



WHAT'S IN THE NEWS?!

Last week was extremely warm in school and the children were very resilient as they continued with their learning. Please not staff in school cannot apply sun cream so please ensure you put this on before they come to school. Please also ensure your child has a sunhat to wear when they are outside and a reusable water bottle. Each classroom has a water filter so all children have the opportunity to refill their bottle to stay hydrated.

Last week year 2 used their oracy skills to question each other and investigate fruit, to ideas for designing and making a healthy fruit cup snack.

Year 3 worked scientifically to classify plants and animals. They looked at how plants make their own food through photosynthesis and how animals have to eat food to get nutrients. Year 5 and 6 continue with their Forest School sessions, please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for these sessions. For health and safety reasons, if your child isn't, they will not be able to take part. A reminder that Crocs are not suitable footwear for these sessions.

This week, Year 5 and 6 continue with their cricket coaching from Patrick from Nottinghamshire Cricket,

Our remaining INSET Days of this academic year are 28th and 29th July. School will be closed for all children on these days.



WORD OF THE WEEK: EUCHARIST

2nd Week after Pentecost Year C

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First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20
Gospel Reading: Luke 9:11-17

Second Reading: Hebrews 1:1-10
New Testament: Luke 22:14-23

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Daily Breakfast Club 7:45-8:40

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (Please collect at 4:30pm)



Monday Breakfast Club	TB Sport: Girls Football (Year 4, 5 and 6)	3:15 - 4:30
Tuesday Breakfast Club	TB Sport: Lacrosse (Year 4, 5 and 6)	All day 3:15 - 4:30
Wednesday Breakfast Club	TB Sport: Tennis (Year 2 and 3)	3:15 - 4:30
Thursday Breakfast Club	TB Sport: Boys football (Year 4, 5 and 6) Mixed football (Reception and Yr 1)	3:15 - 4:30
Friday Breakfast Club	TB Sport:	3:15 - 4:30

ATTENDANCE SHOUT OUTS!!

Our Education Welfare Officer, Miss Bradshaw, monitors attendance daily and continues to make home visits to support parents to ensure their child attends school regularly and on time.

Last week Reception achieved perfect school attendance with 100%. Year 6 achieved 99.35% and Year 2 and 3 also achieved above our school target of 97% with 98.99% and 98.33% attendance.

School Matters!



CONGRATULATIONS TO

Alex, Daisy, Freya, Joshua, Lena, Medet and Olly who yesterday received Jesus for the first time in Holy Communion.



