To involve pupils in fundraising activities.
- To continue to develop strong links with the Parish.
To support the school in its Mission and Vision Statements.
Follow the work of our Chaplains in their monthly newsletter.

Our chaplains: Aimua, Andi, Angel Jada, Anthony, Chiagoziem, Chi Chi, Demi, Elijah, Emmalee, Joshua, Joseph, Julia, Kamil, Osasere, Sherise, Treasure, Uchechi & Xavier

Our chaplains have enjoyed preparing and presenting the Wednesday Word to the rest of the school, both in front of all of Key Stage 2 and going into the younger classes. They also prepare the Gospel for Friday's assembly, and set an example in their behaviour when the children are coming into the halls for assembly. They really are promoting the Catholic Life of the school.

Core Values

All the Core Values have now been fully introduced through morning assembly and the children have discussed them in class. Mrs Scott has now introduced weekly Core Value Ambassadors, who are nominated by staff weekly and then celebrated in Friday Assembly.

Religious Education is a lifelong process and we recognise the best way for our children to be fully engaged and to be living that faith is to make it active and alive.

In our recent inspection it was recognised that the introduction of our School Core Values which form a focal point for Collective Worship across the school, and the way we now have nominated 'Core Value Ambassadors' is a positive and important part of the Catholic Life of the school.

PERSEVERANCE, RESPECT, INTEGRITY, COMPASSION, ENTHUSIASM

The Common Good

On October 2nd Mrs Scott will be running the London Marathon for the Family Holiday Charity, they are a charity who help families get time away together, often for the first time ever. Helping families' children who have never seen the sea, for teenagers who can't remember when they last saw their mum smile. For parents having to choose between a day out and a new pair of school shoes. For young carers, kinship carers, families facing illness isolation and bereavement.

We will holding a number of fundraising events to support this wonderful charity and Mrs Scott.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club	After School Club
Every weekday from 7.30am – 8.45am Please speak to Mrs Cosburn and/or The School Office about arrangements.	We are happy now to be offering After School Club. Every day from 3,15pm -5.30pm Please contact the school office for a registration form, or the school mobile on 07932 534751

School Clubs

Monday	Before school: Year 5 Multisports After school: Year 4 Football
Tuesday	Before school: Years 1/2 /3 Judo After school: Year 3 Multisports
Wednesday	Before school: Year 5 Football After school: Year 2 Football
Thursday	Before school: Year 4/5/6 Acro Gymnastics After school: Year 4 Football
Friday	Before school: Year 4/5/6 Judo After school: Year1/2/3 Acro Gymnastics