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CATHOLIC LIFE

This Week

Thank you to all the Year 1 to 6 parents/carers who have joined us for Meet the Teacher sessions over the last two weeks. The presentations are on the Our Learning > class pages of our website. Thank you also to the children who came to Mass for Education Sunday. The offertory included symbols of school work and activities.

Year 5 First Holy Communions

Application forms for Year 5 First Holy Communions in 2027 are available from SS Peter and Paul's Church. There will be information about preparation sessions at both SS Peter and Paul's and St Helen's in the near future.

The Wednesday Word

The Wednesday Word this week is 'Generous'. It is on our Catholic Life > Catholic Life and Mission page for you to read.
https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/catholic-life-and-mission

Pope Leo's Monthly Prayer Intention

Pope Leo's monthly prayer intention for September is for the care of water. *Let us pray for the just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone can have equal access to it.* Pope Leo XIV 2026. Pope Leo XIV's video is on Our Catholic Life > Prayer, Liturgy and Jubilee page:
https://greatcrosbycatholicprimary.com/prayer%2C-liturgy-%26-jubilee

Catholic Pic

The September edition of the Catholic Pic features the 50th anniversary of the Liverpool Youth Pilgrimage to Lourdes, which some of our former pupils attended as part of Sefton Coach 7. It is on our Catholic Life > Our Parishes and Archdiocese page and
https://issuu.com/catholic_pic/docs/catholic_pic_september_2026

CAFOD Family Fast Day

Friday 2nd October is CAFOD Family Fast Day. On that day we shall be having a collection for the Food Bank. We will have a list of requests soon.

Sponsored Walk

Next Friday, the 25th, we are holding our whole school sponsored run. Sponsor forms can be downloaded from the school website > Parents/Carers > Letters page. Children will be allowed to come in a sports kit of their choice, or their PE kit. All children who take part will receive a sticker and certificate.

Macmillan Coffee Morning

Also next Friday morning, we are hosting a Macmillan Coffee Morning in the hall from 8.45am onwards. We would be very grateful for donations of shop-bought cakes and raffle prizes. Thank you. Any surplus cakes will be available at the end of the day for a donation to Macmillan.

Mass Times

Regular Sunday Mass times for our churches are:
St Helen's: Sun 10am, 4pm
Ss Peter and Paul
Sat 5.45pm, Sun 10.30am
St Joseph's
Sat 6.30pm, Sun 11.15am

Diary Dates

September

Fri 25th: Macmillan Coffee Morning
Whole School Sponsored Run – PE/Sports kit to be worn
Tue 29th: 4pm-7pm Sacred Heart Open Evening
Tue 29th- Thu 1st: Posh Prints school photos

October

Fri 2nd: CAFOD Family Fast Day Foodbank Collection
Mon 5th: 6pm PTA AGM
Fri 9th: Y1 Liverpool Trip
Wed 14th: Readathon Relay 9am 6D Class Mass
Thu 15th: 9am 1D Rejoice
Tue 20th:
9am 3M and 4S Rejoices
Wed 21st:
3.30-7pm Parents' Evening
Thu 22ndt: 3.30-5pm Parents' Evening
Mon 26th – Fri 30th: Half term holiday

November

Mon 9th-Tue 10th:
CHET 5B, 5M
Tue 10th–Wed 11th:
CHET 5C, 5MW
Wed 11th: 9am 6T Class Mass
Wed 18th: 9am 6T Class Mass

December

Wed 2nd: 9am 6M Class Mass
Tue 8th: 9am 1L Rejoice
Wed 9th: 9am 3C Rejoice
Thu 10th: 9am 4B Rejoice

Sacred Heart Open Evening

Sacred Heart Catholic Academy's Open evening is on Tuesday 29th September from 4pm to 7pm.

PTA Annual General Meeting

The Parents and Teachers Association (PTA) Annual General Meeting (AGM) is at 6pm on Monday 5th October. All parents/carers are very welcome to review the last year, help to make plans for this school year and to elect a committee.

Parking

Please take care to respect our neighbours by parking responsibly and particularly not blocking any driveways. Also, please remember not to cause air pollution by keeping your engine running when parked. Thank you. We have had several complaints from residents at Ascot Park about parents parking inconsiderately, blocking drives and the thoroughfare. This week we have had complaints from our neighbours in The Precincts whose drives have been blocked, meaning they were unable to leave for work.

Contact Details

Please contact the school office if any contact details (eg address, phone numbers, email address etc.) have changed.

Footballs

Children are reminded that hard 'casey' footballs are not allowed in school. Light 'fly-aways' are the only balls allowed at the staff's discretion.



