



Together we live and learn, we play
and pray.

Sacred Heart RC Primary School Newsletter

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Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

We have had a wonderful week, with the children continuing to impress everyone with how they have come back to school. Our new reception children have started part time and I have had the pleasure of spending sometime in the class alongside Mrs Cutter. We have both been amazed at how quickly the children have settled into school life and how well they have been listening and working. Finally, I am please to see the children looking very smart in their new school uniforms, however already a number of jumpers have been lost. Please ensure all clothing, including PE kits, is clearly named to avoid this in the future.

Generous God, in you we have all we need. Help us to put you first in all that we do and to trust that you will care for us always. Amen.

Mr Cooper
Head of School

Weekly Attendance

We have made a great start this year with our attendance. Congratulations to Year 2 and 4 for both have 100% attendance this week - excellent! Our overall school attendance this week was 99.26%. Let's keep this up!

Twin Lakes Trip – 20th September 2016

Just a quick reminder that on Tuesday Year 5 and 6 will be spending the day at Twin Lakes to get fully immersed in their theme 'Scream Machine'. The day will start at the usual 8.45am and the children will return around 4.15pm. You will have received a letter in recent days for full details. If you have any questions please see Mrs Robertshaw or Miss Spaven.

House Captains

Congratulations to the following children on being elected house captains and vice house captains.

	House Captain	Vice House Captain
St Andrew	Libby	Ellie
St David	Alex	Kunjal
St George	Enkeled	Sophia
St Patrick	Sofia	Michael

Parking

You will have noticed that over the summer holidays, we have been re-marking our school parking spaces. In doing so this has created a further 6 spaces, which should go a little way to helping you park in the mornings. You may have also seen the addition of some yellow lines; please make sure you DO NOT park on these.

It has been further noted that some parents are continuing to park outside spaces and blocking in other cars. This affects the exit route of all vehicles and could potentially cause an accident. A reminder that The Cresset are happy to support school and allow parents to park in their car park and walk 2 minutes through the underpass to school.

School nurse appointments

If you would like to talk to the school nurse about any medical issues that you are concerned may be affecting your child, please make an appointment to see the school nurse on Wednesday 16th November from 9.15-11.30am. If you are unable to attend but would like the nurse to contact you by telephone that morning this is possible in certain circumstances. For any appointment (in person/telephone) a referral form will need to be completed beforehand. This can be obtained from the school office.

First Holy Communion 2017

Enrolment forms are available, school entrance or from St Oswalds, and should be completed for all children (Year 3 and above) who wish to make their First Holy Communion in the parish in 2017. Completed forms must be received by the parish by Sunday 25 September 2016, the final extended date for First Holy Communion in 2017.

Parent and toddler group at St Oswald's

For your information there is a parent and toddler group that meet every Wednesday morning from 10.30am at St Oswald's church hall.

School Notice Boards

Please look out on our school notice boards for the latest FOSH minutes, governor minutes, weekly newsletter and general school updates.

Ofsted Parent View

Parent View gives you the chance to tell us what you think about your child's school. Parent View asks for your opinion on 12 aspects of your child's school, from the quality of teaching to behaviour. A screencast demonstrating how to register and complete a survey on Parent View is available on the website www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk By sharing your views, you'll be helping us to further improve as a school.

Autumn Term Dates - 2016	
19-9-16	2.30pm – YR4 Meet and Greet session – details to follow
20-9-16	YR 5 and 6 Trip
21-9-16	2.30pm – YR3 Meet and Greet session – details to follow
21-9-16	KS1 Theme Day
22-9-16	9.15am – Mass (CANCELLED)
22-9-16	2.30pm – YR2 Meet and Greet session – details to follow
23-9-16	2.30pm – YR1 Meet and Greet session – details to follow
29-9-16	9.15am – Mass (CANCELLED)
5-10-16	6.00pm Reception Naming Ceremony – details to follow
5-10-16	YR4 Stibbington
6-10-16	9.15am – Mass (Whole School)
6-10-16	YR4 Stibbington
7-10-16	YR4 Stibbington
11-10-16	School Photographs
12-10-16	YR6 Caythorpe
13-10-16	9.15am – Mass
13-10-16	YR6 Caythorpe
14-10-16	YR6 Caythorpe
17-10-16	Parent Meeting Week
20-10-16	Harvest Festival
HALF TERM	
1-11-16	9.30am – Mass
3-11-16	2.30pm and 6.00pm RE workshops
10-11-16	9.15am – Mass
16-11-16	9.15am – 11.45am School nurse drop in clinic (appoint required)
17-11-16	9.15am – Mass
22-11-16	KS2 Play – Times to be confirmed
23-11-16	KS2 Play – Times to be confirmed
24-11-16	9.15am – Mass
1-12-16	9.15am – Mass
1-12-16	6.00pm – Advent Service
8-12-16	9.15am – Mass

9-12-16	Christmas Fayre
13-12-16	2.00pm – Reception Nativity
14-12-16	2.00pm – KS1 Play
15-12-16	2.00pm KS1 Play
16-12-16	10.00am Pantomime at the Cresset
19-12-16	Christmas Lunch
19-12-16	KS1 Christmas Party
20-12-16	KS2 Christmas Party
21-12-16	Christmas Jumper Day
21-12-16	Last Day
4-1-17 Children return to school	