

CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY UPDATE

02.10.26



Dear Families,

This week I had the pleasure of joining classes for their RE lessons. It was a joy to share in the children's learning as they explored topics such as giving thanks to God for His beautiful creation in Year 1/2, why we rest on the seventh day and how we can give that day to God in Year 3/4 and the concept of covenants and how it feels to be a part of a covenant with God in Year 5/6. The children's learning is supported by three angelic helpers and I will include information about each in the weekly update over the next few weeks for you to explore with your children at home.

We also formally welcomed our Year R families into our school and Church community on Wednesday afternoon with a special liturgy. It was wonderful to see so many families come together in prayer, asking God for blessings and guidance.



Mrs Comerford

Mrs G Comerford, Headteacher

OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM



Next week, on Friday 9th October we are honoured and excited to host a visit from **Jesus Youth UK** who are travelling across the UK to bring families and communities together in prayer and devotion to Our Lady. They will be bringing the **statue of Our Lady of Walsingham** to our school and we would like to invite families to share in this opportunity for prayer with us.

Families are invited to join our KS2 liturgy from 9am, which will be followed by a whole school procession before sharing in time for reflection and prayer with Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 in the church.

We hope you can join us.

USEFUL DATES

07.10.26 Year 2, 5 and 6 NSPCC Speak Out Stay Safe Workshops

09.10.26 Our Lady of Walsingham visits Corpus Christi

22.10.26 Late Owl Autumn Doodling (booking required)

23.10.26 Harvest Mass at 2pm

26.10.26 Half term begins

INSET DAYS

Monday 2nd November

Monday 15th March

Monday 21st June

Wednesday 21st July



PE Days



children should come to school wearing their PE uniform

St Joseph and St Gabriel Class (Year R/1)	Thursday
St Lucy, St Francis and St Nicholas (Year 1/2)	Wednesday Thursday
St Josephine, St Carlo and St Oscar (Year 3/4)	Tuesday Thursday
St Maximillian, St Bernadette and St Therese (Year 5/6)	Monday Friday

GOLDEN BOOK ENTRIES

Desire (Y4) for being focussed in his learning.

Xavi (Yr R) for independently practising the letter 't'.

Henry (Y2) for improvement in his writing.

Percy (Yr R) for great phonics!



GOOD SHEPHERD AWARDS

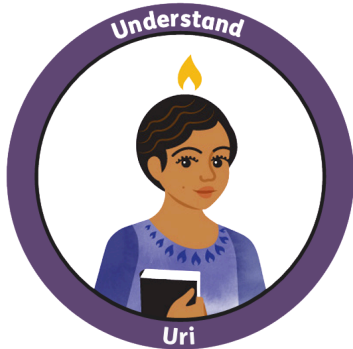
For showing the value of stewardship:

St Joseph: Grace
St Gabriel: Tabita
St Lucy: Samuelle
St Nicholas: Paisley
St. Francis: Lucas

St Oscar: Oliver
St Carlo: Dominion
St Josephine: Penelope
St Bernadette: Rupert
St. Therese: Dolly
St Maximillian: Samuel



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - OUR ANGELIC HELPERS



I ask questions to help you remember and explain.

In our new RE lessons, the children have been introduced to three 'angelic helpers' who will guide them through their learning and spiritual development.

The first of these is Uri. She helps children by asking questions to help them remember what they have learnt and to explain what it means.

Questions that Uri has asked this half term in our Creation and Covenant unit included:

STARTING SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2027?

Do you have a child who will be starting school in September 2027? Or perhaps you have family members, friends or neighbours with a child due to start school in September 2027?

Come and meet our staff, explore our learning environment, and find out why our school is a great place for children to learn and thrive!

Open Day Dates

13 October 19 October 22 October
5 November 19 November

Session Times

 9:30am  11:00am  1:30pm

**We look forward to meeting you and showing you around our wonderful school.
Book your place today via the School Office!**

Year R: What did God say about His creation?

Year 1/2: Who does the Bible say is 'maker of heaven and earth'?

Year 3/4: What does 'made in the image of God' mean?

Year 5/6: Apart from Moses, who else can you think of that was chosen by God?

Why not try discussing these questions with your child - can Uri help them to remember their learning?

SCHOOL GOVERNORS WANTED

What Does It Mean to Be a Governor in a Catholic School?

Governors play an important role in guiding and supporting the school, while the headteacher and leadership team manage its day-to-day operation. Their key responsibilities include ensuring a clear Catholic vision and ethos, holding leaders accountable for educational standards and the school's Catholic character, and overseeing finances.

If you think you have the skills and enthusiasm to join our friendly team and want to know more about the role, please speak to Mrs Comerford.



Pope Leo's Prayer Intention for October:

For mental health ministry

Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.



We Live our Lives like Jesus...