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NEWSLETTER

13th June 2025

Dear Families,

This Week's Gospel – from

Jesus said to his disciples:
'I still have many things to say to you
but they would be too much for you now.
But when the Spirit of truth comes
he will lead you to the complete truth,
since he will not be speaking as from himself
but will say only what he has learnt;
and he will tell you of the things to come.
He will glorify me,
since all he tells you
will be taken from what is mine.
Everything the Father has is mine;
that is why I said:
*All he tells you
will be taken from what is mine.*'



Loving God, you are with us always. Send us your Spirit to teach and guide us to live in peace with each other every day. Amen.

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First Holy Communion

*Sophie Joseph Pearl Anna Violet Oliver Gabriel Daisy Elsie
Jenson John Blake Paige Leighton Fred Toby Isaac Hugo
William Jordyna Penelope Nancy Bella*

Congratulations to the children who made their First Holy Communion last Saturday. It was a beautiful Mass and we were very proud of all the children.



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Thank you to the children who supported their friends by singing in the school choir at the Mass and to Fabio for altar serving. They all helped make to the Mass so special.



Special Sunday Mass

Please save the date – **Sunday 22nd June** at 11am

Mass at St. Marie's Church on this date will be a family Mass. All children, families and staff are warmly invited. The children will be involved in the Mass. The Year 4 children who will have made their First Holy Communion earlier in the month are invited to wear their special clothes again and be presented with their special cross.

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Other news this week...

Bright Beginnings - This week everyone had fun playing with the parachute! Bright Beginnings takes place every Wednesday from 9.15am -10.15am. Everybody is welcome.



Pre-School - The children have enjoyed creating a special habitat for their caterpillars.



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Reception – This week the children released their butterflies and were so excited to see them fly off and start the lifecycle all over again!

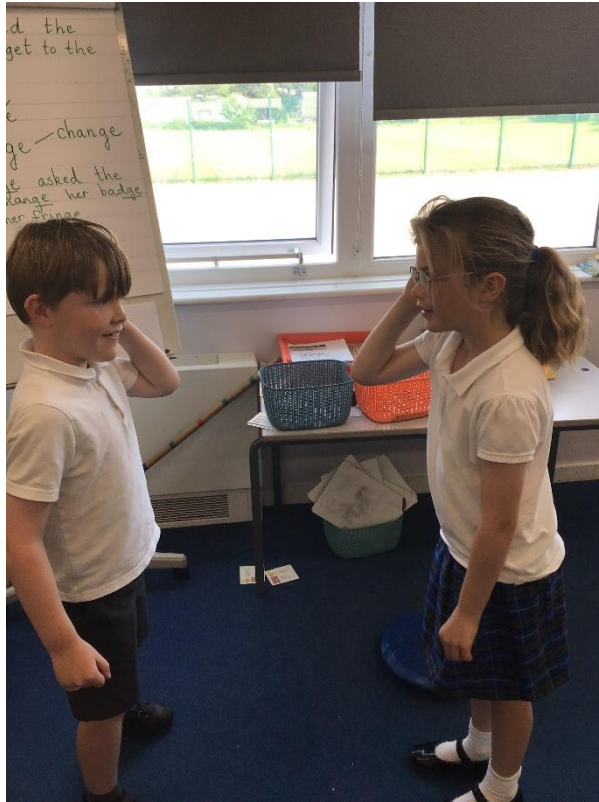


Year 1 – This week the children have been telling the time to the hour.



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Year 2 - have been practising calling the emergency services.

