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This Week

Fr John celebrated a lovely Ascension Day Mass with Years 3 to 6 on Thursday. There are photos on the Catholic Life > Catholic Life and Mission website page.

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

Year 2 have enjoyed their 'Skip for the Trip' sponsored event on today to raise funds for their forthcoming trip to Chester Zoo.. There are photos on the Our Learning > Year 2 page. <https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/year-2> Early Years children have been busy in our Forest School planting fruit and vegetable seeds and watching them germinate. Look at the photos on the website Our Learning > Forest School page. <https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/forest-school> Reception have been learning about how litter can affect animals in the ocean, by reading the story 'Somebody Swallowed Stanley'. Find out more at Our Learning > Reception.

<https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/reception>

First Holy Communions

We send our prayers and best wishes to the Year 5 children making their First Holy Communion this weekend at Ss Peter and Paul's. The children will be supported by their families and members of staff at the Masses today at 7pm, tomorrow at 12pm and Sunday at 10.30am.

Next week

Monday to Thursday is KS2 SATs week for Year 6. It is important that they come to school promptly by 8.55am with a water bottle and having eaten breakfast. More details on the Our Learning > Year 6 page.

<https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/year-6>

Wednesday Word

Please take some time to read the Wednesday Word on our Community > Gt Crosby Catholic Life page. This week's word is 'Care'.

<https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/gt-crosby-catholic-life>

Catholic Pic Magazine

The latest edition of our Archdiocese magazine the Catholic Pic can be read on the Catholic Life > Our Parish and Archdiocese page

<https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/our-parish-%26-archdiocese>

Being Green Tip

As our Forest School have been planting seeds and looking after plants, are there any plants that your child could look after at home?

Mass Times

Regular Sunday Mass times for our churches are:
St Helen's: Sunday 10am
Ss Peter & Paul
Sat 5.45pm, Sun 10.30am
St Joseph's
Sat 6.30pm, Sun 11.15am

Diary Dates

May

Mon 13th to Thu 16th –
Y6 SATs Week
Mon 20th to Fri 24th –
Sports for Champions /
Quidditch Week
Tue 21st – 9.05am –
RF Rejoice
Fri 24th – Wear a Kit for
Jack Day
Mon 27th – 31st – Half Term
Holiday

June

Tue 11th - 9.05am –
3B Rejoice
Wed 12th - 9.05am –
5E Rejoice
Thu 13th - 9.05am –
6T Rejoice
Thu 20th – Y2 Trip to
Chester Zoo

July

Sun 14th - Sacred Heart 5k
Fun Run in memory of
Isabel Morison

Attendance



96.7%

Sports for Champions and Quidditch Week – 20th – 24th May

During the week of 20th – 24th May, on their PE days, all the children will take part in a sponsored 'Sports for Champions' event and have a session of Quidditch.

The table below shows when children should come to school in their PE kit:

	Sports for Champions		Quidditch
Monday 20 th	Y3 Obstacle course	Y6 Skipping	4D, 4B, 4ML, NBW, RM
Tuesday 21 st	Y2 Parachute activity	Y4 Basketball shooting	6T, 6R, 6JL. 6M, RHL
Wednesday 22 nd	Y1 Skipping	Y5 Penalty shootout	3A, 3C, 3M, 3B, RG, NEW, RF
Thursday 23 rd	Reception Egg & spoon	Nursery Bean bags & hoops	2M, 2WL, 2B, 2A, 1L, 1ZF, 1C, 1M
Friday 24 th			5DM, 5C, 5HW, 5E

CAFOD Sudan Emergency Appeal

CAFOD have highlighted the desperate plight of people in Sudan following a year of conflict which has forced millions of people to flee their homes and they now face another crisis – hunger. If you would like to find out more and make a donation please visit <https://cafod.org.uk/give/donate-to-emergencies/sudan-crisis-appeal>

Pope Francis's Monthly Prayer Intention – May 2024

Pope Francis's monthly prayer intention for May is for the formation of men and women religious, and seminarians.

Let us pray that men and women religious, and seminarians, grow in their own vocational journey through human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, that leads them to be credible witnesses of the Gospel. Pope Francis – May 2024

We are blessed that Cardinal Vincent Nichols, Archbishop of Westminster and the head of the Catholic Church in England and Wales was a pupil at our school.

Find out more at <https://www.popesprayer.va/may-prayer-intention-2024/>

Culture Liverpool – Eurovision – The Return!

Lots of our children and families enjoyed the events around Eurovision in Liverpool last May. Culture Liverpool have several family events in the city centre tomorrow, the day of this year's final. Please visit <https://www.cultureliverpool.co.uk/liverpool-loves-eurovision/> for information.

12th Crosby (St. Luke's) Scout Group – New Squirrels Section

12th Crosby (St. Luke's) Scout Group is the white building situated in the corner of our playing field.

The Scout Association has recently introduced a new section into Scouting called Squirrels which is aimed at 4 and 5-year-olds. They are hoping to start their own section of Squirrels, called a Drey at the beginning of June. They are proposing that the meetings will be on a Saturday, during term time between 10 & 11am.

If you are interested, please contact Tim Hodgson, Group Scout Leader, 12th Crosby (St. Luke's) Scout Group timbohodgson@gmail.com