

ST JOSEPH'S NEWSLETTER



FRIDAY 3RD OCTOBER 2025

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This Week's News

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that the children have enjoyed the extra day before the weekend.

We have been blessed to welcome a number of visitors here to St. Joseph's this week as part of our ongoing work to develop a love of reading in our school. A local author, Mrs Argent, spoke to our children across Key Stage 2 on Monday, sharing some beautiful picture books with an African theme. On Thursday, as part of National Poetry Day, Deborah Bertulis inspired our children with her passion for poetry and worked with classes across the school.

A group of children in Year 3 took part in a football festival at Westacre school on Wednesday morning - for some children this was their first time playing a football match with children from other local schools.

PC Osborne and PCSO Holland visited Years 2, 4 and 5 on Wednesday to remind the children about keeping safe especially in making sure that they are safe around the local roads and making themselves more visible to road users.

Thank you for the donations for the Harvest which will be taken to church this coming Sunday. All families are welcome to join the Harvest Mass at Sacred Heart Church on Sunday 5th October at 10.30am.

God bless.

Mr Carry
Principal

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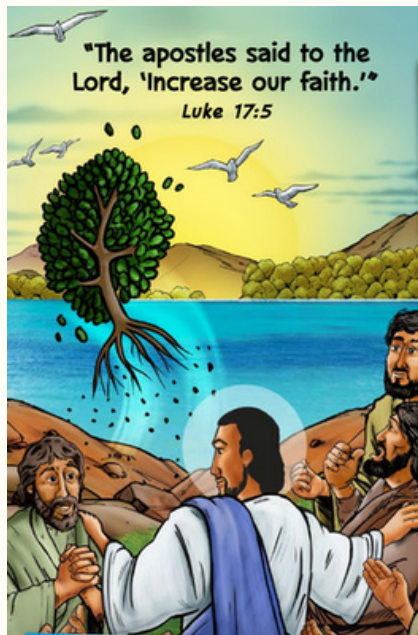
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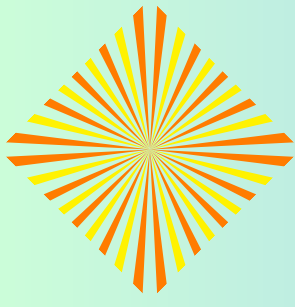
Weekly Gospel Message



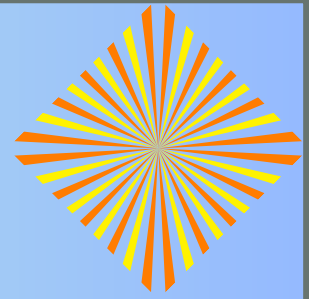
In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus reminds us of the power and the responsibility that comes with having faith in God. Faith and love go hand in hand. Helping our children to grow in faith, to know and love God, is one of the greatest gifts we can give them. Putting our faith in Jesus helps us to know God as our loving Father, and this changes how we see the world – it can free us from anxiety, give us confidence and inner strength, and help us keep growing in our love for one another.

Dear Lord Jesus, please increase our faith and move us to action – sharing God's love with everyone we meet. Amen.

Following St. Joseph, we grow closer to Jesus through our hard work, perseverance and kindness.



FLUENCY FRIDAY



Every Friday we are going to be giving you a fun tongue twister to try or a short poem to read out loud with maybe a silly voice!

A great fun activity to try at home!

Pancake Flip

*I tried to flip my pancake,
It zoomed up to the sky.
It landed on my sister's head -
She didn't even cry!*

*Fluency Challenge:
Make a whoosh sound as you
read.*



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UPCOMING DATES FOR THE DIARY

OCTOBER

**SUNDAY 5TH - HARVEST MASS - SACRED HEART CHURCH
10.30AM**

Monday 6th - LGB Meeting (6pm)

Every Tuesday - Book And Biscuit (3pm-3.20pm)

You are welcome to collect your child and pop along to the hall to hear them read and share a book.

A member of the SLT and the teaching team will be on hand to welcome you.

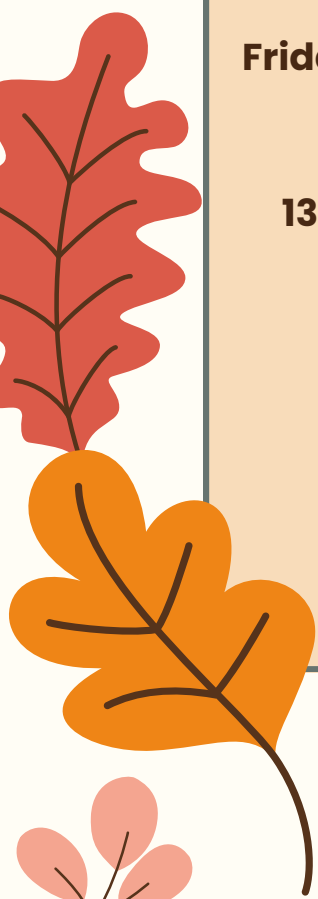
**Every Tuesday - Year 4 swimming
(last session on 21st October) - Year 5 after the half term break**

Thursday 9th - Fr. Hudson's Assembly and Workshops (KS2)

**Friday 10th October - World Mental Health Day - wear yellow -
£1 donation to Young Minds charity**

13th October - 17th October - Scholastic Book Fair in School

**Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th
Parents' Evening
Booking will be open shortly**



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WHAT'S ON

BOOK AND BISCUIT EVERY TUESDAY AT 3PM

What?

In recent parent comments, you asked for a chance for parents and carers to read with their children at school.

Why?

Sometimes children can be too tired to read their school books by the time they get home.

So,...

Because we value your experiences, and we prioritise reading at St Joseph's, we have set up a weekly books and biscuits drop in for all year groups.

Every Tuesday, you are welcome to collect your child from class and pop along to the hall to hear them read and share a book!

A member of SLT and the teaching team will be on hand to welcome you in and to share ideas!



YOU SPOKE.

((We listened.))



**EMPOWER ACTIVE
OCTOBER HALF TERM
SPORTS, ACTIVITY
FOOTBALL
CAMPS**

ACTIVITIES: Themed Games, Sports, Glow in the Dark UV Sports, NERF and LASER challenges, Arts & Crafts, Special Visits, Colour Run Fun, Graffiti & Art Workshops, Wellbeing Workshops, Dodgeball to Inflatable Fun & Halloween Themes, Disco Games, Trick or Treat, Pumpkin Carving, Fancy Dress plus much more....

INFO **PRICELIST** **FOLLOW**

FROM £21.50 PER DAY
10% Sibling Discount

MORE INFO

OCTOBER 27TH - 31ST OCT
STANDARD DAY: 8:30AM TO 4:30 PM
EXTENDED DAY: 7:40AM TO 5:45 PM

LOCATIONS:
• EVESHAM
• DROITWICH
• LEIGH & BRANSTORF
• PERSHORE
• BREDON

Join the Action-Packed Fun at our School Holiday Sports, Football and Activity Camp!
**Camps are for Reception-aged & 12-year-olds, if you are eligible for HAF spaces funded by the Government, please contact us to book your camp* camps@empoweractive.co.uk

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