



Our Mission statement at St Joseph's encompasses our ethos and values:

Everyone Together with Jesus

Inspired by Jesus, we grow closer to God through prayer and worship. We always do our best and show respect, love and care for everyone.



Reading Stars



Well done to these lucky children whose tickets were drawn this week.

Year 1— Willow
 Year 2- Nathan
 Year 3— Phoebe
 Year 4— Jessica
 Year 5— Tillie
 Year 6— Orla

Thank you to all the parents who have listened to and read with your children this week, you are making a huge difference in their lives—well done.

School Value Award Winners

Reception	Alfie
Year 1	Roan
Year 2	Amelia C
Year 3	Harry
Year 4	Daisy
Year 5	Thomas Ha
Year 6	Nell

Sports Champions

Year 1	Aspen
Year 2	Finn
Year 3	Dominic
Year 4	Freddy F
Year 5	Peggie
Year 6	Lennon

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School in the Parish.



Prayer and Liturgy

Our prayer and Liturgy focus this week is :

Belonging

Mass times at St Agnes and St Aidan's Church this weekend

Saturday 27th September: 5:30pm

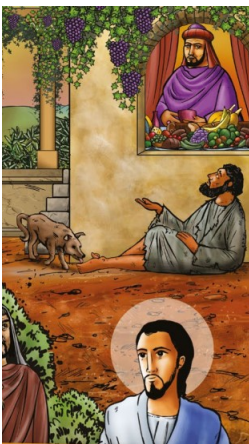
Sunday 28th September : 9:00 & 10:30am



Our RE topic is : Baptism / Confirmation

St Joseph pray for us and our Parish—St Joseph pray for us.

Sharing Sunday's Gospel with parents/carers.



In this Sunday's Gospel we read about poor Lazarus, suffering at the rich man's gate - and the rich man does nothing to help him. It's easy for us to become so caught up in the busyness of life that we don't even notice the needs of others or, worse still, ignore them. But Jesus repeatedly teaches us about fairness, sharing and kindness to others, particularly to the poor.

The question of a successful life is not: "How much did I accumulate?" but rather, "How did I use what God had given me to help others?" So, let's not put off until tomorrow the good that we can do today. Enjoy your week and help share God's love.

A Word from the Saints

"Give something, however small, to the person in need. For it is not small to one who has nothing."

St Gregory Nazianzus

100% Attendance Winner

Well done to Luis in Year 6 who won the 100% Attendance Raffle.

Please ensure that children are in time for school every day.

Thank you



Party Box Day

The children will be able to choose a party box on Thursday 2nd October consisting of chicken nuggets and French fries. They can also have a cookie as afters. Price of lunches for that day will be reduced to £1. (Key stage 1 and Reception lunches are free)

Children will also be able to choose from the deli bar but jacket potatoes will not be on the menu that day.

Own Clothes Day

We will be holding an own clothes day on Monday 29th September to collect cakes to support the MacMillan charity. We are asking to children to bring in some small cakes that will be sold at break times from Tuesday. Cakes will be priced at 50p. Children are welcome to bring in home made cakes but please clearly label the Tupperware box and lid if you want it returned to you.



MacMillan Coffee Morning


On **Wednesday 1st October**, the school council and Y6 pupils will be holding a Macmillan Coffee Session at 9:00am for any family members or carers that wish to attend. Younger children are also welcome if accompanied by a responsible adult. There will be cold and hot drinks priced at £1 each and cakes priced accordingly (around 50p-£1).



If anybody would like to donate a larger cake for the adults to buy could you please send these in on Tuesday 30th please. We had some beautiful home made cakes donated last year from parents and staff—thank you in advance for your support for this charity.

Attendance

Well done to **Year 3** who have won the attendance this week!



R	98.5%
Y1	97%
Y2	97.3%
Y3	100%
Y4	91%
Y5	99.6%
Y6	96.9%

Remember attending school is so important, as is being on time.

Our school target is **97%**

Our overall school attendance for this week is 94.8%

Green met the target or exceeded, yellow just below, red is below and must be improved.

Please remember punctuality is as important as attendance please ensure your child is in school on time everyday.

School Menu

This week the children will have a 3 choices. Option 1 will be a hot meal (see table below), option 2 will be a jacket potato and Option 3 will be sandwiches.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Chicken burger in a bun with wedges	Tomato Pasta with Garlic Bread	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice & Naan Bread	Chicken Nuggets & French Fries £1	Fish Fingers and Chips

Next week:

- Y6 swimming Mon—Thur
- Own Clothes Day—Monday 29th September
- MacMillan Coffee Morning—Wednesday 1st October 9am
- Phonics Meeting for Reception Parents 2:30—Wednesday 1st October

Keep Safe and God Bless

Ms McIlroy