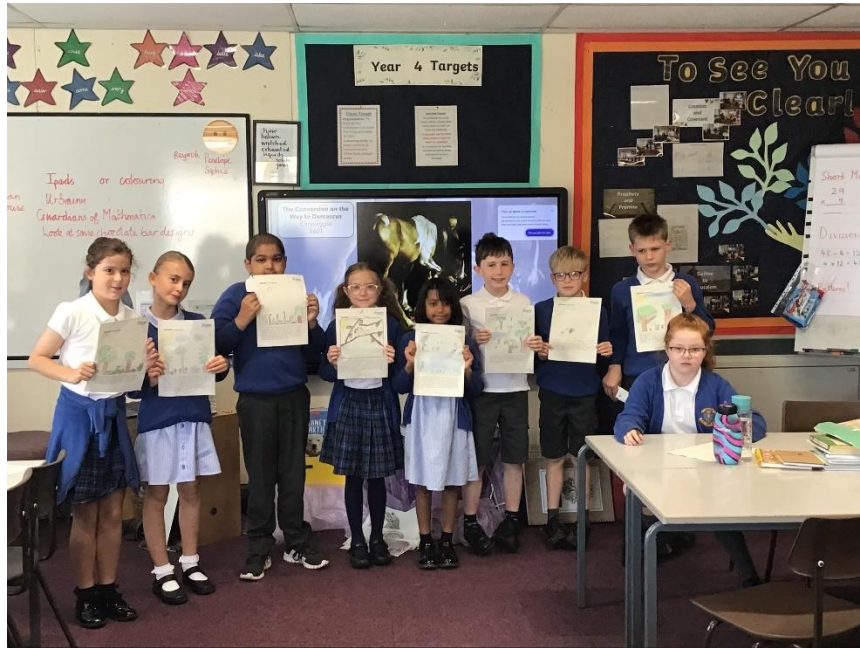


Year 3 - have been making links to scripture in RE



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Year 4 – In Science, the children have been examining what impact the changing seasons have on the habitats of animals that live in the U.K.



Year 5 - the children have been planning and designing their eco-house project ahead of their science day event.



Year 6 – have been using their Reception buddy's designs to create a teddy.



Dates for your diary - any highlighted dates show new information that has been added since last week's newsletter.

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| Monday 16 th June | Football team play in a competition |
| Tuesday 17 th June | Year 5 Science Project |
| Thursday 19 th June | Rounders Competition for team of Year 5/6 3.45pm – 5.15pm at Standish High |
| Friday 20 th June | Year 2 educational visit to Formby |
| Friday 20 th June | Year 1 football team play in a competition |
| Tuesday 24 th June | <p>Reception children have a visit from Punch and Judy as part of their seaside topic</p> <p>Year 5 visit to St. Peter's for a day of fun and to experience a day in the life of a Year 7 pupil</p> <p>Faith in Action group have their presentation ceremony and celebration 10-2pm</p> <p>Town Sports at Robin Park Arena 4pm Year 5/6 team</p> |

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| Wednesday 25 th June | Coffee morning meeting for parents of children with SEND 9am – 10am at school (new date) |
| Thursday 26 th June | Town Sports at Robin Park Arena 4pm Year 3/4 team Reception 2025 parents' meeting 3.30pm at school |
| Tuesday 1 st July | Year 5 go to St. Peter's for a science morning New Reception 2025 class parents' meeting 3.30pm |
| Wednesday 2 nd July | Year 6 go to St. Peter's for Mini Olympics event |
| Thursday 3 rd July | New intake meeting at St. Peter's |
| Friday 4 th July | Assembly for the children from Wigan Hospice |
| Monday 7 th July | Fieldwork Fun week begins (all classes have a Geography focused week) |
| Tuesday 8 th July | Xylophone performance by Year 4 for their Parents 9.15am Year 5/6 Performance of Joseph 6pm in school (more details to follow) |
| Wednesday 9 th July | Year 1 and 2 – Song Share New Reception class of 2025 in school Year 5/6 Performance of Joseph 6pm (more details to follow) |
| Thursday 10 th July | Dress in purple or wear purple accessory for Wigan Hospice |
| Friday 11 th July | Year 6 Leavers' Festival at school 6pm Parents receive their child's report |
| Monday 14 th July | Wigan's Mayor in school |

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| | Reception Celebration of their wonderful work 9am in class Year 6 Leavers Mass 6pm in school |
| Tuesday 15 th July | Transition morning when children go up to their new teachers and classrooms for the morning |
| Wednesday 16 th July | Year 6 – retreat day at church |
| Friday 18 th July | School breaks up for summer 2pm |

Attendance Matters at Saint Marie's

Our school target is 96.5%. Please be mindful of not booking holidays in term time.

| Class | Attendance % |
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| Reception | 94.6 |
| Year 1 | 94.5 |
| Year 2 | 96.8 |
| Year 3 | 96.1 |
| Year 4 | 93.7 |
| Year 5 | 96.4 |
| Year 6 | 94.2 |

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This week's Golden Book children:

Pre-School – **Isla** for always being ready to learn.

Reception – **Jamie** for his hard work in phonics and writing. He has also made good choices in the classroom.

Year 1 – **Sofiia** for being brave and keeping going.

Matilda for phonics strategies.

Year 2 – **Ellie** for great listening and learning and caring for others.

Year 3 – **Penny** for always thinking of others.

Year 4 – **Blake** for always working hard to apply her learning.

Year 5 – **Sarin** for dedication and hard work in and out of class.

Year 6 – **John** for his performance skills showing great facial and vocal expression.



Well done children!

With very best wishes for a lovely weekend everyone, Mrs Jackson