

Saint Anthony's Catholic Primary School and Nursery

Newsletter



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In our Gospel this week Jesus reminds us that all we need is faith the size of a mustard seed to do mighty things! We often think that our faith isn't good enough; but Jesus tell us it is. With even just a little belief in Him, we are able to do wondrous things.

In our worship today we are encouraging the children to be humble; seek God with trust and an open heart. Let your belief be personal and unique to you and don't be afraid of it not being good enough because God loves you.



As we start a new week at St. Anthony's, let us be ever-reminded of the importance of our children loving and caring for each other and sharing their faith.

This Week:

We have had some lovely school events this week. On Tuesday children in Nursery and Reception, along with their parents, were invited to share a hot chocolate and a 'bedtime' story. Everyone came dressed in their pyjamas ready to snuggle down with a good book! Mrs Oppé held her first Writer of the Month Tea Party. Children shared their fantastic pieces of writing and had a lovely piece of cake and a chat on Thursday afternoon.

Congratulations to our Year 4's who took part in a football tournament this week and finished 3rd out of 14 teams!

Thank you to our fantastic Year 6 choir for their beautiful singing at Mrs Oppé's Induction Mass on Tuesday evening. We were all very proud of you.



Today we waved goodbye to our Year 6 children as they set off on their exciting adventure to Dunfield House. We wish them the very best of weeks and can wait to be updated throughout the week about their activities.

The WORD of the Week:

Each week we would like to share a scripture with you to share and discuss with your children.

As a prisoner for the Lord, then, I urge you to live a life worthy of the calling you have received. Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace

Ephesians 4:1-4

Learning, Growing and Living With Jesus

Attendance

Well done to 4 Elizabeth for getting 100% attendance last week. This means that you can come into school on Friday wearing your own clothes!

Please make sure wherever possible that your children are in school every day.

Clubs

A reminder to all parents that clubs are now on Parent Pay and you are able to sign your child up for clubs. There are still spaces available and some clubs have now opened up to different year groups.

A Prayer for the week

Lord Jesus,
throughout this week,
increase our faith.

Through our struggles, questions and doubts, strengthen our belief in you.

May our minds be opened, our spirits refreshed and our hearts filled with humility and Love

Amen

Calendar Dates:

07/10— 1 Ruth salad tasting in dining hall 3pm
08/10— Year 2 Maths workshop 2:45 pm
09/10— 1 Joshua salad Tasting in dining hall 3pm
10/10— Year 5 Maths workshop 9.15 am
11/10— Dunstable Mass
Year 6 children return
22/10— Parents evening 4.00-6.00pm
23/10— Parents Evening 4.00-6.00 pm
PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE NO CLUBS ON THE 22/10 or 23/10 DUE TO PARENTS EVENING

Local Events:

Saint Bernard's Catholic Grammar school are hosting a Barn Dance on 19-10-19. starting at 19.30-23.00. Tickets are £15 Please call 07866765859



Start and End of Day:

Please ensure that if you need to enter the school for any reason, you do so through the main entrance, not through classrooms or doors from the playground, so that we can keep a log for safeguarding and fire safety.

We have reviewed the end of day procedures for all years and have decided that all children in Year 4 to Year 6 will be walked out to the playground and handed over to parents/carers.

If year 6 children wish to walk home they must bring in a note giving permission. If somebody new is collecting your child, you must ensure that the school has been made aware of this.

Harvest Festival

Please start bringing in any non-perishable donations for our Harvest celebration. Each class will be putting out a collection box this week.

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Please return all forms with payment by 11-10-19. This is the final date as we must confirm final numbers with the Young Voices company.

School Uniform

Please make sure that all uniform worn and bought into school is clearly labelled with your child's full name. The lost property bunkers are getting full again.

Growth Mindset:

Our quote for this week is:

To live a creative life we must lose our fear of being wrong.

Volunteering and Supporting our school:

We would like as many parents/carers as possible to get involved in supporting our school. If you would like to join our PTA, or can offer learning support, or even any other skills to make our environment even better, please get in touch with the school, or with Krisztina Varga, who leads our PTA.

