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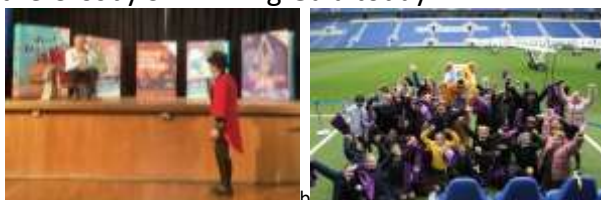
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This Week

On Tuesday, some Key Stage 2 children attended Bootle Literary Festival for an audience with Children's Laureate, Frank Cottrell Boyce, and Professor Elemental. On Wednesday, 5M visited the Hill Dickinson Stadium to support BBC Radio Merseyside's Phil Munns on his Children in Need challenge. They can be heard at 3h15m on <https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/m002lclc>

On Wednesday and Thursday, Year 6 classes visited the Liverpool Anglican Cathedral with the theme of Remembrance. Thank you to our PTA who have been running the discos yesterday and today. Well done to our Year 5 swimmers who took part in the Crosby Swimming Gala today.



CATHOLIC LIFE

Fr John's Pilgrimage to Rome

Please keep Fr John in your prayers over the next few days while he is on pilgrimage in Rome with other clergy.

Stay and Pray

Thank you to everyone who came to Stay and Pray this morning. The next one will be next Friday 28th November from 8.45am to 8.55am with Fr John in the studio.

Wednesday Word

This week's Wednesday Word is 'Enthusiasm'. Please take some family time each week to read it. Please visit our Catholic Life > Catholic Life and Mission page.

<https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/catholic-life-and-mission>

Catholic Pic

November's Catholic Pic includes an article about the Headteachers' Rome Pilgrimage that Mrs Morton joined, and has a history of the Liverpool Diocese.

https://issuu.com/catholic_pic/docs/catholic_pic_november_2025

Pope Leo's Monthly Prayer Intention

Pope Leo's monthly prayer intention for November is for the prevention of suicide. *Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, comfort and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.* XXX Pope Leo XIV 2025.

Pope Leo XIV's video is on Our Catholic Life > Prayer, Liturgy and Jubilee page:

<https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/prayer%2C-liturgy-%26-jubilee>

Advent Masses

During Advent we shall have Masses on Wednesdays 3rd, 10th and 17th December at 8am for families and parishioners.

7th November 2025

Mass Times

Regular Sunday Mass times for our churches are:

St Helen's: Sunday 10am

Ss Peter and Paul

Sat 5.45pm, Sun 10.30am

St Joseph's

Sat 6.30pm, Sun 11.15am

Diary Dates

November

Mon 10th – Fri 15th: Anti-

bullying Week

Mon 10th: Odd Socks Day

2.30pm Nursery Stay and Read

Tue 11th: 2.30pm Nursery Stay and Read

3.30-7pm 6T Parents Evening

6pm PTA Meeting

Wed 12th: 2.30pm Nursery

Stay and Read

3.30-5pm 6T Parents Evening

Wed 26th: 9am 6JL Class Mass

10am 2HW/2B Advent Service

2pm 2B/2WB Advent Service

Thu 27th: 9-10am Sefton

Mental Health Support Team

Parent/Carer Coffee Morning

December

Wed 3rd: 8am Advent Mass

9am 6D Class Mass

Fri 5th: 3pm – Christmas Fair

Tue 9th: 9am 4M Rejoice

10am RG Nativity

10.30am Nursery Nativity –

NBW and Full Time

Wed 10th: 8am Advent Mass

9am 3M Rejoice

10am RMB Nativity

Thu 11th: 9am 1BC and 4R

Rejoices

10am RFZ Nativity

10.30am Nursery Nativity –

NEW and Full Time

Mon 15th: Christmas Party Day

– non-uniform day

Tues 16th: Santa Dash

Wed 17th: 8am Advent Mass

Christmas Dinner & Christmas

Jumper Day

Fri 19th: End of Term 1.30pm

January

Mon 5th: INSET Day

Tue 6th: Start of Term

Attendance this week:



94.6%

Anti-Bullying Week

Next week is national Anti-Bullying Week. Monday is Odd Socks Day to celebrate what makes us all unique. Children are invited to wear odd socks with their normal uniform. The theme is 'Power for Good' focusing on using power responsibly. There will be activities during the school week. Please take some time to read the Parents/Carers support guide and use the activities at home. It is on the Parents/Carers > Letters page of our website. <https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/letters>

Staff Leaving

Next Friday, our Site Manager, 'Mr Steve' will be retiring after keeping our school running for over 21 years. Mr Coyne will also be leaving as he starts a new adventure. We thank them both for all their hard work.

Eco Council – Ten Ways to Be Eco-Friendly at Home – 5. Choose eco-friendly cleaning products

The Eco Council encourages us to choose eco-friendly cleaning products that are biodegradable and non-toxic, so that we are not polluting our waterways and the environment.

PTA

The next PTA meeting is at 6pm next Tuesday 11th November. All parents/carers are welcome to attend.

Uniform

Please check that all uniform and clothes, especially jumpers and coats, have your child's name inside. If it goes missing in school then it can be quickly returned. We still have a number of items that look new, but have no name inside, so we have no idea to whom they belong.

Fundraising

Well done and thank you to our fundraisers this week, From Year 5, Rachel, Jocelyn, Lola & Lucy held a 'Design your own Galaxy' competition raising £11.00 for Zoe's Place. Owen and Leo in Year 3 ran a 'Design your own Squishmallow' competition which raised £13.40 for Alder Hey.

School Lottery

The school lottery tickets can be bought online by or following the link on our Parents/Carers > Letters page or here: <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/great-crosby-catholic-primary-school>
There is a weekly prize as well as the £25,000 jackpot. Good luck!



Parking

Please ensure that when parking near school, our neighbours' driveways are clear for them to use.