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Week beginning:	School Event	Assemblies/Services	After School
21.04.25		25.04.25 Whole School Mass - Easter 2pm in church	EXTENDED SERVICES CLUBS BEGIN
28.04.25	28.04.25 Resurrection Rock led by Year 3 and 4 2:15pm 01.05.25 Year 5 Retreat - Joyful Mysteries Rosary	02.05.25 House Prize Afternoon	
05.05.25	05.05.25 Bank Holiday - school closed to all pupils 08.05.25 VE Day celebrations 08.05.25 Year 4 Retreat - Sorrowful mysteries Rosary 2pm	07.05.25 Rosary led by Year 5 2:40pm 09.05.25 Celebration Assembly 2:30pm	
12.05.25 KS2 SATs week	15.05.25 Year 6 Retreat - Glorious mysteries Rosary 05.23 Coronation Bank Holiday Monday, school is closed	14.05.25 Rosary led by Year 4 2:40pm 16.05.25 Celebration Assembly 2:30pm	
19.05.25		19.05.25 Whole School Assembly 2:30pm 21.05.25 Rosary led by Year 6 23.05.25: Achiever's Assembly 10am	
26.05.24 HALF TERM			
02.06.25 Year 4 Times table checks	02.06.25 St Joan of Arc Feast Day 05.06.25 Year 3 Retreat afternoon Pilgrims of Hope 06.06.25 Partake in school - Yr 1		04.06.25 New parents meeting at The Becket
09.06.25 Key Stage 1 Phonics screening	12.06.25 Year 2 Retreat afternoon Pilgrims of Hope 13.06.25 Partake in school - Yr 3	09.06.25 Whole School Assembly 2:30pm	
16.06.25	19.06.25 Year 1 Retreat afternoon Pilgrims of Hope 20.06.25 St Alban Feast Day	16.06.25 Whole School Assembly 2:30pm 20.06.25 :Celebration Assembly 2:30pm	
23.06.25	26.06.25 Year 4 Retreat afternoon Pilgrims of Hope	23.06.25 Whole School Assembly 2:30pm 27.06.24 Celebration Assembly 2:30pm	
30.06.25		30.06.25 Whole School Assembly 2:30pm 04.07.25 Celebration Assembly 2:30pm	
07.07.25 Healthy Schools Fortnight	07.07.25 Transition Visits in school and Becket 08.07.25 year 6 visit The Becket	07.07.25 Whole School Assembly 2:30pm 11.07.25 Celebration Assembly 2:30pm	
14.07.25 Healthy Schools Fortnight	15.07.25 Year 5 visit The Becket 17.07.25 Key Stage 2 Sports Day 1:30pm 18.07.25 EYFS / KS1 Sports Day 1:30pm	14.07.25 Whole School Assembly 2:30pm	16.07.25 Year 6 Production - 6pm
21.07.25	21.07.25 Family picnic 12:15pm	23.07.25 Achievers Assembly 24.07.25 Year 6 Leaver's Mass 2pm 25.07.25 Year 6 Leaver's Assembly 9:15am	

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PARISH NOTICES:

PARKING AT OUR CHURCHES: PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE WHEN PARKING NEAR, OR AT, OUR CHURCHES. DO NOT PARK ON THE YELLOW HATCHED LINES AT ANY OF OUR SITES. AT ALL CHURCHES: PLEASE DO NOT BLOCK DRIVES, DO NOT BLOCK ENTRANCES AND PARK WITH CONSIDERATION FOR OTHERS.

Fr Chris was blocked in last week and so was late to the next Mass. Do not block the gate at St Augustine's, this again caused problems – parking is available on the main Woodborough Road, across the road and also up the road before Woodville Gardens. Car parking at Sacred Heart is available outside the school behind the church with a short work. There is plenty of on-street parking at OLSE – it may mean a 2-minute walk.

Collection last week for Day for Life: totalled £296.50. Thank you. For more info visit: www.cbcew.org.uk/day-for-life/

First Holy Communion Masses next week, Sunday 29th are at Sacred Heart and St Augustine's. As a parish community, let's welcome and support these young disciples.

Share The Word! The Parish is beginning a new scripture group, led by Sr Patricia and Fr Dennis. We will meet weekly to reflect on the upcoming Sunday Gospel whilst incorporating the 'Word' of the week into our reflections. It will be a great opportunity to encourage our Faith journey through scripture. Please join us, beginning on Wednesday 2nd July at 7pm in the OLSE Cafe.

Parish Pilgrimage to Rome & Assisi – led by our Parish Priest, Fr Chris Thomas. Flying from Birmingham on Monday 3rd November and returning Friday 7th with accommodation in Rome for 2 nights and 2 nights in Assisi. The cost is £1056 per person plus £135 for single supplement. **PLENTY OF SPACES - itinerary includes; procession through the Holy Doors, Mass in St Peter's, guided tour of the City, visiting the Catacombs and St Paul's outside the walls. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN GOING – PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE THIS WEEK AS WE WILL BE OPENING IT UP TO OTHER PARISHES**



Please pray for:

- **Maureen Hopkins RIP** - Reception into St Augustine's Church on Monday 30th June 6.00pm with Requiem Mass on Tuesday 1st July 10.00am followed by a burial at Redhill cemetery at 11.30am
- **Neil Webster RIP:** funeral service 2 pm, Gedling Crematorium 1st July.
- **Bridget Maguire RIP:** funeral Mass 9.30 am 4th July at Sacred Heart

This week

- **Community Café at Our Lady & St Edward's** Wednesday 12.00
- **Community Café at Sacred Heart Community Centre** Thursday 12.00
- **Meditation Group:** our next meeting is on Thursday 26th June at 7.30pm on zoom Meeting ID: 517630879 Passcode: 6em01w <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/517630879?pwd=UysvOEIKSTBkVHINMWtMRDdkMEpUZz09> All Welcome

Wednesday Word: Resource for children on the Sunday Gospel:

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/wednesday-word/goodnews?pid=MTA101634&v=163.4>

Music Practice: Monday 7th July at Sacred Heart at 7.30pm. All Welcome.

FODBANK ITEMS REQUIRED THIS WEEK: Sanitary towels, washing up liquid, sugar, tinned garden peas, tuna & soup, toilet rolls, shower gel and weetabix. Thank you to those who continually support our foodbank for those in need in our parish.

Jesus Youth UK is organising a weekend retreat designed especially for young married couples in the first seven years of their marriage. Amor Familia offers an opportunity to grow together in faith, love, and community. It will be held at The Briars, Crich, between Friday 24th and Sunday 26th October, with nursery services will be available for children over 2 years of age (under 2s can stay with their parents). More details are at: <https://forms.jesusyouth.co.uk/r/mO9y9g>

CHILDREN'S LITURGY DATES COMING UP

Our Lady & St Edward's - first Sunday of the month – 6th July

Sacred Heart - Term time - next one 6th July

St Augustine's - twice monthly, second & third Sundays 13th July

Jubilee Evening with David Wells - at the Church of the Assumption Hall, Beeston NG9 1AE on Wednesday 2nd July 2025. Doors open at 7pm for

7.30pm. Come along and enjoy a light-hearted talk on the theme Waiting in Joyful Hope. The event is free, but please book a ticket as space is limited 07880534333. Donations for expenses gratefully appreciated.

The Relics of Saints Andrew, Margaret and Columba will be visiting Saint Barnabas Cathedral on Friday 4th and Saturday 5th July, with a Welcome Liturgy prior to Mass at 1.00pm on Friday, and veneration throughout the day until the Cathedral closes at 7.00pm. On Saturday veneration will take place throughout the day, apart from during Mass or other services, and the Relics will depart after the 6.30pm Mass. The visit has been arranged by the Knights of Saint Columba in celebration of the Jubilee Year of Hope, do come along!

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AN AFTERNOON OF TENNIS FUN

On Thursday afternoon Year 5 and 6 enjoyed a visit to the tennis centre as part of the Lexus Open. Despite the weather being very warm, The learnt loads of new skills and some children were told by the coaches that they should consider taking it up as a hobby! Well done to everyone.



MASS TIMES & LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Monday 23rd June	9am (OLSE)	MASS Phi Tran Quang & Anna Le Thi Khuang RIP
Tuesday 24 th June The Nativity of St John the Baptist	10am (SA)	MASS Service of the Word & Communion
Wednesday 25 th June	10am (SH) 6pm (SH)	MASS Funeral of Gelsomina Mignano RIP Doug Carty RIP
Thursday 26 th June	10am (SA)	MASS Michael Ridge RIP
Friday 27 th June Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	9:15am (SH)	MASS Patrick & Frances Scahill RIP
Saturday 28 th June		MASS Ordination Mass
Sunday 29 th June St Peter & St Paul, Apostles	9.00am(OLSE) 10.15am (SH) 11.30am (SA)	MASS Carmen A Williamson RIP Douglas & Edna Baptist RIP People of the Parish

Holy Family Parish Summer Fair **Our Lady & St Edward School Field** **Saturday 28th June 2025 1pm**

We are supporting the upcoming Parish Fayre. Thank you to those who have bought raffle tickets and returned payment and stubs back to school. If you do not wish to purchase raffle tickets, please return the full back to school so it can be sold on the day of the fayre. Thank you for your generosity as part of our non-uniform day. The Summer Fair team were very grateful for the bottles they received on Friday.

